

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz. :—

| District | Nature of Expenditure | Amount |
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and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon, as follows] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 16th day of

December 1875

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Daily Devereux
Chairman

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 11th day of December 1875

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age. | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age. | Infants under 2 years of age. | Total. | RETURN OF SICK 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 | 289 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Enniscorthy Fever Hospital | 37 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Newtownbarry do. | 19 | " | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Oula do. | 11 | " | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total..... | 1024 | 292 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return. | | | 21 | 49 | 58 | 68 | 14 | 15 | 23 | 23 | 11 | 282 | In Work-house Hospital 77 | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 30 | |
| Admitted during the Week. | | | 4 | 9 | 5 | 3 | " | 1 | 7 | 7 | 1 | 23 | In Fever Hospital 3 | " | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 25 | 58 | 63 | 71 | 14 | 16 | 24 | 24 | 12 | 307 | TOTAL, 80 | TOTAL, 30 | |
| Discharged during the Week. | | | 4 | 3 | 2 | 2 | | | | | | 11 | | | |
| Died. | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 4 | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead. | | | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3 | | | | | 1 | 15 | No. Relieved during week, No. in Work-house at date | 3 4 1 8 | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE. | | | 21 | 54 | 60 | 68 | 14 | 16 | 24 | 24 | 11 | 292 | No. at corresponding period last year | 324 | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of December 1875, 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. | 143 | 275 | | | 143 | 275 |
| No. II. | 98 | 163 | | | 98 | 163 |
| No. III. | 67 | 91 | | | 67 | 91 |
| TOTAL. | 308 | 529 | | | 308 | 529 |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the 16th day of December 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair—

I Daily Devereux Esq. & Subsequently Jonathan Houghton Esq.

Other Guardians:

T. Simmott, W. Walsh, J. Sheill.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No 1603 to No 1627 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 1626 to No 1669 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 Contracts for Bread Oatmeal, Indian Meal and flour will expire on the 25th Instant, Ordered. That the Clerk issue advertisements Tenders to be considered on this day week.

That he attended the Court on Monday last at the trial against the Contractor for Sweetmilk which the Bench dismissed in consequence of the Samples not having been sent to the Analyst by post as required under the act 38 & 39th Vic Cap 63. The Board had no knowledge of this Act until the Circular of the Local Government Board dated 3rd November last No 23376 was sent down and it was then too late. Indeed the Solicitor stated before hand that if the Defendant relied on that technical point the trial was open to failure as the Samples were sent up a month previously by Train and the receipt acknowledged by Professor Cameron under the Alteration of Food Act of 1872

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 - £ 202 16 10

Paid during the week - £ 230 1 3 7

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 126 13 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. |
|------------------------|---|--|------------------|----------------------|------------------|
| JOHN FULLAM | Enniscorthy | | | 1696 13 5 | |
| | Tinacross | | | 264 1 2 | |
| | Total | | | | 1960 14 7 |
| JAMES SINNOTT | Ballyhogue | | | 170 9 1 | |
| | Bree | | | 176 3 10 | |
| | The Leap | | | 194 6 6 | |
| | Total | | | | 540 19 5 |
| PATRICK BYRNE | Cranmore | | | 85 18 11 | |
| | Kilrush | | | 146 3 8 | |
| | St. Mary's | | | 103 19 9 | |
| | Newtownbarry | | | 339 7 10 | |
| | Tombrack | | | 160 5 10 | |
| | Total | | | | 835 16 0 |
| MATHEW GAHAN | Ballycarney | | | 93 5 9 | |
| | Ballymore | | | 108 17 1 | |
| | Ferns | | | 167 10 4 | |
| | Kilbora | | | 22 3 10 | |
| | Kilcormack | | | 148 15 8 | |
| | The Harrow | | | 100 0 11 | |
| | Total | | | | 640 13 7 |
| JAMES SOMMERS | Castleboro' | | | 114 2 11 | |
| | Clonroche | 25 16 0 | | 154 2 11 | |
| | Killan | 43 4 4 | | 157 2 3 | |
| | Kiltealy | | | 50 5 9 | |
| | Total | | 69 0 4 | | 475 13 10 |
| THOMAS TOBIN | Ballindaggin | | | 138 1 10 | |
| | Castledockrill | 5 4 5 | | 64 14 2 | |
| | Killoughram | 16 0 0 | | 79 19 11 | |
| | Marshallstown | 37 11 0 | | 178 3 5 | |
| | Rossard | 2 17 0 | | 119 13 10 | |
| | Total | | 61 13 3 | | 577 13 5 |
| JAMES PARKER | Ballyvaldon | | | 158 3 5 | |
| | Boolaboy | | | 108 3 5 | |
| | Castle Ellis | | | 71 6 8 | |
| | Castle Talbot | | | 132 10 9 | |
| | Total | | | | 470 4 3 |
| JAMES MURPHY | Ballyhuskard | 29 6 3 | | 215 12 11 | |
| | Edermine | 18 17 0 | | 221 6 5 | |
| | Kilmallock | | | 236 10 3 | |
| | Total | | 48 3 3 | | 673 9 7 |
| | Farm produce | | 24 0 0 | | |
| | Total Union | | 202 16 10 | | 675 4 8 |

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Salaries under the Public Health Act,

| | | | £ | s. | d. |
|-----|------------------|-----------------------|----|----|----|
| 131 | John Kennedy | C. S. Officer | 6 | 5 | 0 |
| 132 | Nicholas Furlong | C. S. Officer | 2 | 5 | 0 |
| 133 | J. P. Wood | M.D. Sanitary Officer | 3 | 15 | 0 |
| 134 | Jeremiah Doyle | M.D. do | 3 | 15 | 0 |
| 135 | C. B. Smith | M.D. do | 3 | 15 | 0 |
| 136 | Sam. J. Fordison | M.D. do | 3 | 15 | 0 |
| 137 | Nich. Furlong | M.D. do | 3 | 15 | 0 |
| 138 | Nich. J. McHugh | M.D. do | 3 | 15 | 0 |
| 139 | Fred. Stock | M.D. do | 3 | 15 | 0 |
| 140 | Patrick Murphy | Sanitary Sub-officer | 3 | 8 | 9 |
| 141 | Jerome Murphy | do | 3 | 2 | 6 |
| 142 | Terence O'Brien | do | 3 | 2 | 6 |
| 143 | Matthew Furlong | Clothier | 5 | 9 | 0 |
| 144 | Patrick Murphy | Clothier | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| 145 | Jerome Murphy | do | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| 146 | Terence O'Brien | do | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| 147 | Frederick Stock | Registrations | 1 | 13 | 0 |

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

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

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

Medical Officer's Report.

Remaining in Infirmary last week ----- 79
Admitted during the week ----- 11
Total ----- 90

Discharged Cured ----- 4
Sent to Fever Hospital ----- 0
Died ----- 3
Remaining in Infirmary ----- 83
Number same week last year ----- 87
Decrease ----- 4

Number on Infirmary diet out of Hospital ----- 20

Number in Idiot wards ----- 30

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

Master's Report.

That Nurse Kenny left on Friday last and he employed Mr. Leary as temporary Nurse at 12 per week with rations. the terms she had before when employed by Dr. Furlong during the illness of Mr. Kenny the late Nurse,

The Board will please appoint a committee to inspect the Farm and give directions as to what work is to be proceeded with.

The case against the Contractor for Sweetmilk came off on Monday last before the Bench of Magistrates and was dismissed. Mr. O'Hallerty the Board's Solicitor was in attendance and conducted the case.

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 ^{Dec^r} 75 } Sanctioning the appointment of Miss Ingertrude
No 23805 } Hydes as an Infirmary Nurse to the Workhouse
at a salary of £20 a year & Rations.

Dated 15 Dec^r 75 } Sanctioning the appointment of Miss Mary A
No 23807 } Doyle as an Infirmary Nurse to the Workhouse
at a salary of £20 a year & Rations.

Dated 15 Dec^r 75 } Sanctioning the appointment of Miss Lucy Byrne
No 23806 } as an Infirmary Nurse to the Workhouse at
a salary of £20 a year & Rations.

Ordered. The Clerk to write to the Infirmary Nurses and request them to take charge on the 20th Instant,

Ordinary Proceedings.

