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Minute Book
23 Oct 1869 - 7 May

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Gorey Union

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of Oct.r 1869

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date
Workhouse,	926	278
Temporary Buildings,	"	
Additional Workhouse,	26	9
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds,		"
TOTAL,	952	287

	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
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	17	61	46	47	11	14	44	16	29	281
Admitted during the Week,	8	4	1	2	3	.	4	1	1	24
Born,										
TOTAL,	25	65	47	49	14	14	44	17	30	305
Discharged during the Week,	3	5	1	.	2		4	1	1	17
Died,	1									1
Total Discharged and Dead,	4	5	1	.	2	.	4	1	1	18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	21	60	46	49	12	14	40	16	29	284

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	89	In separate Wards,	10
In Fever Hospital,	9	In Wards with other Inmates,	"
Total,	98	Total,	10

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
4	2	8	14

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1868 } 264

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of Oct.r 1869 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	11	18			11	18
No. II.	5	6			5	6
No. III.						
TOTAL,	16	24			16	24

Comparative No. last year, } 18. 24

Cost, £ 1 : 9 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the 30th day of Oct.r 1869.

PRESENT: *In the Chair.* Col. Jnº N. Colthurst

afterwards Solomon A Richards Esq DL DVL

Other Guardians: Messrs.

Wybrants. N. Burkitt. Brinnon.

Foley. Dunn. M Daniel. Butler.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed. ✓

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No._____ to No._____, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No._____ to No._____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 £ 39 0 s. 2 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, - -	—	—	—
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -	40.	0.	2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, - -			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -	—	2.	7 3/4
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - -	—	2	10
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -	—	4.	0½

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:

520	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
290½	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
42	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
224	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
77	lbs. Mutton,	2 bags	~~cwt.~~ Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,		cwt. Indian Meal,
	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,	1	cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 30th day of Oct. 1869. whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - -	2.	2.	0
In Kind, - - - - - - -	—	—	—
Total, . .	£ 2.	2.	0

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
				a Porter	1	—	—

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

J Rushton	15	0	0
Petty Cash Account.	1	4	4

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.			

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

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

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

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

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

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

No 27,023. 29th Oct: 1869.
Encloses queries to be answered by the Clerk and Mr Rice who has been elected to fill the situation of Master of the Workhouse.

Thomas Lamenie was granted the clothes of his brother Applicant having repaid to the Board the Burial Expenses.

The following guardians having consented to act as a committee to take stock of all property of the paupers given in charge to the new Master an appointed by the Board to represent them for that purpose — Col. Grace, Messrs. Foley. Dunne. Binions and Warren. The Clerk is to assist them in their work on Monday and Tuesday.

An application from a woman named Mary Kirwan was postponed till next Board day in consequence of the new Master not having yet entered on his duties.

A Circular from Kantark Union on the subject of introducing into the contemplated Land bill a clause to provide cottage dwellings for the Labouring class was ordered to be considered

next board day.

The Clerks Report

30th Oct. 1869. The Clerk begs to state that the sum always awarded him for the discharge of his duties under the "Parliamentary Voters act" was £15 and that this is much less than the amount granted for similar duties in other Unions. He trusts the Guardians will kindly grant the usual amount

Granted £15. Commissioners sanction requested.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - -

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

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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 6th day of Nov. 1869

(Signed) Thos Trisham

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. } —(*Special.*)
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 30th day of Oct. 1869,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount £*

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *18* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Dr. Allen reports no disease
Dr. Bestall reports the same
Dr. Weldon reports the same
Dr. Metge reports 2 cases of fever, and one of throat disease.

Carstown

(*Signed*) Thos Frisham
Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of October 1869

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date
Workhouse,	926	279
Temporary Buildings,	"	"
Additional Workhouse,	"	"
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	13
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	952	292

	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
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	21	60	46	49	12	14	40	16	29	287
Admitted during the Week,	6	4	2	4	1	"	1	"	1	16
Born,										
TOTAL,	27	64	48	50	13	14	41	16	30	303
Discharged during the Week,	6	2	0	2	"	"	"	1	"	11
Died,	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total Discharged and Dead,	6	2	"	2	"	"	"	1	"	11
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	21	62	48	48	13	14	41	15	30	292

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	85	In separate Wards,	10
In Fever Hospital,	13	In Wards with other Inmates,	"
Total,	98	Total,	10

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
4	0	0	4

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1869 259

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of October 1869 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	11	18			11	18
No. II.	5	6			5	6
No. III.						
TOTAL,	16	24			16	24

Comparative No. last year,

Cost, £ 1 : 9 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of *Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the* Sixth *day of* November 1869

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

The Right Honble the Earl of Courtown.

Other Guardians: Messrs.

Atkins, Bimson, Donovan J.P. Dowse
L. Doyle, J. Doyle, Dunne, Foley, Glascott J.P.
Col Guise J.P. Horan, Kenny, McDaniel, Morris,
Murphy, O'Grady J.P. Owen M.D. Poole,
Poynden J.P. Rowe, Warren & Wyleraut J.P.
L. Doyle & Kinsella

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 601 to No. 619, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1, to No. 4, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

Not produced

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 Poelief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Poeceipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Neceſsaries received during the week was £ 38 0s. 6 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, - -			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -	34.	4.	0
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, - -			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -		2.	7¾
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - -		2.	10½
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - -		4.	1

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

2029	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
284	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
39	do. Buttermilk,	14	lbs. Blue,
234	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
14	lbs. Mutton,	2 Sack,	~~cwt.~~ Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,	1 Sack	~~cwt.~~ Indian Meal,
	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,	1 Chest	~~lbs.~~ Tea,
	do. Porter,	6 Cwt	~~lbs.~~ Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 Poelief Lists and Weekly Poeceipt and Expenditure Books of the several Poelieving 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 Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 30 day of Oct 69 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - - -	2.	2.	0
In Kind, - - - - - - - -			
Total, - -	£ 2.	2.	0

Credit each Poelieving Officer as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.		Nil		
No. III.				
Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Nil			

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
			Nil			

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.

Eatern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

Number of successful cases,

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

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

6th Nov. 1869.

The Master begs to report that in accordance with the Order of the Board, he prosecuted Six persons for vagrancy Viz:- George Smyth, imprisoned for one week, Michael Corbet one week also William and James Mansfield imprisoned for 2 weeks. The two last named had been prosecuted for a like Offence, and destroying the House Clothes. The case not being proved against Michael Quinn and Margaret Lacy, the Justices discharged them with a caution.

He also reports that an Inmate named Margaret Reid having become dangerously insane, she having broken several pane of Glass in the Idiot ward of the Infirmary, and shewn other symptoms of danger to herself and the nurses, he (accompanied by the Matron) went immediately and had her put under gentle restraint, pending the attendance of the Medical Officer who directed that (with the concurrence of Mr. Foley) he should have her (Reid) taken to the Asylum, which has been done; considering it necessary he took a female pauper nurse with him. He respectfully hopes that what he has done in this case will meet the sanction and approval of the Board.

Sanctioned.

He also reports that there are four women in the House with Illegitimate children, that he intends to prosecute the putative fathers at the ensuing Quarter Sessions, for the maintenance of these persons. The Master also reports that the potatoes on the farm will not last more than the ensuing week.

Ordered — The attention of the Medical Officer called to this.

He would respectfully ask the Board to have some alteration of the apartments of the Schoolmistress, which is in such a state as to endanger her health — Referred to the Labour Committee —

The Master will be thankful by the Board granting him the following Articles - A limited tea and Dinner Service of ware, and some knives, forks and spoons. Ordered — Master is authorized to purchase sufficient Breakfast and Dinner ware &c. —

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

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

No. 27580 — 5th. November 1869.

Sanctions the appointment of Mr. Rice to the Office of Master of the Workhouse at a Salary of £50 a year and Rations.

No. 27677 — 5th. Nov. 1869.

Has reference to the recent Investigation and after fully reviewing all the circumstances connected with the Charge brought by the late Master against the Clerk the Commissioners state that they are of opinion that no ground for such a charge has been established.

In regard to the charges brought by the Clerk against the late Master, the Commissioners believe that there is good reason for believing that the straw which he (Mr. Newsome) stated to Messrs. Keegan, Butler and Dowling, had been supplied by him, was never delivered and the Commissioners accordingly recommend the Solicitor to be consulted, with the view of ascertaining what parties can be prosecuted.

The Commissioners also state that as some other similar cases have come under their notice through their Inspector Mr. Robinson, will if the Guardians think fit re-open the inquiry.

Ordered, that the

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be requested to re-open the Enquiry into the Charges against the late Master.

A Memorandum on the subject of Emigration was laid before the Board.

Mr. Dunne's Motion relative to the Land Question,—

"That Agriculture being the chief occupation of the great majority of the Population of this Kingdom, it is the duty of the Government and the Legislature to promote the full development of the Agricultural interests of the Country, and stimulate the industry of the population which never can be effectively done, until Fixity of Tenure be secured for all occupants of Agricultural Lands, at such fair and just Rents, and on such other terms as may be found necessary, to maintain the rights of property for the Landlords, and the rights of free industrial occupancy for the Tenants.

The following Amendment was then proposed by John C. Pounden Esq. and seconded by Geo. O'Grady Esq.—

That this Board has always followed the rule of not entering into Political matters — we considering that Mr. Dunne's Motion comes under that head, decline to entertain it.

On the Amendment being put the following voted in favor of it Viz. 14.

Messrs. Atkins, Bunn, Earl of Courtown, Donovan, Dowse, Foley, Glascott, Col. Guise, Horan, O'Grady Owen, Pounden, Warren and Wyberants.

Against 10 Viz—

Messrs. T. Doyle, C. Doyle, Dunne, Kinsella Kenny, M. Daniel, Morris, Murphy, Poole and Rowe.

The Amendment was then declared carried and the motion lost.

Ordered — That all provisional Orders by the Master to a Contractor, be included by the former in a Board Order the following Saturday.

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Monthly Tenders.

The tender of Mr. Thomas Mulligan to supply best white bread was accepted at 5½d. the 4lb. loaf.

The tender of Mr. Mulligan was also accepted for Oatmeal at 15/3 per cwt.

The tender of Mr. John M. Redmond to supply Indian meal at 15/9 per bag was accepted.

Margt. Kirwan and Anne Evans applied for children to be placed out with them at nurse.

Ordered – The Board have no child to place out at nurse.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - -

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 13 day of ~~October~~ Nov 1869.

(Signed) Thos Fusham

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the Sixth day of Nov. 1869,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

nil

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

nil

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount £*

nil

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

nil

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

A Requisition for Medicines for the Killenagh and Wely Dispensary was laid on the Table and signed by the Chairman.

Gorey Dispensary

6th. Nov. 1869.

At an ordinary Meeting of the Dispensary Committee held this day there were present—

J. H. Glascott and Saml. Binnon

The proceedings of the last Committee were read and confirmed.

The Medical Register from 802 to 885 was examined and signed.

Bills for Rents of Vaccination were produced and ordered to be paid.

The Medical Officer produced 46 cases of successful vaccination performed by him at one shilling per head and 6 cases not vaccinated by him @ 3 pence per head

Payment ordered

J. H. Glascott Chair

Dr. Metge reports eleven cases of throat disease.

Dr. Weldon has no disease to report.

Dr. Allen has no disease to report.

(Signed) Thos. Tushan

Clerk of the Union.

S. A. Richards Ch. Nov 13

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of November 1869.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date
Workhouse,	926	271
Temporary Buildings,	"	"
Additional Workhouse,	"	"
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	13
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	952	284

	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
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	21	62	48	48	13	14	41	15	30	292
Admitted during the Week,	9	2	1	1	"	"	1	"	1	15
Born,	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
TOTAL,	30	64	49	49	13	14	42	15	31	307
Discharged during the Week,	10	5	"	2	1	"	3	"	2	23
Died,	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total Discharged and Dead,	10	5	"	2	1	"	3	"	2	23
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	20	59	49	47	12	14	39	15	29	284

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	88	In separate Wards,	10
In Fever Hospital,	13	In Wards with other Inmates,	"
Total,	101	Total,	10.

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
5	2	1	8

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1868

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the Sixth day of November 1869 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	11	18			11	18
No. II.	5	6			5	6
No. III.						
TOTAL,	16	24			16	24

Comparative No. last year, —

Cost, £ 1 : 9 : 0.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the Thirteenth day of November 1869

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

W. M. Vesey Esq J.P.

afterwards S. A. Richards Esq J.P. D.L.

Other Guardians: Messrs.

Colonel Guise J.P. D.L. Percy Mayan J.P.

Foley, Bimmons, Murphy, Butler, Doran

and Cranwill.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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not signed

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No._____ to No._____, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No._____ to No._____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 Poelief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Poeceipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Neceſsaries received during the week was £ 38 " o. 6d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, - -			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -	39.	7.	0
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, - -			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -		2.	7¾
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - -		2.	10½
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - -		4.	1

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

2454	lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
294	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
59	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
238¾	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
66	lbs. Mutton,		cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,		cwt. Indian Meal,
	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,	7	lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 Poelief Lists and Weekly Poeceipt and Expenditure Books of the several Poelieving 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 Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 4th day of November 63 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	2.	2.	0
In Kind, - - - - - - - -			
Total, - -	£ 2.	2.	0

Credit each Poelieving Officer as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	S Palmer	6. .		
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,		6. .		