The Board then proceeded to the Consideration of applications for relief in the Workhouse and Fever Hospitals of the Union, also for Outdoor Relief which the granted in Certain Cases,

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

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| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | - | - | - | 8 |
| Ditto disallowed | - | - | - | " |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | - | - | - | 17 |

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| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | - | - | - | " |
| Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | - | - | - | 308 |
| The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | - | - | - | " |

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| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | - | - | - | " |
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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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:—

The following letter was read,

Clonroche 15th December 1875

My Lord Gentlemen,

My attention having been directed to a letter from Mr. Moffatt dated 8th October last, complaining of neglect of duty on the part of the Medical Officer of this District allow me to say that owing to bad health I got leave of absence and left home on the 25th Sep^r having previously written to Dr. Foodison (who was appointed as my locum tenens) apprising him of my intention, On Friday evening the day before I got a ticket signed by Mr. Moffatt requiring me to visit a child named Bryan at Ballyhyland and I went at once and saw the child suffering from worms and some fever caused by worms, as it was late in the evening when I got the ticket and being about 9 o'clock I did not require the persons to go to Clonroche Dispensary but gave the medicine

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:—

at my own house and did not go to Clonroche it being too late to file the ticket which lay at my house until my return. I told Mr. Bryan I proposed leaving home and that Dr. Foodison was to do duty for me and if the child was not better she ought to send to Clonroche and tell Dr. Foodison on the following Monday and I believed I did so. I did not write to Dr. Foodison about the child as I did not then see much danger but I have no recollection of having said that the child would be well in a few days. If I did I can only say it was contrary to my usual custom for I make it a rule to give no decided opinion in any case, I regret the occurrence very much but I feel that I am not to

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, £ _____

to blame in this matter,

*Sam. H. H.
Fred Stock,*

Ordered, That we considered Dr. Stock's explanation to be satisfactory,

[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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|-----------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| _____ 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 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 *Hon. Y. Secretary* dated *15th Decr. 1875*, stating that

The Medical Officer of the Fems Dispensary District has resumed his duties

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians, half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age, and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officer of the following Dispensary Districts—

_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
 _____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
 _____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
 _____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
 _____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
 _____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
 37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

* Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

| District | Name of Officer | General Subject | Particulars |
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were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Letter read from Mr. John Byrne, Mason, stating that he examined Mr. Simmott's premises in New St and that it is his opinion that a Sewer run with 6 inch pipes would be sufficient to drain the premises as shown by and reported on by D. Durlong the Sanitary Officer. He proposes to do the work and to supply all necessary materials so as to effectually abate the nuisance complained of, as recommended by the Sanitary Officer, for the sum of £13.0.0

Ordered. Mr. Byrne's Contract accepted, Mr. Simmott to pay the expenses,

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz. :—

| District | Nature of Expenditure | Amount |
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and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon, as follows] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 23rd day of

December 1875

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1871—

Present Net Annual Value, £109,700

Area in Statute Acres, 490,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of December 1875

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK 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 | 287 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Enniscorthy Fever Hospital | 37 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Newtownbarry do. | 16 | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Quila do. | 11 | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total..... | 1021 | 289 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return. | | | 21 | 54 | 60 | 68 | 14 | 16 | 24 | 24 | 11 | 292 | In Work-house Hospital | In separate Wards, in Fever Hospital with other inmates, | 30 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, . . . | | | 9 | 9 | " | 3 | " | " | 3 | 2 | 2 | 28 | 2 | | — | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 30 | 63 | 60 | 71 | 14 | 16 | 27 | 26 | 13 | 321 | TOTAL 82 | TOTAL 30 | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, . . . | | | 6 | 11 | 7 | 2 | — | 2 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 29 | | | | | |
| Died, | | | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | — | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 14 | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . . | | | 8 | 13 | 9 | 4 | — | 4 | 5 | 3 | 5 | 43 | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . | | | 24 | 52 | 57 | 68 | 14 | 14 | 24 | 25 | 11 | 289 | No. Relieved during week; No. in Work-house at date; | 3 | 7 | 5 | 15 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | No. at corresponding period last year | | | | 333 |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18th day of December 1875, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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| No. I. | 143 | 275 | | | 143 | 275 |
| No. II. | 96 | 165 | | | 96 | 165 |
| No. III. | 77 | 119 | | | 77 | 119 |
| TOTAL. | 316 | 559 | | | 316 | 559 |

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PRESENT: In the Chair—

L Dundas Esq.

Other Guardians:

J. Daly Devereux, N. N. Cookman, W. Cookman, J. C. Roberts, J. Simmott, W. Walsh, J. Murphy, W. Cloney, J. O'Farrell, M. Kenny, D. Doran, E. Byrne, J. Fallagher, W. Rudd, H. Fordison, P. Horan, J. Furlong, J. Keating, P. Leary, J. Maddock, W. Macutcheon, P. Murphy, M. O'Neill, J. Sheill,

J. Dundas Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1628 to No. 1656 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. 4620 to No. 4635 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 attended at the Four Courts, Dublin, at the guardians prosecution of the late Collector Thomas Tobin and his Sureties for defalcation of Poor Rates collected by him but not lodged with the Treasurer,

A verdict was obtained by the guardians for the sum of £200 the amount of their joint Bond,

That he had received a letter from the Infirmary Sisters stating they will be ready to take Charge of their duties on Monday next,

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

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

Paid during the week -

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was

£ 632¹¹ 7¹¹ 10

£ 387¹¹ 2¹¹ 11

£ 118¹¹ 11¹¹ 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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| Total Union | | | 632 7 10 | | 5876 11 4 |

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 6 : 6 : 11 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 48 s. 13 d. 11

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|----|----|----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account | " | " | " |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 45 | 6 | 4 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account | " | " | " |
| And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | " | 3 | 1 |
| Average Cost in Infirmary | " | 4 | 5 |
| Average Cost in Fever Hospital | " | 5 | 18 |

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 | 206 lb | Brandy | 1 Bottle |
| Bread | 2352 lb | Butter | 12 lb |
| Buttermilk | 97 gallons | Eggs | 8 Dzen |
| Sweetmilk | 936 q ^t | Porter | 12 Bottle |
| Tea | 196 op | Candles | 32 lbs |
| Sugar | 1078 op | Soap | 112 lb |
| Whiskey | 24 pints | Starch | 3½ lb |
| Wine | 5 Bottles | Blue | ½ lb |
| | | 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 18th day of December 1875 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---------------|----|----|----|
| In Money, ... | 33 | 2 | 0 |
| In Kind, ... | 3 | 8 | 0 |
| Total, ... | 36 | 10 | 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 |
| | | £ 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. |
|-------------------------------|----|----|----|
| 149 Patrick Murphy Out Relief | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| 150 Jerome Murphy do | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| 151 Terence O'Brien do | 8 | 0 | 0 |

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

L. s. d.

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

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

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

Medical Officer's Report.

Remaining in Infirmary last week ----- 83
 Admitted during the week ----- 10
 Total ----- 93

Discharged Cured ----- 8
 Sent to Fever Hospital ----- 2
 Died ----- 3 ----- 13
 Remaining in Infirmary ----- 80
 Number same week last year ----- 89
 Decrease, ----- 9

N^o on Infirm diet out of Hospital ----- 20

N^o in Idiot wards ----- 30

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

Master's Report.

He hopes the Board will, as usual, give a meat dinner to the inmates on Christmas day and appoint a committee to select same.

Ordered. That a breakfast of Bread, Butter & Tea and a meat dinner be allowed Mess^{rs} Simmett, Cullin & Farrell to select the meat.

The Board will please appoint a committee to inspect the farm and give directions as to what is to be done on it, there are nearly six acres of stubble yet to be ploughed - He has frequently called on a Committee to inspect but no order was made.

Ordered, That Mess^{rs} Byrne, Cloney and O'Sharrell inspect the

the farm,

The Committee then went out on the farm and after inspecting it came in and reported that they found the agriculturist tiring a manure heap and cleaning the walks around the farm and which they report to be done in a most creditable manner.

Chaplain's Report.

Visited the Male and Female schools and found all things in proper order.

J. L. Furlong
R. C. Chaplain.

23rd Decr. 1875.

Agriculturist's Report.

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 21st Decr. 1875) } In reference to the retiring allowance allowed to
No 24563 } the late Infirmary nurse on the 9th instant, stating that the 4th section of the Act to provide for Superannuation allowances to Union Officers, prescribes that no grant shall be made without one month's previous notice of such proposed grant,

I hereby give notice that on Thursday the 27th January 1876, I will move that an allowance of £8 a year be granted to Mrs. Mary Kemy, late nurse of the Workhouse Infirmary in consideration of her efficient and faithful services during the period she filled that office.
23rd December 1875, W. N. Coopman.

(Dated 21st Decr. 75) } Objecting to the appointment of Mr. George Maguire
No 24627 } as Agriculturist to the Workhouse and drawing the guardians attention to the letter addressed to them by the late Poor Law Commissioners on 9th September 1864, and requesting the guardians to proceed to another appointment, a list of queries for answers by the person who may be appointed was enclosed.

The Chairman then read the letter of the 9th September 1864 after which it was

Moved by Mr. J. Simmott
& Seconded by Mr. J. Kelly Devereux,

That George Maguire since he resigned the office of Master has completely reformed in his conduct as the Certificate of Character, which the Board take the liberty of enclosing for the information of the Local Government Board, will abundantly testify. Under the circumstance the guardians were anxious to give Maguire another chance and they have every reason to hope and believe from his past conduct that they will not be disappointed in him.

Amendment.

Amendment moved by Mr. N. N. Lockman
 Seconded by Mr. J. C. Roberts,
 That an Apiculturist be advertised for in accordance with the
 letter received from the Local Government Board dated 21st
 December 1875 No 24627.

The Chairman then took a poll when there appeared
 for the Motion 16
 for the Amendment 7
 And declared the Motion Carried.

Date 22 Dec. 1875 } Sanctioning the proposal to remunerate
 No 25049 } Mr. Leary for her services as temporary
 Nurse at the rate of 12/- per week & Rations,

Ordinary Proceedings.

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

Letter read from Mr. R. A. White, Solicitor, stating that John Clare of
 Knockduff has instructed him to apply to the guardians for the discharge
 of his illegitimate child admitted to the Workhouse about 6 weeks
 ago under the name of Aidan Murphy. Clare ^{has} had the child for
 nearly three years and wishes to have the possession of his own
 child and rear him, he being well able to do so.

Unless the child be given up to Mr. White is instructed to take
 the necessary steps to compel the guardians to do so.

Ordered. The guardians require positive proof of the paternity of
 the child and refuse to give it up at present.

The Board then proceeded to the Consideration of Tenders
 for Bread, Indian Meal, Oatmeal & Flour and accepted that of
 Mr. Rossiter's at the following prices,

Bread 5^d per 4 lbs,
 First flour 32^d per Bag,
 Best Oatmeal 15^d per cwt.,
 Best Indian Meal 9^d per cwt.,

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 | - | - | - | 15 |
| Ditto disallowed | - | - | - | - |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | - | - | - | 14 |

| | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|-----|
| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | - | - | - | - |
| Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | - | - | - | 306 |
| 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 | - | - | - | - |
|--|---|---|---|---|

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

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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 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

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians, half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age, and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officer of the following Dispensary Districts—

_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

| District | Name of Officer | General Subject | Particulars |
|----------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------|
| | | | |
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were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Letter read from the Sanitary Officer of the Fenus Dispensary District stating that the sewerage of the Street of Fenus is discharging into the Water used for drinking and by the Public bathing establishment, recommending that a Covered drain be constructed about 18 feet long to carry Sewerage matter from Moque's well under the arch of the bridge.

Ordered: Tenders to be advertised for to be considered on this day fortnight.

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz. :—

| District | Nature of Expenditure | Amount |
|----------|-----------------------|--------|
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
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| | | |
| | | |

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon, as follows] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 30th day of

December 1875.

Signed,

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 25th day of December 1875

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age. | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age. | Infants under 2 years of age. | Total. | RETURN OF SICK 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 | 289 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Enniscorthy Fever Hospital | 37 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Newtownbarr do. | 19 | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Oula do. | 11 | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total..... | 1024 | 291 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return. | | | 24 | 52 | 57 | 68 | 14 | 14 | 24 | 25 | 11 | 289 | In Work-house Hospital | In separate Wards, In Workhouse on the above date | 30 | | |
| Admitted during the Week. | | | 3 | 5 | 2 | " | " | 1 | 2 | " | " | 13 | 2 | — | | | |
| Born | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 27 | 57 | 59 | 68 | 14 | 15 | 26 | 25 | 11 | 302 | 82 | 30 | | | |
| Discharged during the Week. | | | 3 | 2 | 1 | " | " | 1 | 1 | " | " | 8 | | | | | |
| Died. | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | 3 | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead. | | | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | " | 1 | 1 | " | " | 11 | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE. | | | 24 | 54 | 57 | 67 | 14 | 14 | 25 | 25 | 11 | 291 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS. | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | Males | Females | Children under 15 | TOTAL | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | No. Relieved during week | 2 | 3 | 1 | 6 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | No. in Work-house at date | — | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | No. at corresponding period last year 337 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25th day of December 1875, 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. | 143 | 275 | | | 143 | 275 |
| No. II. | 95 | 162 | | | 95 | 162 |
| No. III. | 78 | 120 | | | 78 | 120 |
| TOTAL | 316 | 557 | | | 316 | 557 |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the 30th day of December 1875.

PRESENT: In the Chair— J. Daly, Reverend Logg.

Other Guardians:

W. A. Le Hunte, J. Simmott,
J. O'Farrell, J. Browne,
N. Keating, W. Walsh,
J. Cullin, J. Sutton,

J. Daly, Reverend Logg.
Chairman

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1657 to No. 1667 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. 4676 to No. 4683 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 Solicitor to the Board having issued process against the Ballywilliam Railway Co for payment of Poor Rates unpaid for the last 2 years. Requires the Rate Books to be produced in Court at Wexford and the Board will make an order for Thomas Jackson to attend the Court on Tomorrow — and allow his expenses —

And The Board allow Jackson 7/6 to pay his expenses

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 — — — — — £ 359 17 10

Paid during the week — — — — — £ 96 6 2

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 382 2 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been 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. |
|------------------------|---|--|------------------|----------------------|------------------|
| JOHN FULLAM | Enniscorthy | | | 1620 2 11 | |
| | Tinacross | | | 237 6 9 | |
| | Total | | | | 1857 9 8 |
| JAMES SINNOTT | Ballyhogue | 16 10 9 | | 153 18 4 | |
| | Bree | 40 9 10 | | 135 14 0 | |
| | The Leap | 30 10 3 | | 163 16 3 | |
| | Total | | 87 10 10 | | 453 8 7 |
| PATRICK BYRNE | Cranmore | | | 85 18 11 | |
| | Kilrush | | | 89 11 0 | |
| | St. Mary's | | | 103 19 9 | |
| | Newtownbarry | | | 324 19 1 | |
| | Tombrack | | | 160 5 10 | |
| | Total | | | | 764 14 7 |
| MATHEW GAHAN | Ballyearney | | | 93 5 9 | |
| | Ballymore | | | 108 17 1 | |
| | Ferns | | | 138 11 2 | |
| | Kilbora | | | 22 3 10 | |
| | Kilcormack | | | 117 4 5 | |
| | The Harrow | | | 100 0 11 | |
| | Total | | | | 580 3 2 |
| JAMES SOMMEES | Castleboro' | | | 114 2 11 | |
| | Clonroche | | | 154 2 11 | |
| | Killan | | | 157 2 3 | |
| | Kiltealy | | | 50 5 9 | |
| | Total | | | | 457 13 10 |
| THOMAS TOBIN | Ballindaggin | 9 17 3 | | 103 9 6 | |
| | Castledockrill | 22 16 2 | | 41 18 0 | |
| | Killoughram | 13 16 4 | | 60 16 0 | |
| | Marshallstown | 9 4 4 | | 136 9 8 | |
| | Rossard | 11 9 2 | | 103 10 8 | |
| | Total | | 67 3 3 | | 446 13 7 |
| JAMES PARKER | Ballyvaldon | 43 3 7 | | 114 19 10 | |
| | Boolaboy | " " " | | 108 3 5 | |
| | Castle Ellis | 21 8 10 | | 49 17 10 | |
| | Castle Talbot | 39 6 2 | | 93 4 7 | |
| | Total | | 103 18 7 | | 366 5 8 |
| JAMES MURPHY | Ballyhuskard | " " " | | 215 12 11 | |
| | Edermine | 36 13 10 | | 184 12 7 | |
| | Kilmallock | 64 11 4 | | 171 18 11 | |
| | Total | | 104 5 2 | | 572 4 5 |
| | Total Union | | 359 17 10 | | 5516 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. 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 £ 6 11 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 £ 47 s. 19 d. 7

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|----|----|----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account | - | - | - |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 57 | 9 | 6 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account | - | - | - |
| And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | - | 3 | 1 |
| Average Cost in Infirmary | - | 4 | 5 |
| Average Cost in Fever Hospital | - | 5 | 10 |

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

| | | | |
|------------|---------------------|---------|------------|
| Meat | 513 lb | Brandy | 1 Bottle |
| Bread | 2120 lb | Butter | 38 lb |
| Buttermilk | 115 Gallons | Eggs | 9 Dozen |
| Sweetmilk | 937 q ^t | Porter | 12 Bottles |
| Tea | 283 q ^t | Candles | 35 lb |
| Sugar | 1255 q ^t | Starch | 3½ lb |
| Whiskey | 25 pints | Blue | ½ lb |
| Wine | 7 Bottles | W Soda | 3½ lb |

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 25th day of December 1875 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | | | | | | | | |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|----|---|
| In Money, | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 33 | 16 | 6 |
| In Kind, | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 15 | 0 |
| Total, | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | £ 37 | 11 | 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. |
|---|----|----|----|
| 153 Sam ^l . foodison F Hosp ^l acc ^{ts} | 8 | 10 | 0 |
| 154 Patrick Murphy Out Relief | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| 155 Jerome Murphy do | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| 156 Terence O'Brien do | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| 157 George Griffiths Printing | 11 | 4 | 8 |
| 158 M ^r . Meehan F Hosp ^l acc ^{ts} | 17 | 5 | 5 |

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

L s. d.

Medical Officer's Report.

Remaining in Infirmary last week ----- 80
 Admitted during the week ----- 12
 Total ----- 92

Discharged Cured ----- 6
 Sent to Fever Hospital ----- 1
 Died ----- 2 ----- 9
 Remaining in Infirmary ----- 83
 Number same week last year ----- 92
 Decrease ----- 9

Number on Infirmary diet out of Hospital ----- 20

Number in Idiot wards ----- 30

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

Master's Report.

The Board will please appoint a Committee to inspect the farm.