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

		£	s.	d.
	12 J Morris	4	7	6
	" Do	1	9	2
Nil	13 J Driscoll	2	15	"
	14 C Somerton	3	8	6.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
		15	Richd Stringer	4	14	6.
		16	S Clarke	2	10	3

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
			6	T. Mulligan	55	7	4
			7	J. Flusk.	36	12	6
			8	J McDonald	9	1	1
			9	M Lacy	9	0	7
			10	A Naughter	9	8	5
		Nil	11	T Brierton	7	16	"
			11	Do Do 10 6.8	2	10	8
			12	M Morris 13 16.3	12	16	"
			"	Do Do	1	0	3

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

				J Scott Summons	2	10	6
		Nil					
				Petty Cash Account.	5	4	0

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

		Nil		Sanitary Expenses.			

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

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

Number of successful cases,

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

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

13 November 1869.

The Master reports that Anne Redmond refuses to send her child to the Infirmary as directed by the Medical Officer, stating that her reason for doing so was — her child is not weaned, and the Doctor ordered it to be taken from her.

Ordered — To obey the Doctor's order, or take her discharge forthwith.

The Master requests that the Board will advertize for a supply of shoes which is much required viz:—

100 pair of womens
100 pair of Childrens
40 pair of Mens

Ordered — Shoes to be advertised for in the Gorey papers and hand bills.

The Master also requires one dozen wooden coal boxes which could be made by the Carpenter employed at present in the House.

Ordered — The Master to get them made by this Carpenter, providing Common deal for the purpose.

The Master respectfully requests that the Board will grant him to have the Carpenter (employed) to make a press to store the Stimulants.

Granted.

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

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

No. 27610. 5th Nov. 1869,
A circular on the subject of Vagrancy was read.

Mr. John M. Redmond Grey wrote a letter to the Chairman on the subject of the regulations, with regard to the supply of articles to the Workhouse,

A letter from the Editor "County Wexford Express" asking for the advertisements of this Union was read,
Ordered — The Contracts for advertisements are given on the 1st. Saturday in June, each year.

The following Order was made on an application from an Inmate named Eliza Malone —
Ordered — The Board will pay her expenses to Liverpool and promise her sufficient clothing on production of the Shipping Ticket,

An application from an Inmate named Margaret Sullivan was postponed till the Medical Officer shall report that there are any Children fit to send out.

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Johanna Magee an Inmate applied for clothes —
Ordered — The Master report on the
state of her clothing by next Board day.

Ordered — The Board direct the Clerk to draw out particulars of the ascertained defalcations of the late Master, and to write to their Solicitors to take immediate steps to make the Sureties pay them —
sending their addresses and the Bond.

The following Letter from Messrs Woodroofe and Hogan was read —

30 Upper Mount St. Dublin
9th November 1869.

Dear Sir,

We are in receipt of your letter of the 8th Inst. enclosing copy extract from the Commissioners letter to the Guardians of the Gorey Union, in reference to the recent Investigation into the late Master's Conduct also copy of the Boards Order requesting the Commissioners to open the enquiry, and as the case has not yet been closed, we think it would be premature to incur any expense in submitting the result of the late Investigation to Counsel until the further facts are ascertained, and we will therefore thank you when the enquiry is finally closed let us know the result, and the matter shall then have our immediate attention.

We think the Board will agree with us that it would not be treating Mr. Newsome's Sureties fairly if we were to proceed now for the matters referred to in the Commissioners' Letter, and subsequently institute fresh proceedings when the further defaults were ascertained We feel satisfied the Board do not want to put the Sureties to any expense that can be avoided & we have no desire to make costs of either party.

Your faithfully
Signed. Woodroofe & Hogan

Sh. Tristram
Clerk of Gorey Union

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

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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./

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 20th day of November 1869.

(Signed) [illegible]

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16 S Clarke 0.10.0
20 P M Cooke & Co 20.7.6

Nil

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

16 S Clarke 0.10.0
Nil 19 Dr Bestall 2.14.0

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount £*

16 S Clarke 0.10.0
Nil 18 Dr Metge 1.3.0
20 P M Cooke 10.1.0

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

16 S Clarke 0.10.0

Nil

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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stating that

Dr. Weldon reports no disease.

Dr. Metge reports 2 cases of fever and one of erysipelas.

Cantor
Chr.

(Signed) Thos Trishaw
Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of November 1869

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse,	926	273										
Temporary Buildings,	.											
Additional Workhouse,	.											
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	13										
Fever Sheds,	.											
TOTAL,	952	286										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			20	59	49	47	12	14	39	15	29	284
Admitted during the Week,			1	4	.	1	2	.	.	.	1	9
Born,												
TOTAL,			21	63	49	48	14	14	39	15	30	293
Discharged during the Week,			1	2	2	.	1	.	.	.	1	7
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	2	2	.	1	.	.	.	1	7
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			20	61	47	48	13	14	39	15	29	284

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	89	In separate Wards,	10
In Fever Hospital,	13	In Wards with other Inmates,	.
Total,	192	Total,	10

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
"	1	1	2

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1868 } 280,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13th day of Novr 1869 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Persons
No. I.	11	18			11	18
No. II.	6	5			5	6
No. III.	5	6				
TOTAL,	16	24			16	24

Comparative No. last year, }

Cost, £ 1 : 15 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the Twentieth day of November 1869

PRESENT: In the Chair. The Right Honble The Earl of Courtown

Other Guardians: Messrs. Solon A Richards Esq DrC. Col Gun J.P. C.B. Messrs. Butler; Murphy Poole Bowman McDaniel F Doyle and Foley

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ✓ to No. ✓, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. ✓ to No. ✓, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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The 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 the Guardians was £ : :

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 Poelief List~~ and Abstract.

2. ~~The Provision Check Accounts.~~

3. ~~The Provision Poeceipt and Consumption~~ Account.

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

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

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

1899	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
277	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
28½	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
227	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
84	lbs. Mutton,		cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,		cwt. Indian Meal,
12 lb.	~~gallons~~ Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
36	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 Poelief Lists and Weekly Poeceipt and Expenditure Books of the several Poelieving 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 Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,			
In Kind,			
Total,	£		

Credit each Poelieving Officer as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.	W Miller	5 . .		
No. III.				
Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
			24 W Byrne	6	10	0

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.

Eastern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

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

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

The Master reports that in consequence of the Milk Contractors (McDonald and Brierton) not sending a sufficient supply of milk (sweet) he had to substitute Tea Sugar & Butter on four Occasions during the present week.

He reports that he has had the Sworn information of 3 Women taken for the purpose of suing the Putative fathers of their illegitimate Children for Maintenance.

He reports that in compliance with the direction of the Visiting Committee he made Enquiry as to a press for storing the Stimulants &c. and a person named Duncan proposes to make a suitable One for £2.10 — Ordered to be procured.

The Master will be thankful for an order to have his room (which Visiting have seen) papered and painted — Ordered The Master to have the Work executed.

The Master respectfully suggests that the ground at rear of Fever Hospital be plonged up immediately. Ordered The Master to have the potatoe ground plonghed and the Stable dug by the Boys under the Superintendence of the Schoolmaster

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

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

No 178 m/69 Calling for the usual return of in and Out door relief = Furnished

No 173 - m/69. A Circular enclosing a form relating to the required returns of agricultural holdings

No 28240 17th Nov 1869 Informing the Guardians that they have instructed Mr Robinson to reopen the enquiry into Charges against the late Master

The following letters case & opinion of Counsel was read before the Board

30 Upper Mount Street
Dublin 18th Nov 1869

Dear Sir,

Not having received any reply from Mr Newsome's Sureties We have prepared Summons and plaint at the Guardians Suit against them and had same settled by Counsel who advises that it is very doubtful if any further proceedings can be taken against the Sureties in the event of further defalcations being proved on the reopened enquiry, in fact Counsel is of opinion that such cannot be done. We therefore have suspended issuing the Writ which we can do at an hours notice until you let us know if the Guardians are willing to waive their further rights under the circumstances. You can telegraph on Saturday if we are to proceed

Yrs faithfully
Woodroofe & Hogan

The Frestown Esq (Signed)

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The following Telegram was sent,

"We can prove loss over"
"Thirty six pounds - proceed for forty pounds if safe - if not safe"
"proceed for sum named before."

Another letter on the same subject was read -

The following is the Opinion of Counsel -

I have settled the summons and plaint in this matter according to my instructions but it is very doubtful if the Guardians can and I am of opinion that they cannot, if they now proceed against the Sureties of the late Master for the defalcations stated amounting to £26"3"5 and recover judgment against them on foot thereof afterward suggest further breaches in the event of any further defalcations appearing on the inquiry directed by the Commissioners. In my opinion the Guardians can successfully institute criminal proceedings against the several parties who assisted the late Master in perpetrating the frauds by indicting them under the 24 & 25 Vic; Cap: 96. for obtaining money under false pretences, Such proceedings must be instituted by informations sworn before a Magistrate, the Clerk of the Guardians may swear the information on their behalf - Before instituting proceedings the Guardians should consider what they will gain by doing so, it appears to me from the papers sent that the parties mentioned were the mere tools of the late Master and were persuaded by him that in acting as they did, they were committing no fraud, as the full amount of straw for which they signed would be delivered to the Union - they at all events derived no advantage from the transaction -

I cannot see what will be gained by prosecuting those parties, and it will involve the Union in heavy expense - This is a matter however entirely for the consideration of the Guardians, but I think it right to point their attention to it.

(Signed) John Geo. Gibbon
34 Lower Leeson St.
18th Nov. 1869.

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Henry Robinson Esq. P.L.G. gave notice that he will open the Investigation & charges against the late Master on Monday next.

Board to be summoned.

Tenders for supply of shoes as per advertisement

Mens Shoes	40 @ 5/7 a pair	—	Mr. Murphy
Womens Do.	100 at 4/6	"	Ry. Murphy
Childrens Do.	100 at 3/6	"	Mr. Byrne

The Commissioners are requested to sanction the payment of the sum of £2:17:0 to Mr. Goff Schoolmaster for posting the books of the late Master for three weeks at the same rate of Salary as the Master.

The "Provision Check" was produced containing notes of the result of the recent stock taking, all was found to be correct with the exception of the coal which is 16 tons deficient; the matter is in the hands of the Solicitors of the Board.

A female pauper named ~~Lopa~~ Magee was granted £1 worth of clothes

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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.)

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Labour Committee Report.

No other Member of the Labour Committee summoned to inspect the work done at the Gorey Dispensary having attended, I asked Mr. H. Butler to assist me. We found the work properly done according to specification and recommend payment be made accordingly - In addition to the specification the outer door case has been pieced. The slope of the area outside requires be increased, which Kerwin the husband of the caretaker undertook to show according to our directions -

Ordered - To be done by direction of the Master.

I inspected the fever hospital kitchen chimney and found a great improvement in the draft from removal of an obstruction in the flue and opening of communication with the adjoining flue which I suggested last Saturday.

Probably the replacing of the sheet of iron which was put to contract the open below will complete the cure.

Ordered - The Master to see to the replacing of the Sheet of Iron.

I also inspected the Schoolmistress's room and recommend that it be enlarged by removing the partition forming one of its walls to the lower partition dividing the ward, also that it be ceiled with boards to the height of the principals of the roof - The carpenter at present employed might do this with old boards in the house -

Ordered - Approved - to be done by the carpenter in the house.

There are bad cracks in the wall of the Masters bedroom on which I recommend that the Master take the opinion of Mr. Webster - Approved.

There is no carpet or rug in this room - a small piece of carpet or rug would be reasonable - cost about 5/- Ordered - (Courtown)

It would be most desirable to have the chimney stack over the Boardroom taken down and rebuilt. It looks most insecure. It should be

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done by a thorough bricklayer—

Ordered—Mr. Webster to make an estimate of this and the defective shaft over the Boardroom.

The boys washing place requires new pavement all the flags are broken and the troughs to be repaired.

Ordered—Mr. Webster also to make an estimate of this in hard brick tile and flag—

There is some defect in one of the valleys of the roof which the Master will get examined and report on;

(Signed) S. A. Richards.

J. A. S. Scott Ch

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 27th day of Novr. 1869

(Signed) Thos Fusham

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. } —(*Special.*)
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 20th day of Nov. 1869,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

Nil

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

Nil

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount £*

Nil

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

Nil

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from Nil *dated*
stating that

Dr. Weldon reports no disease.

Dr. Metge reports 2 cases of pulmonary disease

J A S Scott

(Signed) [signature]

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of Nov. 1869.

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
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse,	926	84										
Temporary Buildings,	"	"										
Additional Workhouse,	"	"										
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	9										
Fever Sheds,												
TOTAL,	952	96										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			20	61	47	48	13	14	39	15	29	286
Admitted during the Week,			1	4	2	"	1	"	1	1	1	11
Born,											1	1
TOTAL,			21	65	49	48	14	14	40	16	31	298
Discharged during the Week,			3	1	"	"	1	1	0	1	1	8
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	1	"	"	1	1	"	1	1	8
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			18	64	49	48	13	13	40	15	30	290

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
In Workhouse Hospital, 87	In separate Wards, 10
In Fever Hospital, 9	In Wards with other Inmates,
Total, 96	Total, 10

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
1		2	4.