Ordered. That a committee consisting of Messrs Keating, Browne, and O'Harell inspect the farm.

The Committee appointed by the Board to inspect the farm, reported.

We have carefully examined the work done by George Maguire and found the Hedges and walks that were formerly in a most neglected state, now in perfect order, and by the present work that he is doing will accumulate a large amount of Manure that was left uncollected before.

He

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

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

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

We also inspected the ploughing for green and other crops and found him doing it in a rapid and superior manner.

We recommend that about 2 acres of Potatoes be sown, about 3 acres of green crop and the remainder of the farm under Corn and hay.

We are confident that if Maguire be allowed a trial it will be for the interest of the Union and that he will do his duties to the satisfaction of the guardians and other officers placed over him.

Signed Nicholas Keating
J. M. Browne
Timothy Farrell,

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 29th Dec^r, 1875 } Advancing to previous correspondence
No 25449 } relative to a disallowance of £115.0 made by Mr. Finlay, Auditor, at the recent Audit of the accounts of this Union, stating that they received a report from Mr. Finlay on the Subject, an extract of which they enclosed, and that they cannot set aside the Auditor's disallowance and the guardians should have the money lodged with the Treasurer of the Union without further delay.

Ordinary Proceedings

The Board then proceeded to the Consideration of applications for relief in the Workhouse and Fever Hospital of the Union. Also for Outdoor Relief which they granted in certain Cases.

Ordered, That the Straw, Hay, 2 Horses and Agricultural premises be insured in the Sun Insurance Office to the extent of £200.

Agreeably to the Motion of Mr. R. Dockrill of the 9th Instant the Clerk submitted to the Board a detailed account of the Receipts and Expenditure of the Farm for the best three years ending 29th September 1875. the amount of the profits of the farm was £448.4.7

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

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| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | - | - | - | 6 |
| Ditto disallowed | - | - | - | " |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | - | - | - | 7 |

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| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | - | - | - | - |
| Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | - | - | - | 319 |
| The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | - | - | - | - |

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| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | - | - | - | - |
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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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 .

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| _____ 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 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

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians, half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age, and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officer of the following Dispensary Districts—

_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

| District | Name of Officer | General Subject | Particulars |
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were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Dated 23rd Decr 1875 } Requesting to be furnished with a Return.
No 232 } in duplicate, duly certified by the Signatures
of the Chairman and Executive Sanitary
Officer, Shewing the New Salaries or
additional Salaries of the Officers named therein and the
amount which have been paid to them for the period from
25th March 1875 to 29th September 1875.

Ordered. Signed by the Chairman.

Report read from Dr. Jodisson Sanitary Officer to the
Enniscorthy Dispensary District stating that his attention was
called by the Sub-Sanitary Officer to the offensive condition
of Mary St Caused by Manure heaps in the public street
and recommending that measures be taken immediately
with the view of removing the cause of complaint,

Ordered. That the Owners be notified to remove the
Manure heaps and if not forthwith done to be
prosecuted,

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Another report was read from Dr. Joddisson stating that he inspected the sewer situated in the premises of Mr. Kennedy, Irish St, and passing through the premises of Mr. Cooke and found same in a most defective condition and injurious to the health of surrounding inhabitants, & recommending that a proper sewer be made to the main sewer in Barrack St, thereby effectually abating the nuisance.

Letter read from Mr. Joseph Kennedy drawing the Guardians attention to a grate that was placed lately without his consent or knowledge in that portion of the sewer reported by Dr. Joddisson which passes under the boundary wall of his premises, and that he believes it is the Cause of the present Complaint,

Ordered, That our Sanitary Sub-officer be instructed to employ Mr. John Byrne, Mason or another competent person to inspect the premises of Messrs. Cooke and Kennedy and report to the Board on next Board day if the removal of the grate alluded to by Mr. Kennedy's letter would abate the nuisance complained of, and if not, what other means would be surest,

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz. :—

| District | Nature of Expenditure | Amount |
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and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon, as follows] :—

J. Doran Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 5th day of

January 1875

Signed,

M. M. M. Clerk of the Union.

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

301

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 1st day of January 1876

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | | | No. that can be accommodated in each building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age. | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age. | Infants under 2 years of age. | Total. | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS. | | OBSERVATIONS. |
|---|----------------------------|-----------------|---|--|-------------|------|-------|------|--|-------|---|---|--|--|---------------------------------------|--------|---|-------------------|---------------|
| Workhouse..... | Enniscorthy Fever Hospital | Newtownbarr do. | do. | do. | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | Number in Hospital on the above date. | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | | | | | | |
| | 957 | 289 | 85 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 19 | — | 11 | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total..... | | | 1024 | 292 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return. | | | | | 24 | 54 | 57 | 67 | 14 | 14 | 25 | 25 | 11 | 291 | In Work-house Hospital | 84 | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, | 30 | |
| Admitted during the Week. | | | | | 5 | 6 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | " | 24 | In Fever Hospital | 3 | " | " | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | | | 29 | 60 | 61 | 70 | 15 | 17 | 26 | 26 | 12 | 316 | TOTAL | 87 | TOTAL | 30 | |
| Discharged during the Week. | | | | | 6 | 8 | 2 | 1 | " | 3 | 3 | " | " | 23 | NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS. | | | | |
| Died. | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | " | 1 | 1 | " | " | 1 | | Males | Females | Children under 15 | TOTAL |
| Total Discharged and Dead. | | | | | 6 | 8 | 3 | 1 | " | 3 | 3 | " | " | 24 | No. Relieved during week | 3 | 5 | 2 | 10 |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE. | | | | | 23 | 52 | 58 | 69 | 15 | 14 | 23 | 26 | 12 | 292 | No. in Work-house at date | " | " | " | " |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | No. at corresponding period last year | | | 347 | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st day of January 1876, 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. | |
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| | Number of cases relieved. | Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her. | Number of cases relieved. | Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her. | Cases. | Persons. |
| No. I. | 143 | 275 | | | 143 | 275 |
| No. II. | 93 | 159 | | | 93 | 159 |
| No. III. | 78 | 120 | | | 78 | 120 |
| TOTAL. | 314 | 554 | | | 314 | 554 |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the 5th day of January 1876

PRESENT : In the Chair—

David Doran Esq.

Other Guardians :

J. Linnott, W. Cloney, W. Walsh, J. Sheill,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1670 to No. 1693 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. 1684 to No. 1692 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 received a letter from the Board's Solicitor to attend at the Wexford Sessions on the 6th Instant and to bring the Rate Books for Clonroche & Division for the year 1873-74 & 75 in the Case of a civil Bill process against the Waterford, New Ross & Wexford Junction Railway Company for non-payment of 3 years Poor Rate,

Ordered, The Clerk to proceed to Wexford tomorrow with the Rate Books required—the Board allowing him 7/6 expenses which the request the Local Government Board to sanction.

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 — £ 107. 10. 4

Paid during the week — £ 89. 16. 1

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was £ 393. 16. 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 | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|---|-----------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|----|-------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| JOHN FULLAM | Enniscorthy | | | | | | | 1620 | 2 | 11 | | | |
| | Tinacross | | | | | | | 237 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Total | | | | | | | | | | 1857 | 9 | 8 |
| JAMES SINNOTT | Ballyhogue | | | | | | | 153 | 18 | 4 | | | |
| | Bree | | | | | | | 135 | 14 | 0 | | | |
| | The Leap | | | | | | | 163 | 16 | 3 | | | |
| | Total | | | | | | | | | | 453 | 8 | 7 |
| PATRICK BYRNE | Cranmore | | | | | | | 85 | 18 | 11 | | | |
| | Kilrush | | | | | | | 89 | 11 | 0 | | | |
| | St. Mary's | | | | | | | 103 | 19 | 9 | | | |
| | Newtownbarry | | | | | | | 324 | 19 | 1 | | | |
| | Tombrack | | | | | | | 160 | 5 | 10 | | | |
| | Total | | | | | | | | | | 764 | 14 | 7 |
| MATHEW GAHAN | Ballycarney | | | | | | | 93 | 5 | 9 | | | |
| | Ballymore | | | | | | | 108 | 17 | 1 | | | |
| | Ferns | | | | | | | 138 | 11 | 2 | | | |
| | Kilbora | | | | | | | 22 | 3 | 10 | | | |
| | Kilcormack | | | | | | | 117 | 4 | 5 | | | |
| | The Harrow | | | | | | | 100 | 0 | 11 | | | |
| | Total | | | | | | | | | | 580 | 3 | 2 |
| JAMES SOMMERS | Castleboro' | 16 | 13 | 0 | | | | 97 | 9 | 11 | | | |
| | Clonroche | 43 | 16 | 8 | | | | 110 | 6 | 3 | | | |
| | Killan | 41 | 0 | 8 | | | | 116 | 1 | 7 | | | |
| | Kiltealy | - | - | - | | | | 50 | 5 | 9 | | | |
| | Total | | | | 101 | 10 | 4 | | | | 374 | 3 | 6 |
| THOMAS TOBIN | Ballindaggin | | | | | | | 103 | 19 | 6 | | | |
| | Castledockrill | | | | | | | 41 | 18 | 0 | | | |
| | Killoughram | | | | | | | 60 | 16 | 0 | | | |
| | Marshallstown | | | | | | | 136 | 9 | 8 | | | |
| | Rossard | | | | | | | 103 | 10 | 8 | | | |
| | Total | | | | | | | | | | 446 | 13 | 7 |
| JAMES PARKER | Ballyvaldon | | | | | | | 114 | 19 | 10 | | | |
| | Boolaboy | | | | | | | 108 | 3 | 5 | | | |
| | Castle Ellis | | | | | | | 49 | 17 | 10 | | | |
| | Castle Talbot | | | | | | | 93 | 4 | 7 | | | |
| | Total | | | | | | | | | | 366 | 5 | 8 |
| JAMES MURPHY | Ballyhuskard | | | | | | | 215 | 12 | 11 | | | |
| | Edermine | | | | | | | 184 | 12 | 7 | | | |
| | Kilmallock | | | | | | | 171 | 18 | 11 | | | |
| | Total | | | | | | | | | | 572 | 4 | 5 |
| Total Union | | | | | 101 | 10 | 4 | | | | 5415 | 3 | 2 |

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

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

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

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

I have visited the House and Infirmary and found all ~~the~~ departments in proper order.
 Thomas Summott P.L.F.
 1st January 1896.

Medical Officer's Report,

That there was a labour case in Hospital this week and found it most inconvenient to be without one lying-in-ward, in fact, he does not see how he can do without it.

By order of the Board it was one of the apartments recently taken from the Hospital. It was taken without consulting him on the matter and being the most important ward in the House he could ~~not~~ not advise the course adopted.

The Detached Wards which may not be required once in several years would manifestly not inconvenience the place nearly so much, if at all, were they given instead.

Nurse Lambert attended the Midwifery case above alluded to and will of course expect remuneration from the Board.

Ordered, To be considered on next Board day, this Board being very small,

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

Master's Report,

W. L.

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 31st Decr. 1875 } Transmitting a notice in pursuance of the 4th
No 233 } Section of "The National School Teachers (Ireland)
Act 1875" requiring the guardians within 40 days
from the receipt thereof, to inform the Local Government whether
for the purpose of increasing the remuneration of the Teachers
of National Schools within this Union they are willing to make
the Union a contributory Union within the meaning of the act,
also referring the guardians to the Circular and documents
forwarded by them on the 30th August last,
No order made.

Dated 31st Decr. 1875 } Transmitting for the information of the
No 234 } Board of guardians, a copy of a statement,
showing the Collection and Expenditure
of the Poor Rate and the number of persons receiving Indoor & Outdoor
Relief in all Ireland, during the year ended 29th September 1875.

Dated 1st Jan'y 1876 } From Vincent Griffiths Esq. enclosing a form
to be filled up for the Lords Commissioners of
Her Majesty's Treasury, stating the amount
of Contributions in lieu of Rates, claimed by
this Union.

Dated 4th Jan'y 1876 } From the L.G. Board, enclosing for the information
No 25700 } of the Board of guardians a copy of a letter
which they received from the Clerk of the Union,
containing an explanation to the answer furnished by him
to queries in the list of Queries respecting the appointment
of Mr. George Maguire as Agriculturist of the Union
together with a copy of a letter which they addressed to
the Clerk on the subject.

Dated 4th January 1876 }
 No 25587 } Objecting to the appointment of
 Mr. George Ingham as Agriculturist
 to the Workhouse farm and giving
 their reasons for doing so.

Ordered, Referred for consideration on next Board day

Ordinary Proceedings.

The Board then proceeded to the consideration of applications for relief in the Workhouse and Fever Hospital of the Union, also for Outdoor Relief which they granted in certain cases.

The Punishment Book showed the following
 William Rielly. Refusing to work.
 Ordered, Reprimanded.

D. Woods Medical Officer of the Newtownbarry Fever Hospital applied for some articles for the use of the Hospital.

Ordered, That the Master supply the Fever Hospital with the articles required,

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

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| <i>The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was</i> | - | - | - | - | 10 |
| <i>Ditto disallowed</i> | - | - | - | - | " |
| <i>The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was</i> | - | - | - | - | 15 |

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| <i>The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was</i> | - | - | - | - | 11 |
| <i>Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians</i> | - | - | - | - | 314 |
| <i>The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was</i> | - | - | - | - | " |

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| <i>The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered</i> | - | - | - | - | 1 |
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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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 .

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|-----------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| _____ 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 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

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians, half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age, and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officer of the following Dispensary Districts—

_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

| District | Name of Officer | General Subject | Particulars |
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were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

The following letter was read from Dr. Stock.

Some months since I called your attention to very many nuisances existing in the village of Clonroche also to the great want of a supply of water. I regret to say that not a single nuisance has been abated. On the contrary the whole village with some three or four exceptions is disgracefully and dangerously dirty. The Pump I understand has undergone some slight repair but it has not been sunk or even cleaned out and the water flowed for a few days I am sorry to say it is now as bad as ever. It has been said that the demand for water on the pump was too great but it is now a considerable time since any water has been taken out of it and I have tried in vain to get a single drop out of it this day.

A filthy open sewer runs through the village close to Mr. Robinson's lawn and tho it is more than six months since I reported it nothing has been done to abate this intolerable nuisance.

*I am gentlemen
your obt. Serv^t
2nd January 1876,*

*Fredrick Stock
Sanitary Officer*

Ordered, To be read again on next Board day.

The Board then proceeded to consider Tenders to make a drain from Mofue's Well, Ferns, to the Bridge, that of Mr. Michall Byrne, ^{of the} Ferns, was accepted. To make a drain 40 feet long, flagged at the bottom and covered and to put a grate at the entrance of the sewer he agreeing to make the drain and find all materials for the sum of £2.13.0

Handwritten initials or signature



The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz. :—

| District | Nature of Expenditure | Amount |
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and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon, as follows] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 13th day of

January 1876

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

321

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 8th day of January 1876

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age. | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age. | Infants under 2 years of age. | Total. | RETURN OF SICK 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..... | 457 | 286 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Enniscorthy Fever Hospital | 37 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Newtownbarry do. | 19 | " | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Oula do. | 11 | " | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total..... | 1024 | 290 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return. | | | 23 | 52 | 58 | 69 | 15 | 14 | 23 | 26 | 12 | 292 | In Work-house Hospital | 79 | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, | 30 | |
| Admitted during the Week. | | | 5 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | " | 1 | 24 | In Fever Hospital | 4 | | = | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 28 | 62 | 60 | 70 | 16 | 15 | 26 | 26 | 13 | 316 | TOTAL, | 83 | TOTAL, | 30 | |
| Discharged during the Week. | | | 9 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | " | 1 | 26 | NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS. | | | | |
| Died. | | | | | | | | | | | | | Males | Females | Children under 15 | TOTAL | |
| Total Discharged and Dead. | | | 9 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | " | 1 | 26 | No. Relieved during week | 4 | 6 | 4 | 14 |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE. | | | 19 | 57 | 56 | 69 | 14 | 13 | 24 | 26 | 12 | 290 | No. in Work-house at date | 3 | 3 | 2 | 7 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | No. at corresponding period last year. | | | | 360 |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8th day of January 1876, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| Relief Districts | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse. | |
|------------------|---|--|--|--|--------------------------------------|----------|
| | Number of cases relieved. | Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved. | Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her | Cases. | Persons. |
| No. I. | 147 | 266 | | | 147 | 266 |
| No. II. | 94 | 165 | | | 94 | 165 |
| No. III. | 78 | 120 | | | 78 | 120 |
| TOTAL | 319 | 551 | | | 319 | 551 |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the 13th day of January 1876

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Jonathan Haughton Esq.

Other Guardians:

W. A. Hunt, H. Mullin, R. Rockhill,
J. Furlong, W. Walsh, N. Keating,
J. Murphy, M. Murphy, M. O'Neill,
J. Sutton, M. Keating, P. Whelan,
J. Fallagher, W. Rockhill, J. O'Harell.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1694 to No. 1718 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. 4693 to No. 4697 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week - £ 225. 18. 2

Paid during the week - £ 141. 6. 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 478. 8. 8.