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1868 } 292

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20th day of Nov. 1869 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	11	18			11	18
No. II.	5	6			5	6
No. III.						
TOTAL,	16	24			16	24

Comparative No. last year,

Cost, £ 1 : 15 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the Twentyseventh day of November 1869.

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

James Scott Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians: Messrs.

Warren and Foley.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 619 to No. 661, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. V to No. V, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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The 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, - - - £ 11 : 11 : 11

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 68 : 15 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account for the Guardians was £ 528 : 3 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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~~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 £ s. d.~~

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

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

2162 ~~1~~ lb: ~~Loaves~~ of Bread,	lbs. Dipt Candles,
279 gallons Sweetmilk,	stones Starch,
3½ do. Buttermilk,	lbs. Blue,
186 lbs. Beef,	cwt. Washing Soda,
72 lbs. Mutton,	cwt. Oatmeal,
Beeves' Heads,	cwt. Indian Meal,
gallons Whiskey,	cwt. Soap,
bottles Wine.	lbs. Tobacco,
do. Brandy,	lbs. Tea,
do. Porter,	lbs. Sugar,
tons Coals,	cwt. Flour,
cwts. Salt,	lbs. Pepper,
lbs. Mould Candles,	lbs. Arrowroot,

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 20th day of Nov'r 69 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - -			
In Kind, - - - - - - -	2	2	0
Total, - - £	2	2	0

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	J Palmer	5 —		
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

£	s.	d.

Nil

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.

T. Goff.

£	s.	d.
2	17	0

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
			Nil			

Registration Expenses

			Nil

Elections, Laws, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.

Extern Hospitals Account.

			Nil

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

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

Nil

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

27th Nov. 1869.

The Master reports that in compliance with the order of the Board he got Dr Webster to inspect the Chimney shaft over the Boardroom and boys sleeping room. and that Dr Webster considers them in a very dangerous state. Dr Webster inspected the crack in the Master's Bed room but is not at present able to give a decided opinion; He marked the crack to see if it will extend. Dr Webster and the Master found on examination that there are three bad cracks in the head on the roof over the right wing of the Main Building which should be up and immediately.

Medical Officers Report

With the concurrence of the Auditor a new diet has been drawn up better adapted to the new weekly Returns which the Medical Officer hopes may obtain the sanction of the Board. It embraces the old dietary and most of the extras now in use bringing it to the notice of the Board the Medical Officer would also bring to their notice the fact that the Auditor strongly disapproves of the extra duty tea and sugar & extra uncooked meat being issued to the patients for optional & irregular use in the wards. & carry out his suggestion that these extras should be issued prepared and cooked at fixed times and on a regular scale. a responsible Cook is absolutely required for the Nurse cannot be expected to spend her whole time in the Kitchen, as this would involve serious detriment to the patients under her care.

Nov. 26th 1869

Ordered, this report be considered this day fortnight when the Board will be summoned for other business

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

Medical Officers Report (Continued)

The Medical Officer reports that the Matron is ill and likely to be so for at least a week.

Nov. 27th 1869

Mary Cannavan an urgent case for the County Asylum should be sent at once

Nov. 27th 1869

Ordered.

Forms filled up.

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

No. 29. 541 - 26th Nov. 1869.

Sanctions the payment of £2.17.0 to Mr. Soff Schoolmaster for posting the books of the late Master.

No. 27. 143. 24th Nov. 1869.

Sanctions the payment of £2.2. to Dr. Barkey for a consultation fee

No. 176 - M/69.

Requires a return of Expenditure of Union for past year.

One return furnished.

A Circular from the O'Connor Don was read, with which were enclosed a statistical statement showing the great increase attendant on the Annual Revision of the Tenement Valuation and the Management of the General Valuation Office, and a copy of a Petition to Parliament having for its object the reduction of the expenses complained of

Ordered -

That this petition be considered this day fortnight when the Board will be summoned for other Official business.

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Notice of Motion

"I will on this day fortnight move that a
" paid stock taker be appointed for this
" Union —
"I will also propose that
"the rates passed by the Board but not
"signed be reconsidered, with a view to
"their reduction,

(signed) James S. Scott

A Thom's Directory to be ordered by the Clerk.

Tenders.

Tenders, Mr Webster's tender as per Specification was accepted for the following:—

viz. To take down and rebuild Chimney shaft over Board Room as per Specification for
£2.10.0 £2.10.0

To take down and rebuild Chimney shaft over Boys' Schoolroom in same manner
£1.2.6 £1.2.6

To stop three leaks in lead gutter on roof
12/6 as per Specification £0.12.6

To flooring with best pressed bricks (as per
15/0 Specification) Boys' Wash house £0.15.0

Labour Committee Report.

I beg to recommend that Messrs Shekkleton of Dundalk be written to requesting them to send one of their men to examine the weighing machine put up by them with a view to its being put into good repair.

Ordered.

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Auditor's Report

The Sum of £2.1.0 paid to Michl Alford of Tara Hill (Countown Electoral Division) during the half year ended 29th Sep. 1869, as out door relief under the 1st. Sec. of Vic: Cap 31, is not a legal charge upon the rate payers of the Grey Union, Michael Alford having been in occupation of more than a quarter of an acre of land at the time the relief was afforded to him (for particulars of this case see Certificate of disallowance dated the 15th July last.

In the exercise of the powers conferred upon me by the Irish Poor Relief Acts I hereby disallow the said sum of £2.1.0 as being relief afforded in a manner at variance with the express provisions of the Statute, and I hereby debit it in the undermentioned proportions to the Guardians by whom it was authorized namely.

Robert F. Morris the sum of Sixteen Shillings
William M Vesey the sum of four Shillings
James L Scott the sum of twelve Shillings
Robert S Doyne the sum of nine Shillings.

And I hereby require the above mentioned gentlemen to pay to the credit of the Union the sums set opposite their names respectively under penalty of proceedings for the recovery thereof with costs.

Dated 25th Novr. 1869.

(Signed) Wm McDermott
Auditor.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -
Ditto, disallowed - - - - - - -
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

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

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

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.)

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Auditor's Report (Continued)

The Clerk of the Union has called my attention to several cases in which payments have been procured for Straw certified by the late Master as having been delivered at the Workhouse, but which it now appears was not in fact so delivered - the money so obtained having it is alleged been handed by the party who received the payment to the late Master, who fraudulently appropriated it to his own use - I understand that the Guardians have instructed their Solicitors to institute proceedings against the Sureties of the late Master for the recovery of the loss sustained by his misconduct and against the other agents in the transactions referred to, and pending the result I do not deem it advisable to take any action in the matter.

I think it right to point out that the fraudulent proceedings of the late Master so far as they have come to light have been confined to the only account in which the late Master was allowed to procure supplies on his own order and it is to be hoped that the result of the departure in this case from the Commissioners Regulations will lead to a strict observance in future of the Regulation which requires that all provisions stores, repairs, and other requisite shall be procured by an order of the Chairman presiding and Countersigned by the Clerk.

With regard to the supplies of Straw I would suggest that the Guardians should in future require the Straw purchased to be weighed at the Town weighing Machine, and the usual ticket obtained, which ticket should be handed to the Porter, who will have an opportunity of judging whether the quantity specified therein has been delivered, and afterwards passed to the Clerk who will thus have in his hands the means of checking the Straw Bills

I signed,

William McDermott

Auditor

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Auditor's Report (Continued)

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Ordered,

The Guardians propose having their own weighing Machine put in order, and do not approve of the Auditor's suggestion.

Farm a/c Book

There does not appear to be any proper check exercised in regard to the sales of Farm produce by the Master.

I would suggest that a block order book be procured with counterpart ticket, the block and counterpart to be filled up by the Master in the case of each sale with the particulars of the Article or Articles sold and price thereof, whether of farm produce or other article disposed of — the Counterpart to be detached and handed to the purchaser with directions to pass it to the Porter, who should be instructed to file all such tickets and in no case to allow any article out of the Workhouse until such ticket be produced. the tickets so filed by the Porter should be handed over to the Clerk periodically, who will thus have in his hands the means of checking the sales made by the Master.

signed Wm McDermott
Auditor
25th Nov 1869.

Approved: Clerk to order an order book for the purpose immediately — & to explain to the Porter his duties about these orders.

Note made in Mr Palmers Application and Report Book (Relieving Officers)

Case 628.

The form in which the relief was given in this case is not reconcilable with the provisions of the Statute — John Keegan was an able bodied man

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 4th day of Decr 1869

(Signed) Thos Fristram

Clerk of the Union.

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and it appears that relief was ordered to him under the 1st Sec: Vic: Cap: 31 on the ground that his wife and two children were ill of fever and that he himself had to lease his own employment in consequence of their illness. I pointed out on a former occasion that unless the case of the husband or head of a family (that is the person declared by the Irish Poor Relief acts to be liable to maintain such family) falls within one of the three Classes specified in the 1st Sec: 10th Vic: Cap: 31 - the guardians have no power to order relief in money under that section. If the wife or child of an able bodied man is ill, and the case of the person suffering from illness is of sudden and urgent necessity, the Relieving Officer can exercise his provisional powers under the 7th Sec: Vic: Cap 31, and provide such aid and nourishment as may be necessary, in the shape of food, lodging medicine or Medical attendance, and he can continue to afford such relief from week to week so long as the case continues to be an urgent one, but the guardians have no power to order relief in money under the 1st Sec: unless as before stated the case of the head of the family falls within one or other of the Classes of cases specified in that section.

Wm McDermott
24th Nov: 1869

J A S S Scott

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. [No. 27.] —(*Special.*)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 24th day of Nov 186 9,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metje for : *Amount £*

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th Decem..ber, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 186 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 18

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Dr. Metz reports one case of Pulmonary Disease

Doctor Weldon reports three cases of fever two in Redwell Lane and one in Main Street. Grey. He also complained of some houses and lanes in and adjoining the redwell Lane Grey.

Ordered, The Clerk to write to the Town Commissioners requesting them to attend to this matter immediately

Dr. Allen reports one case of fever

Doctor Bestall reports no Disease

J. A. S. Scott
Ch

(Signed) Thos Fitzhaue
Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of Decr. 1869.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse,	926	293										
Temporary Buildings,	"	"										
Additional Workhouse,	"	"										
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	11										
Fever Sheds,	"											
TOTAL,	952	304										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			18	64	49	48	13	13	40	15	30	290
Admitted during the Week,			6	3	3	1	1	2	2	1	"	19
Born,											2	2
TOTAL,			26	67	52	49	14	15	42	16	32	321
Discharged during the Week,			3	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	7
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	7
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			21	65	52	49	14	15	42	16	30	304

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
In Workhouse Hospital, 97	In separate Wards, 1
In Fever Hospital, 11	In Wards with other Inmates, —
Total, 108	Total, 1

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
4	"	"	4

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1868 } 302

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of Decr 1869 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Persons
No. I.	11	18			11	18
No. II.	5	6			5	6
No. III.						
TOTAL,	16	24			16	24

Comparative No. last year, } 19. 23

Cost, £ 2 : 1 : 0

COPY *of* MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the* Fourth *day of* December 1869.

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

James Scott Esq. JP.

Other Guardians: Messrs. Col: Guise JP. & P. Magan Esq. JP.

Messrs Binnions Cranwell. Morris

Poole Foley & Butler.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 661 to No. 687, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. — to No. —, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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The 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 the Guardians was £ : :

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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

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

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

2050	lbs. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
276	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
49	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
252½	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
93	lbs. Mutton,	2	Sacks cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,		cwt. Indian Meal,
	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 27 day of Dec 1862 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	2	5	0
In Kind,			
Total,	£2	5	0

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	N L,			
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
C Sommerton,	2	4	0
J Discoll,	2	"	"

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
			27 R Stringer	4	11	0
			28 J Duncan	2	10	0

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account. 3 10 0

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

28 J. Duncan " 6 6

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

Number of successful cases,

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

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

4th Decr 1869.

The Master reports that Mr Webster has repaired the Crack in the lead of the roof over the right wing of the Workhouse.

The Master reports that the milk Contractors, Brierton and McDonald have not given a sufficient supply of sweetmilk, and that he had to return their milk as not being equal to sample during last week on two occasions.

The Master reports that the Matron is still unable to attend to her duties.

Ordered – Brierton and McDonald to be fined £1 each, and the extra cost of the provisions provided to the paupers in lieu of the milk they ought to have supplied.

The Medical Officer's Report

The Matron requires a fortnight's leave of absence for the benefit of her health

(Signed) R Boxwell

Granted: the Infirmary Nurse to take her duties.

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

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

No. 30,366 3rd Dec 1869.
States that the Commissioners are in communication with the Board of Guardians of the Bromsgrove Union on the subject of the alleged compulsory discharge of a woman named Oaks from that Workhouse.

No. 182. M/69. 2nd Dec 1869.
Requires a return of Rates.

No. 28212. 29th Nov 1869. Requests to be informed of the reason for omitting all reference to the case of Mr Middleton receiving a superannuation allowance in the annual return of Honorary Officers for 1869.
Mr. Middleton is dead.

No. 29,625 3rd Dec 1869.
With reference to the recent investigation the Commissioners decide that Staffed at the time participated in the offence of which he is charged, the latter now however offers to refund the money so obtained, and it is a question for the Guardians consideration whether they should not take

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it from him in place of suing Mr. Newsome's sureties for the amount, as also whether proceedings should not be taken against Stafford for the part he took in this very discreditable proceeding.

Ordered — The Clerk to send up all claims against the Sureties of the late Master Mr. Newsome merely excluding £4.10 paid to Stafford who engaged to refund the money.
The Board to be summoned for this day week to consider the above report.

A letter from Messrs Woodroofe and Hogan having reference to the case against Mr. Newsome and his sureties was read.

Ordered that the Clerk bill Mr. Whitmore for his father's maintenance.

A letter was read from John Patchel, Ballycarrow, in which he stated that a girl named Mary Magee whom he took out of the Union has eloped from him taking with her the clothes granted by the Board.

A letter was read from the Clerk of the Town Commissioners stating that the matters complained of relative to the sanitary state of the Town of Gorey have been attended to, and the Inspector has been most vigilant in carrying out the provisions of the act for the removal of Nuisance and prevention of disease

Tenders Accepted,

Mr. Thos. Mulligan, Bread, one month, as p sample at 5¼d per 4 lb loaf.

Mr. Mulligan, Oatmeal Do at 15/3 per cwt.

Mr. J. M. Redmond Indiameal Do at 15/9 per Bag.

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Clerk's Report.

Dec 4. 1869.

Clerk reports that he called on Messrs A. Murphy. D. Murphy and W. Byrne, whose tenders for supplying the Workhouse with shoes were accepted on Saturday week last, to enter into a bond with the Guardians, but the two latter declined to enter into any engagement to supply their quantity of shoes sooner than the third week in January next

Ordered – the time named to be accepted.

Clerk has taken notes of the Corroborative evidence available in regard to the recent information sworn by the Mothers of illegitimate children in the Workhouse, and is of opinion that not one single case could be taken up with any prospect of success; the affidavits &c. are all against Farm Labourers who have neither money or character to lose in the event of a successful prosecution in any of the cases.

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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.)

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(Signed) Thomas Tristram

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 4th day of Dec 186 7 *continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount £*

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

Mr. James Palmer, reports the Nurse Children in his district to be in good health and properly attended to.

The four Medical Officers report no Contagious diseases in their respective districts.

W. McKesey. Ch.

(Signed) Wm. Trishaw

Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of Decr 1869.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse,	926	295										
Temporary Buildings,	"	"										
Additional Workhouse,	"	"										
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	10										
Fever Sheds,	"											
TOTAL,	952	305										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			21	65	52	49	14	15	42	16	30	304
Admitted during the Week,			8	8	1	2	"	2	2	1	1	25
Born,												
TOTAL,			29	73	53	51	14	17	44	17	31	329
Discharged during the Week,			10	5	1	"	"	3	3	1	"	23
Died,				1								1
Total Discharged and Dead,			10	6	1	"	"	3	3	1		24
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			19	67	52	51	14	14	41	16	31	305

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	95	In separate Wards,	1
In Fever Hospital,	10	In Wards with other Inmates,	"
Total,	105	Total,	1

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
7	3	3	13

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1868 } 308.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4th day of Decr 1869 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 — Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Persons
No. I.	11	18			11	18
No. II.	5	6			5	6
No. III.						
TOTAL,	16	24			16	24

Comparative No. last year, }

Cost, £ : :

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the eleventh day of Decr 1869.

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

W. U. Vesey Esq. JP.

afterwards — The Right Hon The Earl of Courtown

Other Guardians: Messrs. —

J. S. Scott JP. Magan JP. S. A. Richards JP.

C. Clybrants JP. Geo O'Grady JP. Owen M.D. P. R. Rowe,

P. Roe, R. F. Borbidge, W. H. Burkitt, Atkins, Morris.

Murphy Butler, Dowse, Cranwill, Heran, Kenny, Bolton, Poole

Foley, McDaniel, J. Doyle, T. Doyle, L. Doyle, & Kinsella,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ✓ to No. ✓, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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The 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 the Guardians was £ : :

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL.	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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

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

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

572	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
283½	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
39	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
257½	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
51	lbs. Mutton,		cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,		cwt. Indian Meal,
	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,	20	lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 4th day of Dec. 69 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	2	15	0
In Kind, - - - - - - - -			
Total, - -	£2	15	0

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Nil			
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

		£	s.	d.
38	G Morris	13	4	3
29	C Somerton ∴	2	4	0
30	I Darnell ∴	2	0	0

∴ These items appear to be entered also at Folio 92. See minutes of 4 December 1869

Wm Darnell
4 July 1870

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
			39 W Bass	3	4	0
			40 S Clarke	1	9	0
			41 I Dowdale	2	2	"
			43 J Kempson	4	18	11

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

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Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
32	T Mulligan	52	8	10				
33	J Flick	29	5	7				
34	A Naughter	8	19	8				
35	J McDaniel	7	3	7				
36	M Lacy	8	16	6				
37	F Brierton	6	19	0				
30	do.	2	5	6				
38	J M Morris	23	3	9				
43	J Kempson	..	9	-				

Registration Expenses

J Bestall	2	10	6				

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.	3	9	10

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

Number of successful cases,

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

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

11th Dec 1869

The Master reports that the Medical Officer requires a desk in the dispensary for the purpose of writing on, the books being too large for the table

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

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

No. 30,864, 10th Decr. 1869, States that as the Shoe Contractors will not undertake to furnish the Shoes before the third week in January, they (the Commissioners) presume that any shoes that may be urgently required be at once procured by the Guardians.
Ordered – Board Law two of the Contractors who promise to furnish as many as they can with the least possible delay.

No 30.198. 4th Decr 1869
Requests to be informed if the sum of £2.1.0 disallowed by the Auditor has yet been lodged with the Treasurer,
No: Clerk to furnish the accounts.

A Circular from the General Valuation Office was read acknowledging the receipt of lists of Tenements from the Grey Union requiring revision

The Commissioners are requested to give advice to the Board of Guardians in the following case.
Relief was granted by way of Loan to Mr. Whitmore on Sep. 3rd 1868, He has remained in the Workhouse Infirmary from that date until the present – The condition of the relief has been

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overlooked by the Clerk and Auditor until lately, when the amount incurred, £8.12.10 was demanded from Whitmore's son, whose means are such, that while he might have ~~been~~ paid the cost of his father's relief if it had been demanded at intervals, as it became due, ~~does~~ they do not admit of his paying the total amount now due. The Board wish to know if they should insist on the payment of this sum which has become difficult of recovery through the neglect of their officers.

The following letter was read from a Milk Contractor; —

Colet Hall, Gorey.
11th Dec 1869

To the Gorey Board of Guardians.

Gentlemen, I beg most respectfully to acquaint you that the Master sent home the milk which I sent last Sunday morning my wife took it the same evening to be examined by Doctor Boswell, who did not then do so, but promised her to be at the Workhouse the following Monday morning. The milk which the Master returned on Sunday was taken on the following morning, to which the Master stated no objection, but that it was cold and refused to take it until my wife told him she would go for the Doctor. He then said I will take it as cold milk. On the previous week he also returned part of the milk although there was no difference between it and what he kept, under these circumstances I hope the Board will be so kind as to take the matter into their kind and just consideration, and not suffer me to be at a loss by being charged for any substitute the Master may have thought proper to get.

I have the honor &c &c

James McDonald

(Signed)

Ordered — The Master states that he refused McDonald's milk on Sunday morning because it was offered as "Warm milk" whereas it was cold, and that he received it on Monday morning as cold milk, Mrs McDonald stating that it was the same milk but that she had added some to it. The Board is satisfied

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with the Master's Explanation.

A letter from Messrs. Woodroofe and Hogan on the subject of the late Masters defalcations was read,

Motion's Considered,

The notice of Motion by Jas. S. Scott Esq viz:- that a paid stocktaker be appointed by the Board, was considered.

It was proposed by Mr. Scott J.P. and Seconded by Mr. Richards J.P. - that a paid Stock Taker be appointed at a salary of £10 a year,

On a poll being taken the following gentlemen voted in favour of it - viz:-

Messrs. Atkins. Binnions. Earl of Courtown. Cranwill. J. Doyle. L. Doyle. Dunne. Foley. Kinsella. Kenny. Morris. Dr. Owen Poole. Richards J.P. Roe. Scott J.P. and Vesey J.P.

(17)

Against 12. viz - Messrs. Bolton. Borbidge Brinkitt. Butler. Dowse. F. Doyle. Havans McDonald. Murphy. O'grady J.P. Rowe. & Wybrants.

The motion was declared carried and the Clerk was directed to advertise in the usual papers for a Stock Taker, Mr Richards and Mr Scott to draw up a Statement of his duties.

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - -

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

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The Dietary Scale,

The Revision in the present Scale of Dietary for the Sick recommended by the Auditor was considered by the Board and unanimously rejected, not considering it necessary to employ a book for the Infirmary.

The Notice of motion also given by Mr Scott Jr. "that the rates passed by the Board but not signed be reconsidered with a view to their reduction" was considered.

It was moved by Mr Scott and seconded by Mr Dunne that the rates as passed by the Board on August the 17th 1869 be reduced 2 in the £1 in 9 divisions

1st Amendment, moved by Mr Burbidge
seconded by Mr Rowe } — that the rates as proposed be reduced by one half.

2nd Amendment, proposed by Mr Dowse and
seconded by Mr Wyhants } —
That the Rate as proposed be reduced by one fourth

The last amendment was put first, and on a poll being taken the following voted for —
Messrs. Atkins Binnions. Bolton. Brickitt, Butler Earl of Courtown, Cranwill Dowse, J Doyle, L Doyle Dunne, Horan McDaniel. Murphy. Ogrady, Owen Poole Scott, Vesey and Wyhants,
Against Messrs Burbidge Foley, Kinsella Kenny. Morris. P. Roe. P. Rowe, The second amendment was declared carried and the first amendment and the original motion were lost —
Ordered, that the Board be summoned for Friday Xmas Eve to sign the rate now agreed on by the Board — The Collectors' books to be ready and signed in a fortnight afterwards.

The Board was also summoned to take into consideration the advisability of instituting criminal proceedings against the persons who assisted the late Master Mr Newsome, in the fraudulent transactions brought to light,

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Resolved, that Messrs Woodroofe and Hogan be informed that the Board wishes to take Criminal proceedings against all who would appear by the evidence taken before the Inspector to be implicated in the fraudulent transactions of the late Master, and that they be requested to examine into each case and report to the Board thereon. The Clerk to furnish Messrs Woodroofe and Hogan with all documents necessary for their information.

Carried.

Ordered that hand bills be circulated calling on all having claims on the Board to send them in before the 24th Inst. after which date the Board will not hold themselves liable for any such demands.

The application of Bridget Nolan for money to redeem her clothes was refused.

Ordered — the Board to be summoned to consider the O'Connor Davis proposal ~~and~~ Petition to Parliament, on the 24th Inst.

Rate Adopted.

Ardamine 3d. Ballaughter 4d Ballycarrow 1/3d Ballyellis 10d

Ballyleg 7d Ballygarrett 9d Ballylarkin 9d Ballinestraw 1/3d

Cahore 10d Carlgraney 1/1d Courtown 10d Ford 4d

Gorey 1/6d Huntingtown 7d Kilcomb 6d Kilgorman 9d Killinaugh 10d

Kilkinsley 6d Kilnahue 1/9d Limerick 10d Monamolin 1/4d Monasead 7d

Rossmorgan 6d Wells 7d Wingfield 1/4d

Cantoch

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 18th day of Decr 1869

(Signed) Thos Fraham

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 11th day of Dec 1869,—*continued.*

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

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Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

42 P. M. Cockett 24-6-1

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount £*

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

~~Read Letter from _____ dated _____~~
~~stating that~~

Doctor Metzo reports two cases of fever.
Doctor Allen reports one case of fever.
Doctor Bestall reports no Disease

Caution

(Signed) Thos Fraham
Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of Dec., 1869.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse,	926	309										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	10										
Fever Sheds,												
TOTAL,	952	319										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			19	67	52	51	14	14	41	16	31	305
Admitted during the Week,			7	11	1	1	3	2	3	2	2	32
Born,											1	1
TOTAL,			26	78	53	52	17	16	44	18	34	338
Discharged during the Week,			4	6	"	"	2	1	2	"	2	17
Died,				1							1	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	7	"	"	2	1	2	"	3	19
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			22	71	53	52	15	15	42	18	31	319

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
In Workhouse Hospital, 90	In separate Wards, 1
In Fever Hospital, 10	In Wards with other Inmates, "
Total, 100	Total, 1

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
4	2	6	12

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1868 — 319.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of December 1869 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Persons
No. I.	11	18			11	18
No. II.	5	6			5	6
No. III.						
TOTAL,	16	24			16	24

Comparative No. last year,

Cost, £2 : 4 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the Eighteenth day of Dec 1869

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

The Right Hon. The Earl of Courtown

Other Guardians: Messrs.