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been 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. |
|--|---|--|------------------|----------------------|------------------|
| JOHN FULLAM | Enniscorthy ... | 81 16 2 | | 1538 6 9 | |
| | Tinacross ... | 42 4 6 | | 195 2 3 | |
| | Total ... | | 124 0 8 | | 1733 9 0 |
| JAMES SINNOTT <i>Matthew Doyle</i> | Ballyhogue ... | | | 753 18 4 | |
| | Bree ... | | | 135 14 0 | |
| | The Leap ... | | | 163 16 3 | |
| | Total ... | | | | 453 8 7 |
| PATRICK BYRNE | Cranmore ... | | | 85 18 11 | |
| | Kilrush ... | | | 89 11 0 | |
| | St. Mary's ... | | | 103 19 9 | |
| | Newtownbarry ... | | | 324 19 1 | |
| | Fongbrack ... | | | 160 5 10 | |
| | Total ... | | | | 764 14 7 |
| MATHEW GAHAN | Ballycarney ... | 23 18 3 | | 69 7 6 | |
| | Ballymore ... | 25 9 1 | | 83 8 0 | |
| | Ferns ... | ' ' ' | | 138 11 2 | |
| | Kilbora ... | ' ' ' | | 22 3 10 | |
| | Kilcormack ... | ' ' ' | | 117 4 5 | |
| | The Harrow ... | 10 6 0 | | 89 14 11 | |
| | Total ... | | 59 13 4 | | 520 9 10 |
| JAMES SOMMERS | Castleboro' ... | | | 97 9 11 | |
| | Clonroche ... | | | 110 6 3 | |
| | Killan ... | | | 116 1 3 | |
| | Kiltealy ... | | | 50 5 9 | |
| | Total ... | | | | 374 3 6 |
| THOMAS TONN <i>Terence Nolan</i> | Ballindaggin ... | 8 19 6 | | 95 0 0 | |
| | Castledockrill ... | 7 0 4 | | 34 17 8 | |
| | Killoughram ... | 1 18 6 | | 58 17 6 | |
| | Marshallstown ... | 23 0 10 | | 113 8 7 | |
| | Rossard ... | " " " | | 103 10 8 | |
| | Total ... | | 40 19 2 | | 405 14 5 |
| JAMES PARKER | Ballyvaldon ... | | | 114 19 10 | |
| | Booleboy ... | | | 108 3 5 | |
| | Castle Ellis ... | | | 49 17 10 | |
| | Castle Talbot ... | | | 93 4 7 | |
| | Total ... | | | | 366 5 8 |
| JAMES MURPHY | Ballyhuskard ... | | | 215 12 11 | |
| | Edermine ... | | | 154 12 7 | |
| | Kilmallock ... | | | 171 18 11 | |
| | Total ... | | | | 572 4 5 |
| | Disallowance by Auditor | | 1 5 0 | | |
| | Total Union | | 225 18 2 | | 5190 10 0 |

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 16 11 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 75 s. 10 d. 10

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|----|----|----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account | " | " | " |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 47 | 11 | 0 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account | " | " | " |
| And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | " | 3 | 1 |
| Average Cost in Infirmary | " | 4 | 5 |
| Average Cost in Fever Hospital | " | 5 | 70 |

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

| | | | |
|------------|-----------------------|---------|----------------------|
| Meat | 219 Lbs | Brandy | 12 1 Bottle |
| Bread | 2253 Lbs | Butter | 25 12 Lbs |
| Buttermilk | 140 Gall ⁿ | Egg | 25 1/2 Dozen |
| Sweetmilk | 949 q ^t | Coals | 400 Cwt ^r |
| Tea | 198 q ^t | Candles | 35 Lbs |
| Sugar | 912 q ^t | Starch | 4 Lbs |
| Whiskey | 34 pints | Blue | 1 Lb |
| Wine | 14 Bottles | 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 8th day of January 1876 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---------------|----|----|----|
| In Money, ... | 33 | 16 | 6 |
| In Kind, ... | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Total, ... | 37 | 16 | 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 | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|
| | | £ s. d. | Article and Quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | |
| TOTAL. | | | | |

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

| | £ | s. | d. |
|------------------------------------|----|----|----|
| 167 Tobias Rossiter Bread. | 54 | 12 | 3 |
| 168 Eliza Henrick Meat | 41 | 2 | 10 |
| 169 Nicholas Walsh Sweetmilk | 30 | 4 | 5 |
| 170 John Martin do | 12 | 9 | 2 |
| 171 Patrick Ryan Buttermilk | 7 | 18 | 0 |
| 172 Thomas J. Flohler Oatmeal | 16 | 12 | 6 |
| 173 Joseph Kennedy Meal & Flour | 6 | 5 | 6 |
| 174 James Maloche Coals | 27 | 10 | 0 |
| 175 Edward Joff Groceries &c | 17 | 16 | 4 |
| 176 Michael Keating Whiskey &c. | 13 | 2 | 2 |
| 177 Patrick Fitzpatrick Tea & Soap | 10 | 8 | 2 |
| 178 Patrick Ryan Hardware | 16 | 5 | 10 |
| 179 Same Shoe findings | 2 | 8 | 7 |
| 180 John Malcolm, Attendance | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| 181 Samuel Goodisson Vaccinations | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| 182 Jerome Murphy Registrations | 3 | 11 | 6 |
| 183 Patrick Murphy Outdoor Relief | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| 184 Jerome Murphy do | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| 185 Terence O'Brien do | 8 | 0 | 0 |

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

| \mathcal{L} | s | d |
|---------------|-----|-----|
| | | |

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

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

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

Medical Officers Report.

The Boy James Duime admitted here on the 5th Instant was suffering from gangrene of the leg and thigh. He found it necessary to remove the leg and since then the boy is progressing favourably.

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

Master's Report,

Captain Robinson visited the House on Tuesday
 the 11th Instant and inspected the House and
 farm and also the Fever Hospital,

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 6th January 1876 } Requesting a Return of Rates made or
No 1 } agreed to be made during the quarter ended
31st December ~~1875~~,
1876.

Dated 11th January 1876 } Subject. Election of Guardians.
No 4 }

Dated 12th January 1876 } Requesting that the Sum of £15.0
No 32 } disallowed at the last audit of the Union
accounts be forthwith lodged by the
Guardians debited.

Ordered. The disallowance was lodged on the 12th Instant.

Dated 12th January 1876 } With reference to a report (calling
No 353 } attention to the inconvenience occasioned
by the want of a proper lying-in Ward
in the Workhouse Hospital) made by the Medical Officer of the
Workhouse on the 5th Instant, stating that they learn from
their Inspector Mr. Robinson that he visited the Workhouse on
the 11th Instant and found that a suitable lying-in room
is much required and that the Female Idiots are very much
crowded in consequence of their having been recently deprived
of a dormitory in the Infirmary. Mr. Robinson recommends
that the Male Wards Nos 1 and 9 be given up to female
patients No 9 to be used as a Lying-in Room and that the
unoccupied building at the rear of the Infirmary be opened
for Infirmary patients the upper part for females and the lower
for Males and that this arrangement can be carried
out with due regard to the proper Classification of
Male and Female inmates.

Ordered. That the Master Carry out Captain
Robinson's recommendations.

The Board then proceeded to consider the letter of the Local Government Board in reference to the appointment of Mr. George Maguire as Agriculturist to the Workhouse farm.

The Chairman read the letter to the Board after which the following was read and ordered to be placed on the Minutes.
Gentlemen

With reference to the letter of the Local Government Board in relation to the answers to the Query Sheet of the Office of Agriculturist, I respectfully beg to offer the following explanation of the facts connected with my resignation of my former office as Master of the Workhouse.

By my report ^{dated} 18th June 1864 and entered on the Board's Minutes of that date I stated that as the Committee of enquiry had recommended the services of my assistant to be dispensed with I tendered my resignation at the end of 3 months when the Stock should have been taken and the Books closed.

Captain Hamilton P.L. Inspector Subsequently visited the Workhouse and in the course of some business transactions remarked that my hand quivered when writing. He was present at the Board's meeting on the 3rd September and mentioned the matter to the Board when I sat on and in their presence admitted that on the day previous to the occurrence I had met with some friends and somewhat exceeded. On the same 3rd September by the advice of the Majority of the Guardians I laid before the Board a letter (Copy of which is entered on the Board's minutes of that day) requesting the Board to allow me to withdraw my resignation of the 18th June 1864 and the Board then made an order unanimously agreeing to the withdrawal of my resignation.

On the 10th September following the Board received a letter from P.L. Commissioners refusing to sanction the withdrawal of my resignation on the grounds that I employed as an assistant a person who was not under the control of the Board and citing my admission to Captain Hamilton as a proof that I was of intemperate habits.

In consequence of this letter I sent in a further letter of resignation and ceased to hold office, and when the Clerk of the Union

^{was}
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.)

was taking down the replies on the Query Sheet to be filled on my late appointment as Agriculturist I stated in reply to the Query which applied to this matter, that the 18th June was the day of my resignation, without considering there was any necessity for stating the circumstances of its subsequent withdrawal.

When seeking the appointment of Agriculturist I was fully aware that the Board knew all the circumstances under which I ceased to hold the office of Master and that the facts had also gone before the Commissioners so that it could not have been any benefit to me to make a misstatement in the replies to the Queries.

My principal reliance in the matter was that the Board would kindly remember my former service of over 22 years during which time I spent the prime of my life and strength and overlook the short period which I may have deserved their censure.

I am gentlemen
Your Obedt. Servant
George Maguire.

13th January 1876

Resolved, The Guardians are of opinion that Mr. Maguire has given a satisfactory explanation and request that the Local Government Board will under the circumstances sanction the appointment as from trustworthy information we believe he is quite reformed and that he will make an efficient officer and give general satisfaction as an Agriculturist. ^{passed unanimously,}

I give notice that on this day fortnight I shall bring under the consideration of the Board the propriety of this Union becoming a Contributory Union for the purpose of increasing the remuneration of Teachers of National Schools ^{within this} ~~in the~~ Union under the Act 38 & 39 Vic Cap 96.

13th January 1876.

Richard Dockrill.

Ordered, That the Clerk give notice to all the Guardians to meet to consider the above motion on this day fortnight,

Ordinary Proceedings

The Board then proceeded to the consideration of applications for relief in the Workhouse and Fever Hospitals of the Union, also for Outdoor Relief which they granted in certain Cases.

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 | - | - | - | 14 |
| Ditto disallowed | - | - | - | " |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | - | - | - | 10 |

| | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|-----|
| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | - | - | - | " |
| Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | - | - | - | 319 |
| 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 | - | - | - | " |
|--|---|---|---|---|

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

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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 Oulart Dispensary Committee held on the 11th Instant called at the request of the Medical Officer for the purpose of considering the propriety of establishing a branch of the Dispensary at Blackwater for the better accommodation of patients in that part of the District.

present, Rev Phemmy, P.P. M. Murphy, J. Murphy, M. Phemmy, W. Keating, P. Leary, M. Keating,

It was resolved to postpone the further consideration of the subject until there would be a larger attendance of the Committee.

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 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 *Dr. Smith, Ferns*, dated *10th January 1876*, stating that—

Enclosing a Bill amounting to 5/- for Margaret Bacon for attending a difficult Midwifery Case in the Ferns Dispensary District and Stating that he would have applied to the Relieving Officer only that the Relieving Officer resided at a distance of 8 or 9 miles and the Case was urgent,

Ordered, 5/- allowed, the Local Government Board will please sanction,

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians, half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age, and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officer of the following Dispensary Districts—

_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
 _____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
 _____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
 _____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
 _____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
 _____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
 37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

| District | Name of Officer | General Subject | Particulars |
|----------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------|
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were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Letter read from Patrick Whelan, Mason, Stating that he was called on by Mr. Murphy S.D. to inspect the Sewer passing through the premises of Messrs. Cooke and Kennedy, Irish St and that he is of opinion that there is no necessity for making a new sewer, the old sewer should not be removed, but it would suit better if the grate alluded to in Mr. Kennedy's letter was removed as it has been the cause of the nuisance to a great extent, the sewer ought to be deepened and repaired from where the grate was placed in the wall to the outside wall of Mr. Cooke's privy. A grate should be placed in Mr. Kennedy's yard as it would not allow any matter to enter the sewer that might cause a stoppage again.

He is of opinion that the above mentioned improvements can be done for the sum of 15/-

Ordered, That Patrick Whelan be allowed 15/- for to repair the sewer and 5/- for inspecting it, the whole amount to be paid by Messrs. Cooke and Kennedy,

Doctor Stock's letter in reference to the village of Clonroche was read after which the following letter was read

Ennisceorthy 10th Jan^y 1876

Gentlemen,

In consequence of a letter having been read on last Board day from Doctor Stock Sanitary Officer relative to the Sanitary Condition of the village of Clonroche, I deem it necessary to give the following information to the Board of Guardians. Some time ago I inspected the entire village and found many nuisances to exist I then sent a notice for each case to the Sanitary Officer who reported on them to the Guardians after which I received notices from the Executive Sanitary Officer and I immediately served a copy on each offender and returned the Originals to the Executive S Officer with the date of the Service marked thereon.

I again inspected the village on the 3rd Instant and found some Causes of Complaint and I have sent the usual notices to the Sanitary Officer of the District.

I am gentlemen

Your Obedt Servant
Patrick Murphy R.C.

Consulting Sanitary Officer visit and
Ordered, Doctor Hurlong is requested to report respecting the Sanitary State of Clonroche and also as to the ~~State~~ State of the Pump Station ~~Put up there~~.

Ennisceorthy ~~Ennisceorthy~~ 10th Jan^y 1876

Gentlemen,

On the 8th Instant I received two applications for Out door Relief, the first from a person named Eliza Tobin, a Widow with four children living in a house or rather a hovel in Millagoley lane, I immediately visited her residence and found it in a filthy Condition and her children in a wretched state and from the size and Situation

of her house it could not be otherwise, the house is about 6 feet by 8 the bed being within 18 inches of the fireplace and no yard at the rear of the dwelling. I gave provisional relief being in possession of a Medical Certificate as one of her children was ill and I must further state ^{that} after making this report I ^{will} ask the opinion of the Sanitary Officer whether the house I endeavoured to describe is fit to be used as a human habitation.

I next visited the second case which was that of a person named Mary Fullam at Shamonthill and found her in a very destitute state the house in which she resides is in a very filthy Condition and not yard at the rear of it, I found her in a bed of the most miserable nature without suitable bed clothing and an illegitimate child in her arms aged 11 months I also gave provisional relief in this case being in possession of a Medical Certificate which states that Mary Fullam is labouring under consumption.

I waited on a Guardian and explained to him the foregoing he then told me to make my report to the Board of Guardians in order that they might see whether persons receiving Relief outside and living in such habitations as I have described would not be better attended to in the Workhouse.

I am gentlemen

Your Obedt Servant
P. Murphy R.C.

Ordered. To be placed in full on the minutes,

W. Macutchen

Chr.

Jan^y 20th 1876

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz. :—

| District | Nature of Expenditure | Amount |
|----------|-----------------------|--------|
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and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon, as follows] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 20th day of

January 1876

Signed,

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 15th day of January 1876

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | | | No. that can be accommodated in each building | | Total No. on 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. |
|---|--|--|---|-----|--|----|-------------|----|---|----|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|---|------------------------------|----|---------------|
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| Workhouse..... | | | 957 | 286 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Enniscorthy Fever Hospital | | | 31 | 7 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Newtownbarry do. | | | 19 | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Oula do. | | | 11 | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total..... | | | 1024 | 293 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return. | | | 19 | 57 | 56 | 6 | 14 | 13 | 24 | 26 | 12 | 290 | In Workhouse Hospital | | 80 | In separate Wards, in Workhouse with other inmates, | | 30 | |
| Admitted during the Week. | | | 3 | 4 | 3 | 2 | " | 1 | " | " | " | 13 | In Workhouse Hospital | | 7 | In separate Wards, in Workhouse with other inmates, | | — | |
| Born | | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | In Workhouse Hospital | | — | In separate Wards, in Workhouse with other inmates, | | — | |
| TOTAL | | | 2261 | 59 | 71 | 14 | 14 | 24 | 26 | 12 | 303 | TOTAL | | 87 | TOTAL | | 30 | | |
| Discharged during the Week. | | | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | — | 1 | — | — | — | 8 | | | | | | | |
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| Total Discharged and Dead. | | | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | — | 1 | — | — | 2 | 10 | | | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE. | | | 20 | 59 | 57 | 70 | 14 | 13 | 24 | 26 | 10 | 293 | No. Relieved during week | | 1 | 3 | | 1 | 5 |
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RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of January 1876 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| Relief Districts | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.) | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse. | |
|------------------|--|--|--|---|--------------------------------------|----------|
| | Number of cases relieved. | Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved. | Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her. | Cases. | Persons. |
| No. I. | 147 | 266 | | | 147 | 266 |
| No. II. | 97 | 170 | | | 97 | 170 |
| No. III. | 78 | 120 | | | 78 | 120 |
| TOTAL. | 322 | 556 | | | 322 | 556 |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the 20th day of January 1876

PRESENT: In the Chair— Wm Macutchen Esq. & Subsequently J. Simmott Esq.

Other Guardians:

J. Daly Devereux, J. Farrell, J. Byrne,
W. Cloney, J. Fallagher, J. Murphy,
W. Rudd, J. Hoodison, J. Cullen,
M. O'Neill,

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1718 to No. 1731 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. 4698 to No. 4702 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 here on Friday and Saturday the 14th & 15th Instant and audited the Union accounts ended 29th September last

The abstracts having been signed by him are now submitted to the Chairman for signature on part of the Board.

Ordered. The Abstracts are duly signed by the Chairman on part of the Board.