Jas. Scott, P. S. A. Richards, M. P. Doyle, Owen, W. D. Warren, Binions, Foley, Poole and Murphy.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 687 to No. 738, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. ——— to No. ———, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 Poelief List and Abstract.*
2. *The Provision Check Accounts.*
3. *The Provision Poeceipt and Consumption Account.*

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

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

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

569¾ 4 lb. Loaves of Bread,	2 boxes ~~lbs.~~ Dipt Candles,
30½ gallons Sweetmilk,	stones Starch,
38 do. Buttermilk,	lbs. Blue,
27½ ~~lbs.~~ Beef,	cwt. Washing Soda,
81 lbs. Mutton,	2 bags ~~cwt.~~ Oatmeal,
Beeves' Heads,	cwt. Indian Meal,
gallons Whiskey,	cwt. Soap,
36 bottles Wine.	lbs. Tobacco,
do. Brandy,	1 Chest ~~lbs.~~ Tea,
do. Porter,	4 cwt ~~lbs.~~ Sugar,
tons Coals,	1 Sack ~~cwt.~~ Flour,
cwts. Salt,	lbs. Pepper,
2 boxes ~~lbs.~~ Mould Candles,	lbs. Arrowroot,

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 Poelief Lists and Weekly Poeceipt and Expenditure Books of the several Poelieving 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 Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 11 day of Dec whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	2	2	0
In Kind,			
Total,	£2	2	0

Credit each Poelieving Officer as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	J. Palmer	10		
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,	£	10		

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
4 y J. Murphy 40 pair shoes at 5/7	11	3	4

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

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

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

18th Dec 1869

The Master reports that he was obliged to bring a pauper named John Ryan before the Magistrates at Petty Sessions on yesterday for positively refusing to do any kind of work and blaspheming in presence of other inmates in the Dining Hall. The Magistrates cautioned him that should he be brought again before them they would deal severely with him.

The Master requests the Board will kindly allow the usual breakfast and dinner for the inmates on Christmas day next — Ordered.

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

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

N°. 188. 30/69. Refers to the Agricultural returns now in course of preparation

N° 30, 198. Sanctions the acceptance of Mr Webster tender.

N°. 31. 531. 14th Dec 1869. Has reference to the Relief by way of loan granted to Whitmore, and states that the Guardians can recover the whole or part of the amount due

Ordered that Nathaniel Whitmore be not asked to pay the arrears of the cost of relief given to his father, but that he pay 2/- a week towards his future maintenance in the Workhouse beginning from Dec 28th.

N°. 31. 2 upy. 15th Dec 1869.

Transmits a copy of the resolution of the Enniscorthy Board of Guardians in reply to a letter from this Board with reference to the alleged forcible discharge from the former Union of a pauper named Mary Oaks. The following is a copy of the resolution:—

" Ordered — that Mary Oaks having been directed
" to be prosecuted against under the Vagrant Act. as
" suggested in the Commissioners letter N°. 28, 628,
" and the Master having informed her he should bring

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" her before the Bench, she at once told him she would
" rather leave the House than be brought before the
" Magistrates, and accordingly demanded her discharge
" and left the House of her own accord, without being
" at all compelled by the Master.

Ordered that the signing of the Rate Books be postponed from the 24th Inst. to the 1st Saturday in January, the former date being within the legal limits from the date of the adoption of the new rate,

Moved by Mr Warren and seconded by Mr Murphy that the Inmates get the usual Xmas fare on that day.

A letter from Messrs Woodroofe and Hogan was read in reply to copies, from the Clerk, of the sworn evidence given by each of the Straw Contractors whose names are connected with Mr Newsome's fraudulent dealings in respect to that article, and the two Commissioners' letters, relative thereto, together with a copy of the resolution of the Board, at their last meeting, on the subject.

After considering the matter and receiving the opinion of Counsel Messrs W. & H., stated that if the matter rested with them they would say "do not prosecute" and thereby put the ratepayers to expense without a reasonable certainty of success.

The Board divided on the subject, and the following guardians voted that the advice of the solicitors be followed — viz — Earl of Courtown, Mr Foley, Mr Murphy, Mr Poole and Mr Warren. Against — Mr Bunnions, Dr Owen, Mr Richards JP. and Mr Scott JP.

The Schoolmaster was granted one day's leave of absence,

over

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Labour Committee Report

We recommend the Armitary No. 3 in the Mens Wing to be used as a tailor's & Shoemaker's Shop, and the beds in it to be removed to No. 4, as the Shops at present in use are too far from the Masters eye.

Ordered

We recommend boards to be got for ceiling the Schoolmistress' bedroom - There were not enough boards in the House to complete it.

Ordered to be done by Master and the walls to be papered.

Also a desk for the Masters' room, he has no convenience for his books or writing things

Dec. 18th 1869

Ordered, the Master to procure this at a cost not exceeding £1. A like desk to be procured for the Infirmary at a like cost

(Signed) Jas. Scott
S. A. Richards

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - -

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

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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the
24th day of Dec. 1869

(Signed) Thos Fitzhenry

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. } —(*Special.*)
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 18th day of Dec 186 9—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for vaccination : *Amount* £2. 17. 6

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount* £

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount* £

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount* £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 186 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 18

_____ *District,* . . . . . £

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Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

Dr Metge sent in a list of successful vaccination cases.

Dr Bestall reports no disease

Dr Weldon reports the same.

Dr Metge reports one case of fever.

Coolgraney Dispensary

Decr 10. 1869.

At a meeting of the Coolgraney Dispensary Committee held this day present Messrs Borbidge, Morris McDaniel and Sullivan, Mr Borbidge in the Chair. There were three bills for rooms used for vaccination purposes recommended to be paid also the Medical Officer laid before the Committee a list of successful vaccination cases, 26 in number. There are a few lbs of composite candles required for the use of the Dispensary; and the Committee recommend them to be supplied also a Candlestick. The Medical Officer has asked for one week's leave of absence, which was granted by his supplying a properly qualified substitute, and he named Dr John Tyndall of Gorey.

(Signed) R. Borbidge Ch.

Robert T. Morris Hon Sec.

A letter from Dr Metge on the subject was read 4 lbs of composite candles and a Candlestick ordered, Dr Metge to procure them

(Signed) Thos Fr Strane

Clerk of the Union.

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Workhouse,	426	309										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,	26	11										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds,												
TOTAL,	452	320										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			22	71	53	52	15	75	42	18	31	319
Admitted during the Week,			3	3	"	1	"	2	3	.	1	13
Born,												
TOTAL,			25	74	53	53	15	17	45	18	32	332
Discharged during the Week,			2	4	"	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	4	"	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			23	70	53	52	14	16	44	17	31	320

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Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
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OBSERVATIONS

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No. III.						
TOTAL,	16	24			16	24

Comparative No. last year,

Cost, £2 : 4 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Saturday~~ Friday the twenty fourth day of Dec 1869.

PRESENT: *In the Chair.* Wm Edward Foley — Alexander Jas Hewitt Esq J.P.
Robt S. Richards Esq J.P. D.L. and subsequently
The Right Hon the Earl of Courtown.

Other Guardians: Messrs. —
Owen M'D. H. Glascott J.P.
Col Jones J.P. V.C. W.B. Dunne, Warren M'Daniel,
Atkins, Butler, Horan, Cranwell, Morris, Poole,
+ J. Doyle,

✓ *The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.*

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	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
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Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - -			
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -			

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4 lb. Loaves of Bread,	lbs. Dipt Candles,
gallons Sweetmilk,	stones Starch,
do. Buttermilk,	lbs. Blue,
lbs. Beef,	cwt. Washing Soda,
lbs. Mutton,	cwt. Oatmeal,
Beeves' Heads,	cwt. Indian Meal,
gallons Whiskey,	cwt. Soap,
bottles Wine.	lbs. Tobacco,
do. Brandy,	lbs. Tea,
do. Porter,	lbs. Sugar,
tons Coals,	cwt. Flour,
cwts. Salt,	lbs. Pepper,
lbs. Mould Candles,	lbs. Arrowroot,

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 Poelief Lists and Weekly Poeceipt and Expenditure Books of the several Poelieving 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 Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 18th day of Decr 1869 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	2	2	0
In Kind, - - - - - - - -			
Total, - -	£2	2	0

Credit each Poelieving Officer as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
70 C. Lommerton	1	13	
71 J. O'Driscoll	1	10	

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
49 Very Rev Wm Atkins D.D.	6	5	0			
50 Dr. Boswell	25	"	"			
51. F. Trishaud	20	"	"			
52, J Rice	9	4	0			
53 L Goff	6	5	"			
54 I Goff	5	"	"			
55 M Cullen	3	15	"			
56 M O Neill	5	12	"			
57 A Flemming	5	"	"			
58. W H Miller	8	15	"			
59 J Palmer	7	10	0			
60 W Byrne	2	10	0			
61 P Sheehan	1	10	0			

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

[illegible]	2	10	.

Petty Cash Account. 3 15 6

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.
The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
Number of successful cases,
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

Dec. 24th. 1869

The Master reports that the woman Oaks finding she was about to be prosecuted as a vagrant, took her discharge which he considered judicious to permit from the probability of the children (4) becoming a burden on the Union.

The Master hopes the Board will kindly grant an order for two shawls for the Fever Hospital Nurses which he believes to be usual at this season

Ordered at a cost not to exceed £10/—

The Master reports that he cannot get a press made for his books less than £1.10-0

Ordered £1.10 to be allowed to the Master for the press.

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

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

No. 30521. 18th Decr 1869 A Circular and forms were read relative to a change in the Dispensary Regulations. A sealed order on the subject was also read.

No 31. 898. 14th Decr 1869. A Circular was read from the Poor Law Commissioners objecting to the recent Circular from the North Dublin Union being entertained at Boards of Guardians on the ground that it contained Political matter.

No. 31,531 - Has reference to the proposed appointment of a Stock taker, and states that a regular permanent Officer is not contemplated in their Regulations, and that it would be a better arrangement if the Guardians would when they require the services of such a person, employ him for the particular occasion, and fix his remuneration each time.

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A letter was read from Messrs. Woodroofe and Hogan stating that they have marked judgment against Mr Newsomes Sureties, and naming the 14th January next for the hearing of the case at the Court of Queen's Bench.

Election of Stock Taker,

(Duties to be found in Committee Report Book)

There were four Candidates, viz:-
Messrs. J. A. S. Palmer, (Relieving Officer)
Creighton Savage and Cuthbert.

On a poll being taken the following votes were recorded, viz:-
For Mr Palmer, 7. Messrs. Cranwill, Dunne Glascott, J.P. Horan, McDaniel, Morris Poole,
For Mr Creighton 10 viz:-
Messrs. Atkins Butler, Earl of Courtown, J Doyle, E Foley, Col Grimes J.P. Owen M.D. Richards J.P. Scott J.P. & J Warren,

Mr Creighton was declared duly elected - He was called before the Board and informed of the nature of his duties - He was granted £5, for each Half yearly stock taking - monthly attendance included

The O'Connor Don's proposed Petition to Parliament was next considered - Mr J B Greene's defence as contained in a Circular forwarded by the Poor Law Commissioners was also read: The Petition was unanimously adopted by the Board, and signed by the Chairman

Over,

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Duties of Stock Taker,

To attend once a month on a day to be fixed by the Master to inspect clothing returned by him as unfit for further use, and to compare new articles of clothing with stock of materials ordered by the Board. To take stock of all articles of clothing, furniture and provisions in the House each 25th, of March and 29th Sept. (or the following day if these should fall on Sunday) and at any other time when required by the Board; and to return to the Clerk at each inspection a certified list of the above property

Dec 18th 1869

Signed { S. A. Richards
Jos. S. Scott.

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - -

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

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.)

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John Warren

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the
1st day of January 1869

(Signed) Thos Farnham
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. [No. 27.] —(*Special.*)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Friday ~~Saturday,~~ the 24th day of Dece 186 9—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

62 *Account of Dr. Weldon for* Salary : *Amount £* 25-

63 Kirwan Rent 1.15.0

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

69 *Account of Dr. Bestall for* Salary : *Amount £* 25-

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

64 *Account of Dr. Metge for* Salary : *Amount £* 25-

65 Mollett 2.2-6

66 E Fowler 2.2-6

72 D Rooney 2-2-0

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

67 *Account of Dr. Allen for* Salary : *Amount £* 25-

68 Slaughter rent 1-15-0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 186 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 18

_____ *District,* . . . . . £

_____ *District,* . . . . . £

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

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

D. _____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

John Warren

(Signed) Thos Trisham
Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of December 1869

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
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse,	92	62										
Temporary Buildings,	"											
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	11										
Fever Sheds,												
TOTAL,	92	309										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			23	70	53	52	14	16	44	17	31	230
Admitted during the Week,			4	1	2						1	8
Born,												
TOTAL,			27	71	55	52	14	16	44	17	32	328
Discharged during the Week,			5	4	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	17
Died,			1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	5	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	19
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			21	66	54	51	12	15	43	16	31	309

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	99	In separate Wards,	
In Fever Hospital,	11	In Wards with other Inmates,	11
Total,	110	Total,	11

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
3	0	0	3

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1868 } 324

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24th day of December 1869 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	11	18			11	18
No. II.	5	6			5	6
No. III.						
TOTAL,	16	24			16	24

Comparative No. last year,

Cost, £ : :

COPY of MINUTES of *Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the first day of January 1870*

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

Mr. John Warren

Afterwards G. A. Owen Esq. D.L.

Other Guardians: Messrs.

Brimions, Murphy and Foley

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 726 to No. 762, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. —— to No. ——, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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The 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, - - - £ : :

Not produced Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 Poelief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Poeceipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 46 2 s. 7 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, - -			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -	37.	8.	9
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, - -			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -		2.	8¼
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - -		2.	10
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - -		4.	2

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

2274	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
308	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
59½	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
242	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
49	lbs. Mutton,		cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,		cwt. Indian Meal,
	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 Poelief Lists and Weekly Poeceipt and Expenditure Books of the several Poelieving 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 Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 24 day of Dec 69 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -		2.	2.
In Kind, - - - - - - - -			
Total, - -	£	2.	2. 0

Credit each Poelieving Officer as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.	~~Wm Miller~~	~~5 " "~~		
No. III.				
Total,		~~£ 5 " "~~		

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
			Nil			

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

			Nil			

Petty Cash Account.

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

			Nil			

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

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

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

1st. Janry. 1870 —

The Master reports that the old pump hole at the rear of the Kitchen is in a dangerous state and would consequently suggest that it be filled up.

That a pauper named Noble having applied for leave to go to Lorey as he stated to get a Post Office Order for 5/- cashed, and which the Master seen he discharged him from the House as not being destitute.

The Master respectfully hopes the Board will kindly grant him leave of absence till Monday evening next.

Medical Officer's Report.

The Medical states that he performed the Dispensary duties at the urgent request of the Dispensary Medical Officer during the illness of the latter and claims 10/- per diem for same.

Ordered — Two days at £1.0.0

Granted —

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

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

No. 31531. Inquires if the sum of £2. 10. 0 disallowed by Mr. M.ᶜDermott at the recent Audit has been lodged with the Treasurer.

Ordered — The Guardians have consented to lodge the money, but they have not yet done so with three exceptions.

No. 195 — 1869. A circular on the subject of the small pox was read.

No. 30714 — Requires a Return from the Medical Officer and the Master of the number of Epileptic Idiots in the Workhouse.

No. 29625 — Calls for the evidence taken at the two recent inquiries.

Ordered — The Guardians think they will require this evidence for the proceedings at the Court of Queens Bench.

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A Circular Letter from the Registrar General calling for the Agricultural Returns was read.

Tenders Accepted.

Best white Bread. J. Mulligan. 4lb. loaf. 5d. for one month.
Oatmeal Do. Do. 15/- per cwt. Do.
Indianeal Do. Do. 7/6 per cwt. Do.

A circular from the Celbridge Board of Guardians appealing against the present law of Settlement was ordered to be considered on Saturday fortnight. Board to be summoned.

Chaplains Report.

Dec. 22nd 1869.

A supply of prayer books and beads is much wanted. These can be supplied by Mr. M. J. Doyle on as moderate terms as they can be procured in Dublin.

(Signed) James Lacy

Ordered — Number of each required to be ascertained by this day week.

The Rate Books were signed this day.

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - -

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

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.)

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J. A. Scott Ch

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 8th day of Jany. 1870

(Signed) Thos. Fristham

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the first day of January 186 6—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

Nil

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

Nil

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount £*

Nil

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

Nil

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 186 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 18

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from Nil *dated*
stating that

Sanitary Reports.

Dr. ~~Allen~~ Weldon reports one case of Diarrhoea.

Dr. Allen reports three cases of fever

Dr. Bestall reports two cases of diarrhoea

Dr. Metze reports two cases of fever and two of erysipelas.

J A S Scott Ch

(*Signed*) Thos Fristram

Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of January 1870.

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
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse,	926	304										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	11										
Fever Sheds,												
TOTAL,	952	304										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			21	66	54	51	12	15	43	16	31	309
Admitted during the Week,			5	7	1	2	"	1	1	"	2	19
Born,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
TOTAL,			26	73	55	53	12	16	44	16	33	328
Discharged during the Week,			3	4	2	"	"	"	1	1	2	13
Died,			"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	4	3	"	"	"	1	1	2	14
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			23	69	52	53	12	16	43	15	31	314

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
In Workhouse Hospital, 92	In separate Wards,
In Fever Hospital, 10	In Wards with other Inmates, 11
Total, 102	Total, 11

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
2	1	"	3
"	"	"	"

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1869 } 341

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	11	18			11	18
No. II.	5	6			5	6
No. III.						
TOTAL,	16	24			16	24

Comparative No. last year, } 22.47.

Cost, £5 : 1 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the 8th day of January 1870

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

Da. S. Scott Esq J.P.

Other Guardians: Messrs. Atkins. Murphy. Burkitt. Poole.

Foley. G. A. Owen Esq. M.D.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 762 to No. 791, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. ——— to No. ———, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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

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

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

570	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
300	gallons Sweetmilk,	3	stones Starch,
54½	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
270	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
76	lbs. Mutton,	4	cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeyes' Heads,	2	cwt. Indian Meal,
12	~~gallons~~ bottles Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 1st day of Dec 187

whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	2	2	0
In Kind,			
Total,	£2	2	0

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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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,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.				10	..	..

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.						

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

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

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

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

Report of Protestant Chaplain

Examined the Boys School and was pleased with the progress made which is very marked – the writing is carefully attended to, reading good, and the cyphering shews improvement. Visited prior to the Female School of examination on this day week

(Signed) William Atkins

The Schoolmistress's Report

January 8th 1870

The Schoolmistress requires for the use of the female school

3 doz: 1st Reading books
2 do Spelling books part 1
1 doz Sequel No 1 & second book
2 doz. Table books,
12 boxes of steel pens for advanced children
5 doz pencil cases
2 doz slates
2 quarts of black ink.

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

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

No 257 – 7 Jany 1870

Inquires what steps have been taken with regard to the filling up of the Pump hole Complained of – ordered – the Master is directed to ascertain the cost of either filling up or flagging under the surface (afterwards covering the flag with a foot of earth) against next Saturday.

No 257 – 7 Jany 1870.

Refers to a man stated to have been discharged from the Workhouse because he had a P. C. order for 5/– stating that the course adopted was at variance with their regulations – Ordered –

Webb was not discharged by the Master, but demanded his discharge –

No 198 2/69

Calls for a return of Rates (furnished)

No 27-125 – 7 Jany 1870

Calls for the Agricultural Holdings Returns – (The Clerk only received Complete information on yesterday and will send off the return early next week)

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A letter from the Clerk, Enniscorthy Union, was read, requesting that a Committee of this Board should meet a Committee from the Enniscorthy Board, for the purpose of conferring on the subject of a better arrangement than exists at present as to the support of the Hospital at Oulart — ordered that a Committee of this Board met a Committee of the Enniscorthy Board on the 2nd Feby 1867. when terms were mutually agreed on between them, at the regest of the latter = this Board is consequently unwilling to disturb the existing arrangement

Jas Fitzsimons was granted the clothes of a late inmate (William Fanning)

Wm Young applied for the tinwork of the Union.

Mary Anne Watson having declined to make affidavit as to the father of her child, the guardians have strong reasons for believing her not to be destitute and the Master is directed to discharge her on Monday except she consents to make affidavit.

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 15th day of Jany 1870

(Signed) Thos Trisham

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. } —(*Special.*)
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 8th day of January 1870.—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount £*

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

No. 257 7th Jany. 1870
Has reference to the £1 fee proposed to be paid Dr. Boxwell for performing Dr. Weldon's duties for two days during the illness of the latter

Dr. Metz reports 3 cases of fever.

Killenagh & Wells Dispensary

Jany 7. 1870
The bill of Thos. Cooke for the use of his house for one year, as a vaccination station in the Fad ending Dec 31st 1869, passed.
The Medical Officer's application for ten days leave of absence from the 12th Inst - passed,
The new Medical Relief Register to be supplied to the Medical Officer

By order
(Signed) John C. Poundell
Hon. Sec.

Edwd Foley

(Signed) Thos Fursham
Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8 day of Jany 1870

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse,	926	320										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	8										
Fever Sheds,												
TOTAL,	952	328										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			23	69	52	53	12	16	43	15	31	314
Admitted during the Week,			9	9	3	1	1	1	3	2	1	30
Born,												
TOTAL,			32	78	53	54	13	17	46	17	32	344
Discharged during the Week,			9	3	.	1	1	.	1			15
Died,						1						1
Total Discharged and Dead,			9	3	.	2	1	.	1			16
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			23	75	53	52	12	17	45	17	32	328

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

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

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
7	4	5	16

Number in the House corresponding Week in 18 ~~333~~ 69 } 333.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8th day of Jany 1870 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Persons
No. I.	11	18			11	18
No. II.	5	6			5	6
No. III.						
TOTAL,	16	24			16	24

Comparative No. last year, }

Cost, £ 2 : 10 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the fifteenth day of January 1870

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

Mr. Edwd. Foley.

Other Guardians: Messrs. — Dunne. Butler, Morris. Warren. Binions, Murphy. McDaniel Poole, Horan and Col Guise J.P. C.B.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. V to No. V, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. V to No. V, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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

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

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

540	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
274	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
80	lbs. Mutton,	2	cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,	4	cwt. Indian Meal,
	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
36	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 8 day of Jany 1840 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - -	2	2	0
In Kind, - - - - - - -	—	—	—
Total, - -	£ 2	2	0

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	M Miller	5 —		
No. II.	J Palmer	5		
No. III.				
Total,		£		

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£ s. d. £ s. d.

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

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

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

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

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

No. 27,175 – 13th. Jany 1870
Relates to the Agricultural Holdings Return

No 7 – M/70 The Usual Circular relating to the Election of Guardians

A Cheque for £200. 9. 6 for aid to Medical and Educational Expenses was received.

The following letter from Messrs Woodroofe and Hogan was read: —

The Guardians versus Newsome & Lawrence.

30 Upper Mount Street
Dublin, 14th Jany 1870

Dear Sir,

This case was at hearing for 5½ hours to day, and we regret to say that the jury only gave one farthing damages – they evidently gave the defendants being sureties the full benefit of every doubt they could, and if it had not been that we had previously marked the interlocutory judgment we fear there would have been a verdict against the Board, which would have saddled the Union with the costs of both parties

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Mr Insham was severely cross examined as to his animus against the late Master, consequent on the charge the latter had brought against him in reference to his settlement of Mr Morris' account but he explained it most satisfactorily, as also the allowance made of 30 Tons of Coal for deficiency in Mr Middleton's time, however the fact of such allowance having been made & of the coals not having been weighed for some 14 years, and of the system adopted at the recent weighing & of stock not having been taken at Michaelmas in accordance with the usual practice gave the Jury some ground for not giving a verdict in respect of the Coals - but we are at a loss to understand why they did not give the amount claimed for straw -

Mr John Butler's evidence may have had some effect on their minds coupled with the fact that no proper system of checking the Master's entries with the weighmasters tickets and the Porter's Book appears to be adopted, but Mr Insham explained the duties very fully connected with each department, and from which it is evident there are not sufficient checks upon the Master's accuracy, and that a dishonest one may almost rob the Union with impunity. From what we saw of the case to day we think it fortunate that the expense of a Criminal Prosecution was not incurred And in conclusion we think it but right to add that Mr Insham had his case made up from the materials he had to work upon as well as it possibly could be, and it certainly was not from any fault of his that the Board did not get a verdict for the full sum claimed

Yrs faithfully, Woodroofe & Hogan

The following Requisition was adopted by the Board and signed by the Chairman :-

We the undersigned, convinced, that an Equitable settlement of the land question is essential to the peace and prosperity of this Kingdom - that it would tend to eradicate disaffection, promote industry, and give increased security to property, request a meeting of the landed gentry, Clergy, Members of both Houses of Parliament and Municipal and Poor Law Representatives of Ireland on an early day at the Mansion House Dublin, to confer as to the most effectual means of rooting the Irish race in the Irish soil by securing the property of the tenant

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farmers from being absorbed by unfairly increased Rents and by protecting the right of continuous occupancy from capricious violation without infringing on any of the just rights or legitimate influences incident to the enjoyment of the landed property.

Signed on behalf of the Grey Board

Edward Foley

Messrs Horan, Binns and Dunne were appointed to examine some articles of clothing &c. supplied by a Contractor the following is their Report

"We have inspected as ordered by the Board the "following articles supplied by W. Morris Esq:- Ticken "Baked, Linen and Brushes, and consider them "inferior to the samples submitted to us. we are of "opinion that the articles should not be accepted

(Signed) James Dunne,
S. Binns,
Nicholas Horan,

Ordered — The Contractor is directed to supply these articles in accordance with the terms of his Contract

Report

We have inspected a supply of Childrens and Womens shoes and consider them equal to Sample

(Signed) James Dunne.
Nicholas Horan.
S. Binns,

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -
Ditto, disallowed - - - - - -
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

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

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

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.)

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The Board having been summoned to consider the resolution of the Rathdrum Board of Guardians with reference to the present Law of Settlement of paupers in England — the subject was duly entertained. It was decided to postpone the consideration of the matter until a copy of the proposed petition can be obtained.

The Labour Committee is ordered to be summoned for this day week to inspect the Carpenter work executed at the Workhouse since their last report.

Notice of Motion

I will move that on this day fortnight a Board be summoned to reconsider the resolution passed this day on the Land Question, such having been passed in opposition to the rules of our Board, in as much as due notice has not been given, that such a question would be brought forward, and also it being in direct opposition to a vote of a full Board as to the consideration of such questions —

(Signed) John Guise Col.

Grey Union. Board Room

15th January 1870.