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 *inform* the Guardians was

£ 576ⁿ 6ⁿ 11
£ 277ⁿ 19ⁿ 9
£ 716ⁿ 15ⁿ 10,

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d. | Total £ s. d. | Remaining £ s. d. | Total £ s. d. |
|--------------------------------------|---|--|------------------|----------------------|------------------|
| JOHN FULLAM | Enniscorthy ... | 74 9 8 | | 1463 17 1 | |
| | Tinacross ... | 30 0 0 | | 165 2 3 | |
| | Total ... | | 104 9 8 | | 1628 19 4 |
| JAMES GERRITT Mr Doyle | Ballyhogue ... | | | 153 18 4 | |
| | Bree ... | | | 135 14 0 | |
| | The Leap ... | | | 163 16 3 | |
| | Total ... | | | | 453 8 7 |
| PATRICK BYRNE | Cranmore ... | ' ' ' | | 85 18 11 | |
| | Kilrush ... | 14 4 0 | | 75 7 0 | |
| | St. Mary's ... | 25 1 1 | | 78 18 8 | |
| | Newtownbarry ... | 32 3 0 | | 292 16 1 | |
| | Tombrack ... | 14 3 7 | | 146 2 3 | |
| | Total ... | | 85 11 8 | | 679 2 11 |
| MATHEW GAHAN | Ballycarney ... | ' ' ' | | 69 7 6 | |
| | Ballymore ... | ' ' ' | | 83 8 0 | |
| | Ferns ... | 14 12 11 | | 123 18 3 | |
| | Kilbora ... | ' ' ' | | 22 3 10 | |
| | Kilcormack ... | 11 3 5 | | 106 1 0 | |
| | The Harrow ... | ' ' ' | | 89 14 11 | |
| | Total ... | | 25 16 4 | | 494 13 6 |
| JAMES SOMMERS | Castleboro' ... | 48 14 3 | | 48 15 8 | |
| | Clonroche ... | ' ' ' | | 110 6 3 | |
| | Killan ... | ' ' ' | | 116 1 7 | |
| | Kiltealy ... | 21 8 0 | | 28 17 9 | |
| | Total ... | | 70 2 3 | | 304 1 3 |
| THOMAS TONIN J Nolan | Ballindaggin ... | 9 2 7 | | 85 17 5 | |
| | Castledockrill ... | 16 12 9 | | 18 4 11 | |
| | Killoughram ... | ' ' ' | | 58 17 6 | |
| | Marshallstown ... | 39 10 10 | | 73 17 9 | |
| | Rossard ... | ' ' ' | | 103 10 8 | |
| | Total ... | | 65 6 2 | | 340 8 3 |
| JAMES PARKER | Ballyvaldon ... | 42 2 4 | | 72 17 6 | |
| | Boolaboy ... | 34 9 7 | | 73 13 10 | |
| | Castle Ellis ... | ' ' ' | | 49 17 10 | |
| | Castle Talbot ... | 29 7 6 | | 63 17 1 | |
| | Total ... | | 105 19 5 | | 260 6 3 |
| JAMES MURPHY | Ballyhuskard ... | 41 19 0 | | 173 13 11 | |
| | Edermine ... | 17 2 5 | | 167 10 2 | |
| | Kilmallock ... | ' ' ' | | 171 18 11 | |
| | Total ... | | 59 1 5 | | 513 3 0 |
| | Total Union £ | | 516 6 11 | | 4674 3 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 £ 14 : 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 £ 38 s. 7 d. 0

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|----|----|----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account | - | - | - |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 49 | 3 | 9 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account | - | - | - |
| And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | 11 | 3 | 1 |
| Average Cost in Infirmary | - | - | 4 |
| Average Cost in Fever Hospital | - | - | 5 |

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

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|------------|-------------|---------|----------|
| Meat | 226 lbs | Butter | 14 lbs |
| Bread | 2088 lbs | Eggs | 21 Dozen |
| Buttermilk | 104 Gallons | Candles | 35 lbs |
| Sweetmilk | 947 qts | Soap | 112 lbs |
| Tea | 204 qts | Starch | 4 lbs |
| Sugar | 931 qts | Blue | 1 lb |
| Whiskey | 40 pints | W Soda | 3½ lbs |
| Wine | 9 Bottles | Lampoil | 1 gallon |
| Brandy | 1 Bottle | | |

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 15th day of January 1876 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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| In Money, | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 35 | 19 | 6 |
| In Kind, | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 15 | 6 |
| Total, | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | £ 39 | 18 | 0 |

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

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

| Relief District | Name of Relieving Officer | By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and Quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | | | |

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

| | £ | s. | d. |
|-----------------------------------|----|----|----|
| 187 Joseph Dallard Brooks & Forms | 9 | 10 | 3 |
| 188 Captain W. H. Chester Rent | 50 | 9 | 2 |
| 189 William Pelly Coffins | 2 | 5 | 0 |
| 190 Patrick Murphy Out Relief | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| 191 Jerome Murphy do | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| 192 Terence O'Brien do | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| 193 John Fulham Poor's Rate | 7 | 3 | 9 |

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.

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

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

Medical Officers Report,

I regret to have to inform the Board that the Apartments at present occupied by the Infirmary Nurses are inconvenient and not properly adapted to their use.

At present their sleeping rooms are actually a continuation of the sick wards and as a matter of course contain the same atmosphere.

It is not an unusual thing to find the health of Medical men and of students in Medicine giving way after a few months residence in the Dublin Hospitals where the accommodation is incomparably superior to any you can give here, where the sisters will be expected to spend years, their rooms at night at least ought to be free from the taint of the Hospital.

Signed,

N. Furlong.

A Committee consisting of Messrs. Linnott, O'Harell, Byrne, and J. Daly Dwyer was then appointed to inspect the Infirmary wards and to report on the accommodation requisite for the Infirmary Nurses. ~~The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows.~~ On their return they reported that they recommend that portion of the Workhouse known as the detached ward to be fitted up for them inasmuch as it is not required nor likely to be required for any other purpose and will be most conducive to the proper discharge of their duties towards the Patients which is so strongly advocated by the Medical Officer on Sanitary grounds in his report, whilst it can be got up with very little extra expense.

Ordered. The Report of the Committee is adopted by the Board and the Master is directed to make arrangements to carry out the recommendation of the Committee as soon as possible.

Masters Report.

He beg^d. to lay before the Board a list of requirements for the Infirmary.
 Orderd. Requirements allowed.

Mr Thomas Jordan Killealy proposes taking out the girl Maryanne Murphy the Board giving her clothes.

Orderd. Clothing value 15/- 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 19th Jan^y 1876)
 No. 938 } Requesting a return of the number of
 Epileptic and Simple Idiots in the
 Workhouse on 31st December 1875 also the
 Number of Lunatics in the Workhouse
 on that date.

(Dated 19th Jan^y 1876)
 No 1060 } Sanctioning the appointment of Mr.
 George Maguire to the office of
 Agriculturist to the Workhouse farm.

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 outdoor Relief which they granted in certain cases.

The Matron applied for one week's leave of absence.

Ordered Leave granted the Schoolmistress to take charge.

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

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| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | - | - | - | 5 |
| Ditto disallowed | - | - | - | " |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | - | - | - | 8 |

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| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | - | - | - | " |
| Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | - | - | - | 322 |
| The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | - | - | - | " |

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| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | - | - | - | " |
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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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| 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 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. J. Board dated 19th Jan 1876, No 1060,
stating that—

Sanctioning the proposed payment of 5/- to Margaret Bacon as remuneration for her services in attending a difficult midwifery Case in the Ferns (Dispensary District),

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age, and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officer of the following Dispensary Districts—

Eriniscothy Dispensary District, containing Twelve names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Ordered, Referred to Relieving Officers Messrs P. Murphy & J. Murphy to report on this day month,

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

| District | Name of Officer | General Subject | Particulars |
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were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz. :—

| District | Nature of Expenditure | Amount |
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and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon, as follows] :—

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

January 1876

Signed,

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 15th day of January 1876

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK 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..... | 457 | 286 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Enniscorthy Fever Hospital | 37 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Newtownbarry do. | 19 | 7 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Oula do. | 11 | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total..... | 1024 | 293 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return. | | | 19 | 57 | 56 | 69 | 14 | 13 | 24 | 26 | 12 | 290 | In Work-house Hospital 80 | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 30 | |
| Admitted during the Week. | | | 2 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | " | " | " | 13 | 7 | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 22 | 61 | 59 | 71 | 14 | 14 | 24 | 26 | 12 | 303 | 87 | 30 | |
| Discharged during the Week. | | | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | " | 1 | " | " | " | 8 | | | |
| Died. | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | 2 | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead. | | | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | " | 1 | " | " | 2 | 10 | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE. | | | 20 | 59 | 57 | 70 | 14 | 13 | 24 | 26 | 10 | 293 | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of January 1876, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| Relief Districts | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse. | |
|------------------|---|--|--|---|--------------------------------------|----------|
| | Number of cases relieved. | Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved. | Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her. | Cases. | Persons. |
| No. I. | 147 | 266 | | | 147 | 266 |
| No. II. | 97 | 170 | | | 97 | 170 |
| No. III. | 78 | 120 | | | 78 | 120 |
| TOTAL. | 322 | 556 | | | 322 | 556 |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the 20th day of January 1876

PRESENT: In the Chair— Jonathan Haughton Esq. Subsequently Lord Curzon and R. Rocknill Esq.

Other Guardians:

Colonel Alcock, Captain Irvine, Captain W. Dawson, L. Dundas, J. A. Whitney, J. Daly, Devereux W. A. Le Hunte, N. N. Cookman, J. C. Roberts, W. H. Farmer, J. Furlong, J. Simmatt, J. Farrell, M. Kenny, W. Keating, A. Keating, E. Byrne, J. Murphy, W. Cloney, J. Murphy, J. Browne, R. Rocknill, P. Creane, B. Maddock, W. Macintosh, J. Fallagher, H. Goodison, J. Sutton, M. Walsh, M. O'Neill, P. Leary, D. Doran, W. Rudd, J. Cullin, M. Murphy, P. Whelan, P. Murphy.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.