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John Warden

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the
22nd day of January 1870

(Signed) Thos Sinnott
Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 15th day of January 1870—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount £*

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

Doctor Weldon wrote stating that Doctor Boxwell performed his duties during his illness on the 24th and 25th Ulto: and that the matter would have been brought before the Dispensary Committee had there been a meeting on the last regular meeting day —

Ordered — Doctor Weldon to bring this under the notice of the Hon. Sec: with a view to have Dr. Boxwells remuneration duly considered and passed in the regular way.

Doctor Weldon reports one case of Diarrhoea

Doctor Bestall reports no Disease

Doctor Metge reports the Same,

Robert Weddell

(Signed) Thos Fristram
Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of January 1870

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
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse,	936	323										
Temporary Buildings,	"											
Additional Workhouse,	26	6										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds,												
TOTAL,	962	329										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			23	75	55	52	12	14	45	14	32	328
Admitted during the Week,			11	6	1	1	1	"	1	"	1	22
Born,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
TOTAL,			34	81	56	53	13	14	46	14	33	350
Discharged during the Week,			4	5	"	"	6	1	3	"	2	21
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	5	"	"	6	1	3	"	2	21
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			30	75	56	53	7	16	43	14	31	329

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital, 99	In separate Wards, 10	
In Fever Hospital, 6	In Wards with other Inmates, "	
Total, 105	Total, 10	

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
3	0	0	3

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1869 } 353.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of January 1870 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	16	20			16	20
No. II.	5	11			5	11
No. III.						
TOTAL,	21	31			21	31

Comparative No. last year, 22:54

Cost, £ 2:16:11

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the twenty second day of January 1870

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

Mr. John Warren

afterwards S. A. Richards Esq D.L.

Other Guardians: Messrs.

Morris, Dunne, Foley, Murphy

Butler, McDaniel and Dr. Owen.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 800 to No. 826, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. ——— to No. ———, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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The 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 the Guardians was £ : :

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOR	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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

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

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

570	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
300	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
56	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
270	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
78	lbs. Mutton,		cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,		cwt. Indian Meal,
	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 16 day of January 70. whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - -	2	10	8
In Kind, - - - - - - -			
Total, - -	£ 2	10	8

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	W H Miller	5 –		
No. II.				
No. III.	Nil			
Total,		£5 –		

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

			£	s.	d.
85	J. Kirwan	paupers clothes	31	0	6
86	R. Ralph	Clothing	4	8	4
87	C. Murphy	Leather	2	15	4

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
				74.	W. Reynolds	8	10	~~4~~ 2
				75.	Gunn & Cameron	6	6	"
				76.	H. Dwyer	1	1	"
				77.	M. J. Doyle	11	4	11
				79	J. Falconer	10	16	4
				80 ~~79~~	To Leafy ~~J. Falconer~~	16	6	6
				82.	J. Webster	4	11	5
				83.	R. Stringer	4	7	6
				84.	P. McCooke & Co.	14	7	6
				86.	R. Ralph	13	8	3
				87.	C. Murphy	3	0	10
				~~97.~~	~~J. M. Redmond~~	~~26~~	~~4~~	~~9~~
				93	T. Mulligan	"	1	8
				101	J. Kennedy	12	10	0
				1	H. Dwyer	1	1	0

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

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Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
88. J. Flask	40	19	5
89. M. Lacey	8	12	11
90. A. Naughten	9	12	2
91. T. Brierton	10	1	11
92. J. McDaniel	7	13	8
93. J. Mulligan	62	9	11
98. W. Simmons	2	10	—
97 J. McDermott	26	4	9

Registration Expenses

	£	s.	d.
99. Dr. Weldon	3	14	0
100. Dr. Allen	2	14	"

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

	£	s.	d.
81. Bates Flon	5	9	6
95 T. Buchanan	10	0	0

Extern Hospitals Account.

	£	s.	d.
101 J. Kennedy	4	11	8

Petty Cash Account.

	£	s.	d.
102	12	11	5

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

	£	s.	d.
78 Ross & Murray	15	15	"

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

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

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

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

22nd. Janry. 1870

The Master reports that he returned the Sweetmilk supplied by Mrs. Brierton on Tuesday last he having tested it by boiling, by which it turned into curds.

Fined £1.0.0

The Master requests that the Board will advertise for a supply of straw which is much required.

Ordered — The Clerk to advertise for from one ~~to~~ five tons

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

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

There were no public Letters.

Mrs. McCann applied for a girl named Eliza Kenny engaging to keep her twelve months. Granted.

Ordered — The Board appoint Messrs. Morris Murphy Butler and Cranwill as additional members of the Finance Committee.

Proposed by Mr. Foley
seconded by Mr. Warren — That the Clerk be directed to draw up a copy of the Petition, adopted by the Rathdrum Board of Guardians on the subject of the Law of Settlement of paupers in England and Scotland.

The Clerk is directed to state that one of the Poor Rate Collectors of this Union, is Land Bailiff to an ex-Officio member of this Board, and to enquire if the fact of this man holding such an office, disqualifies him from holding his present situation under the Board of Guardians.

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Labour Committee Report

22nd. Janv. 1870.

I have inspected all carpenters work done so far and found it well done. I think Stringer is rather slow but very thorough at his work. Several more door cases want piecing, being rotten, and ought to be done before the House is painted. I think a week ought to finish them. A newel post is required for the Stairs of the male infirmary.

A long bolt is required to steady the south door of the principal yard, to fasten inside into the top of the arch.

A new grate is badly wanted in the Matron's parlour A small range such as is in the Master's parlour would be a great convenience.

I would advise the Girls lavatory to be repaired like the boy's do.

(Signed) S. A. Richards.

Ordered – The Board recommend that the Carpenter be employed to continue & complete the work. The Master to be careful to see that he works his full time.

The Master to get the other work done as recommended. A range to be got for the Matron like that in the Master's parlour and set up.

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Ditto, disallowed - - - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - -

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 29th day of Jany 1870

(Signed) Thos Fusham

Clerk of the Union.

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

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Account of Dr. Weldon for	: *Amount £*
A. Dwyer lymph	10.6

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for	: *Amount £*
A. Dwyer lymph	10.6

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for	: *Amount £*
A. Dwyer	10.6

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for	: *Amount £*
A Dwyer	10.6
84 Mixtures &c.	£14. 1. 4

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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_____ *District,* . . . . . £

_____ *District,* . . . . . £

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

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Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that Nil

Dr. Weldon reports one case of Scarlatina and one of Diarrhoea, both removed to Hospital.

Dr. Metge reports one case of fever, two of dysentery and two of measles.

Dr. Bestall reports two cases of measles.

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(*Signed*) Thos. Trisham
Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of Jany 18 70

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date
Workhouse,	296	322
Temporary Buildings,	—	—
Additional Workhouse,	26	13
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	952	335

	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
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	30	76	56	53	7	16	43	17	31	329
Admitted during the Week,	6	4	2				3	1	1	17
Born,									1	1
TOTAL,	36	80	58	53	7	16	46	18	33	347
Discharged during the Week,	3	5	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	11
Died,	1									1
Total Discharged and Dead,	4	5	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	12
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	32	75	57	53	7	14	46	18	33	335

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	98	In separate Wards,	1
In Fever Hospital,	13	In Wards with other Inmates,	
Total,	111	Total,	1

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
—	—	—	—

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1869 359

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22nd day of Jany 1870 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	16	20			16	20
No. II.	5	11			5	11
No. III.						
TOTAL,	21	31			21	31

Comparative No. last year, 23. 61

Cost, £2 : 18 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of *Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the* Twenty ninth *day of* January 1870

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

The Right Hon the Earl of Courtown

Other Guardians: Messrs. Col Jones C.B. R.N. C. A. Richards R.M. D.L. C.

S. A. Glascott R.M. Geo. Ogrady R.M. Murphy. Binions

Foley. F. Doyle. M. Devitt Rowe. Dunne. Poole

Butler and F. Doran

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 825 to No. 853, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. V to No. V, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature 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, - - - £206 : 16 : 9

Paid during the week, - - - - - £573 : 15 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was - £304 : 18 : 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.

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey.												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL.	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 Poelief List and Abstract.*

✓ 2. *The Provision Check Accounts.*

✓ 3. *The Provision Poeceipt and Consumption Account.*

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

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

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

224	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
294	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
74	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
280	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
76	lbs. Mutton,		cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,		cwt. Indian Meal,
	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 Poelief Lists and Weekly Poeceipt and Expenditure Books of the several Poelieving 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 Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 22 day of 70 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	2	16	11
In Kind, - - - - - - - -	-	-	-
Total, - -	£2	16	11

Credit each Poelieving Officer as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.		Nil		
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£ s. d. £ s. d.

Nil

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

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

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

Janry 29. 1870

The Master respectfully suggests that the Carpenter be employed to repair the Bedsteads which are out of repair which are much required as all the beds fit for use in the House are occupied

Ordered.

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

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

No. 2375 - 28th Jany. 1870

States that the fact of a Collector being Bailiff to an Ex officio guardian of the Union does not disqualify him from filling the situation of Poor Rate Collector, except it interfere with his time for the discharge of his official duties.

No. 257. 28th Jany 1870

Inquires if the sum of £2.1.0 disallowed by Mr McDermott has been lodged by the guardians debited.

It Has,

Clerk to write to the Commissioners relative to the case of a pauper woman named Mary Anne Watson who refuses to swear information against the Putative Father of her child

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The Board being summoned to consider the following notice of Motion by Col Guise: viz.

"I move that on this day fortnight a Board be
" summoned to reconsider the resolution passed this day
" on the Land Question, such having been passed in
" opposition to the rules of our Board, in as much as due
" notice has not been given that such a question would
" be brought forward, and also it being in direct
" opposition to a vote of a full Board as to the
" consideration of such questions

(Signed) John C Guise Col

Grey Union Boardroom
15th Jany 1870.

It was proposed by Col Guise JP and seconded by Mr Richards JP that the Board being specially summoned to consider this question, after regular notice, do rescind the act of the Board of the 15th Inst, in joining in the requisition for the National Conference on the Land Question, such a course being an infraction of a former resolution which cannot be rescinded without a fortnight's notice

On a poll being taken the following voted for the motion viz.-

Messrs Bunnin, Butler, Earl of Courtown (Chairman) Wescott JP Guise Col. JP. Horan, O'Grady JP. Richards JP. Scott JP. (9)

Against

Messrs S Doyle, T Doyle, Dunne, McDaniel, Murphy, Poole & Rowe (7)

The Motion was consequently declared carried

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - - -

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

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

Do. do: in which relief was continued by the Guardians -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 5th day of Feby 1870

(Signed) Thos Linstrain

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. } —(*Special.*)
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 186 ,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount £*

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Doctor Weldon reports one case of Scarlatina

Doctor Allen reports the prevalence of Measles

Doctor Bestall reports no Disease

Doctor Metz reports two cases of fever. Two of Bronchitis and one of Measles,

Carlton

(*Signed*) Thos Fristram

Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of Janry. 1870.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date
Workhouse,	926	328
Temporary Buildings,	-	-
Additional Workhouse,	-	-
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	14
Fever Sheds,	-	-
TOTAL,	952	342

	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
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	32	75	57	53	7	14	46	18	33	335
Admitted during the Week,	6	5	3	3		1	1		1	20
Born,										-
TOTAL,	38	80	60	56	7	15	47	18	34	355
Discharged during the Week,	4	4	2	1		1				12
Died,				1						1
Total Discharged and Dead,	4	4	2	2		1				13
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	34	76	58	54	7	14	47	18	34	342

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	94	In separate Wards,	1
In Fever Hospital,	14	In Wards with other Inmates,	-
Total,	108	Total,	1

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
5	2	1	8

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1869 } 354

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of Janry. 1870 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	16	20			16	20
No. II.	5	11			5	11
No. III.						
TOTAL,	21	31			21	31

Comparative No. last year, } 23. 61

Cost, £ 2 : 18 : 6.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the fifth day of February 1870

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

The Right Hon. The Earl of Courtown.

Other Guardians: Messrs. —

Murphy, Poole, McDonald,

Foley, Warren and Butler.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No._____ to No._____, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No._____ to No._____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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The 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 the Guardians was £ : :

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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

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

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

2678	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
291	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
65½	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
278	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
75	lbs. Mutton,		cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,		cwt. Indian Meal,
	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 29th day of January 1870 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	2	16	11
In Kind,			
Total,	£2	16	11

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

Number of successful cases,

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

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

5th. Feby 1870.

The Master reports that he has not received a sufficient supply of sweet milk from the Contractors (Burton and McDonald) during last week, and that he was obliged to return milk supplied by McDonald on Tuesday last as not equal to that contracted for.

Ordered—

"McDonald appeared before the Board to complain of the Master's having rejected his milk. The Board is satisfied of the correctness of the Master's statement."

He has to report that the entrance gate in the Female Yard has been blown in and the bolt and lock broken by the storm of last week, but he has had it temporarily secured, pending the inspection of the Building Committee.

Ordered—"The Master to procure a new Iron bolt"

That he brought Mary Redmond before Mr. Glascott J.P. and had her information taken and a warrant delivered to the Police for the arrest of Denis Redmond, her husband, for deserting her.

He applies for leave to have a large Cape made of frieze, for a female pauper (Leary) who attends to the entrance gate of the female yard.

Ordered.

The Master applies for leave to get a new grate for the Boardroom. Ordered.

"The Master to get a fresh cover for the Boardroom "table. To be made of same description as the "old one."

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

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

No. 3190. 4th Feby 1870.

Has reference to the case of Mary Anne Watson who refuses to make affidavit against the putative father of her child, and states that if the woman is destitute the guardians are of course bound to afford her relief.

In reply to an inquiry from Mr. Rourke as to whether he is obliged, as stated by Dr. Bestall, to issue a separate ticket for every member of the same family who may be ill the following order was made:—

"The Board sees no practical inconvenience in more than one name being put on a ticket when it is required for several members of the same family living together.

Tenders accepted

Oatmeal, one month, per Bag, sample sent, at 28/6 J. McRedmond
White Bread Do 4 lb loaf Do at 4 3/4 Do
Indiameal Do per Cwt Do at 7/8 T. Mulligan
Straw 30 Cwt at 2/- per Cwt. Patrick Byrne.

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A letter was read from Mr Morris. Ballycanew, & the Master on the subject of some frize supplied by him lately as Contractor. Mr. Morris expressed his surprise, that any difficulty should exist in accepting the article - That he was glad to learn that the only objection was in regard to the width of the frize, as compared with the accepted sample, which, he states, must have been tampered with, & has become unduly distended, as a narrow strip like it could easily be so operated upon. Mr. Morris added there is not a Warehouse in Dublin which could supply frize of the breadth in question, and that if it had to be got it should be manufactured specially for the demand. At the same time it was stated by Mr. Morris that he had not the most remote idea that the Master, Mr. Rice allowed or was a party to such a procedure.

It was requested that a comparison of this frize with that supplied to the Fever Hospital by another Contractor should be made, as both articles are nearly the same as regards price.

In conclusion Mr. Morris agreed to supply in length what would compensate for the deficiency in breadth.

Ordered -

"The offer of the Contractor to make
"good the deficiency in breadth by
"increased length of frize is
"accepted."

A letter was read from Mr. McDonald, one of the Tacksmith Contractors, complaining of the course adopted by the Master in regard to the return of his (Mr. Donald's) Contract on Wednesday last.

"For order thereon see order on Master's Report
"of this day."

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The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - -

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - -

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H. Bentley
Chr.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 12th day of Feby 1870.

(Signed) Thos Trishane

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the fifth day of Feby. 1870—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

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KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

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_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Doctor Weldon reports no Disease

Doctor Bistall reports three cases of fever

Doctor Allen reports no Disease

Doctor Metge reports one case of Pneumonia & one of throat disease; also that measles are prevalent.

Mr. Miller reported favourably on the condition of the Nurse Children in his distrct.

H. Bentley
Ch.

(*Signed*) Thos Fairstream
Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of Feby 1870

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse,	926	337										
Temporary Buildings,	-	-										
Additional Workhouse,	-	-										
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	17										
Fever Sheds,												
TOTAL,	952	354										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			34	76	58	54	7	14	47	18	34	342
Admitted during the Week,			10	5	3	2	1	2	2	4	1	30
Born,												
TOTAL,			44	81	61	56	8	16	49	22	35	372
Discharged during the Week,			7	3	2	-	-	1	1	1	1	16
Died,					1	1						2
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	3	3	1	-	1	1	1	1	18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			37	78	58	55	8	15	48	21	34	354

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	99	In separate Wards,	1
In Fever Hospital,	17	In Wards with other Inmates,	-
Total,	116	Total,	1

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
6	1	4	11 -

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1869 } 342

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of Feby 1870 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Persons
No. I.	16	20			16	20
No. II.	5	11			5	11
No. III.						
TOTAL,	21	31			21	31

Comparative No. last year, }

Cost, £ 2 : 18 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the Twelfth day of February 1870.

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

Wm Henry Butler

Other Guardians: ~~Messrs.~~ Col. Guise JP. CB. V. Cross, Dr. Owen,

Messrs. J. Warren F. Doyle S. Binnions, J. Poole,

S. A. Richards Esq. JP. D.V.C. attended as a member of the Labour Committee to inspect the Carpenter's work &c.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 853 to No. 895, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. ____ to No. ____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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

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

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

620	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
307	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
65	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
	lbs. Mutton,	4	cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,	2	cwt. Indian Meal,
12	~~gallons~~ Bots. Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 5th *day of* February 1870 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	2	16	11
In Kind,			
Total,	£2	16	11

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
123	No. ~~123~~ I.	J Palmer	6 —		
124	No. ~~124~~ II.	W H Miller	5 —		
	No. III.				
	Total,		6 —		

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
246 T Mulligan	"	16	6
113 J Driscoll	3	0	0
125. A Murphy 100 pair of shoes at 4/6.	22	10	0
114 C Somerton	3	6	0
115 W Byrne	15	0	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
			104 T. Mulligan	3	8	0.
			111 J. Duncan	2	10	0
			112 R. Stringer	4	18	0
			~~AM~~			
			116 N Whitmore	1	2	4
			118 J Whitten	1	11	4
			119 S Clarke	6	12	6.
			121 B Webster	10	"	"

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

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Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
				104 J Mullejan	81	19	10
				105 J Flink	41	15	6
				106 J McReddin	8	14	9
				107 M Lacy	9	10	1
				108 A Naughton	12	6	9
				109 J Brierton	7	3	11
				110 J McDonald	5	19	11
				117 M Dempsey	4	5	0

Registration Expenses

Dr Metz	1	13	0

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.	6	5	10

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

111 J. Duncan	1	19	0

Sanitary Expenses.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.
The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
Number of successful cases,
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

12th. Feby 1870.

The Master reports that he sent to the person (Dyne) whose tender for Straw the Board accepted on last Board day, and that he did not supply it, stating that he had sold it. The Master states that Straw is very much required for the beds, and respectfully hopes the Board will grant a supply as soon as possible.

Ordered — the Master is authorized to purchase Straw.

He also reports that a person named Ellen Walsh died while being conveyed to the Work House Infirmary by Doctor Weldon on the 9th Inst. that he admitted her and reported the case to the Head Constable, who replied that "the Coroner did not consider it a case for an Inquest".

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

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

A Circular was read in which were enclosed 100 forms "E"
Election of Guardians.

A letter from Mr. B Webster having reference this bill was read.
Refused to Labour Committee.

The following letter from Dr. Nelson was read:—

Gorey 10th. Feby 1870

Sir,

On Wednesday the 9th Inst. I was called on to visit Ellen Walsh of Tara Hill. when I saw her she was suffering from acute Oedema Glottidis accompanied with dyspnoea and Spasm:- her case was one requiring the instant operation of Tracheotomy as the only hope of affording a chance of prolonging or saving her life.

After mature deliberation I proposed to the Mother and friends to have her brought at once to the Workhouse Infirmary for the operation In case time and unnecessary delay I brought her on my own Car accompanied by her Mother - from the time of her being placed on my car & her arrival at the W. House was less than half an hour

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during which time she ceased to breathe.

I am Sir your obt Servt

(signed) Geo Weldon M.D.

To the Clerk of Union.

The Bread Contract

The following letters are read:-

To the Grey Board of Guardians.

My Lord and Gentlemen

Permit me with due respect to call the attention of the Board to a circumstance which occurred on last Saturday in reference to the tendering for bread - I believe I am one of the oldest Contractors at the present time supplying the Union, and presume as good as has to do with the Board, for the simple fact of there not being a single fault found with me during my period of time, therefore would wish to know why my tender for bread was neglected, and a higher one accepted on last Board day. though I believe the rule of the Board in such cases is to accept the lowest tender.

The Tenders run thus.

Mr. Redmond proposed to supply the 4 lb loaf for 3 4 3/4. I proposed the same for 2 4 5/8. being 1/8 under Mr. Redmond. and for some reason or other which I am not at present in possession of Mr. Redmonds was accepted. I hope therefore my Lord and Gentlemen the affair will receive more strict inquiry. and see simple justice done to the Ratepayers and to

Your humble Servant

(signed) Thos. O. Mulligan -

Ordered - The Board agree that an error was made on Saturday the 5th inst. relative to the tenders for bread, which cannot now be altered.

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The following was read in reply to a letter from the Clerk, as the matter was officially brought under his notice,

Gary 9th Feby 1870

Mr. Tristram
Dear Sir,

I have your note stating that my tender for Bread on Saturday last was accepted by the Board in mistake. Mr. Mulligan's tender being lower than mine, and that he Mr. M. has called your attention to the fact. That may be so, but the Board having contracted with me for the month, I am sure they would not think of rescinding it, as I have made my arrangements

truly yours
John M. Redmond

P.S. I have read your second note and approve fully of everything you have done in the matter.

Notice of Motion,

Feby 12th 1870.

I will move on this day fortnight that a Straw Cutter be obtained for the use of the bedding in order to lessen the large consumption of Straw and also for the improvement of the Beds.

(Signed) G. A. Owen

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Report of Labour Committee

I have inspected the 19 days work done by the Carpenter since the last inspection on January the 29th and find it well done but not much for the time.

The following work is still necessary to be done.

New bar and thorough repair to door of Womens yard. a strong bar is required as the wind has great power on such a wide double door.

Weather Boards and repair to door of punishment cell & the store adjoining. It would be just desirable for the Master to have a store for clothing received from the tailor - a convenient one might be boarded off the end of the shop. There are shelves in the present store that might be used.

The slate chimney piece in the Matrons bedroom had better be used in putting up the new range in her sitting room, as the wooden chimney piece now there is too small for the range - The wooden one can be used in the sleeping room.

(Signed) S A Richards -

12th Feb 1870.

Ordered - That Board approve of the work recommended above being done -

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J. A. S. Scott Ch

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 19th day of Feby 1870

(Signed) Thos. Tristram

Clerk of the Union.

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Account of Dr. Metye for : *Amount £*

120. Dr Metye 1-6-0

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Doctor Weldon reports one case of fever in Boleybawn, and that the patient has been removed to the Hospital

Doctor Beatall has no Disease to report

J A S S Scott Ch

(*Signed*) Thos Fristham

Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of Feby 1870

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse,	926	335										
Temporary Buildings,	.	.										
Additional Workhouse,	.	.										
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	15										
Fever Sheds,	.											
TOTAL,	952	350										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			37	78	58	55	8	15	48	21	34	354
Admitted during the Week,			3	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	8
Born,												
TOTAL,			40	79	59	57	9	15	48	21	34	362
Discharged during the Week,			4	4	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	11
Died,						1						1
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	4	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	12
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			36	75	59	56	9	14	47	20	34	350

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	94	In separate Wards,	1
In Fever Hospital,	15	In Wards with other Inmates,	—
Total,	109	Total,	1

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
1	—	—	1

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1869 } 337.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of February 1870 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Persons
No. I.	16	20			16	20
No. II.	5	11			5	11
No. III.						
TOTAL,	21	31			21	31

Comparative No. last year, } .

Cost, £2 : 16 : 11

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the Nineteenth day of February 1870

PRESENT: In the Chair.

J. S. Scott Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians: Messrs. De Onew, Warren Binions

Murphy, Burkitt, McDonald

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 896 to No. 916, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1 to No. 1, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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The 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 the Guardians was £ : :

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 Poelief List and Abstract.*
2. *The Provision Check Accounts.*
3. *The Provision Poeceipt and Consumption Account.*

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

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

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

717	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
288	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
64	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
270	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
35	lbs. Mutton,		cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,		cwt. Indian Meal,
12	~~gallons~~ Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,	2	cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 Poelief Lists and Weekly Poeceipt and Expenditure Books of the several Poelieving 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 Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 5th day of January whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	2	16	11
In Kind,	—	—	—
Total,	£2	16	11

Credit each Poelieving Officer as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
146	No. I.	M Mills	5 –		
147	No. II.	[illegible]	8 –		
	No. III.				
	Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Thereunto no Public Letters.

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Labour Committee Report.

I recommend that a communication be broken out between the Boardroom and Ward South of same, and a door and half door be put up. so that paupers coming before the Board may wait in the North Ward also that the North Ward be used in future for female Casuals and the South Ward for Male Casuals.

Signed, Sam. J. Scott
19th Feby 1870.

Approved - Stringer the Carpenter to complete the job in three weeks for the sum of six pounds, all to be completed to the satisfaction of the Labour Committee

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - -

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - -

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

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.)

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John Warren

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 26th day of Feby 1870

(Signed) Thos Tristram

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. } —(*Special.*)
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 19th day of July 1870,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metye for : *Amount £*

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Dr Metge reports 1 case of Diarrhoea and 1 of lumps in the throat

Dr Bestall reports 1 case of fever.

Dr Allen reports 20 cases of Measles and 50 of hooping cough,

Dr Weldon reports 1 case of fever.

John Warren

(Signed) Thos Kirkham

Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of Febry 1870.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date
Workhouse,	926	327
Temporary Buildings,	"	"
Additional Workhouse,	26	19
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	952	346

	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
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	36	75	59	56	9	14	47	20	34	350
Admitted during the Week,	4	6	1	1	1	3	2	1	1	20
Born,	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
TOTAL,	40	81	60	57	10	17	49	21	35	370
Discharged during the Week,	7	6	2	1	1	1	1	"	2	21
Died,	1	1	"	"	"	"	1	"	"	3
Total Discharged and Dead,	8	7	2	1	1	1	2	"	2	24
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	32	74	58	56	9	16	47	21	33	346

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	95	In separate Wards,	10
In Fever Hospital,	19	In Wards with other Inmates,	4
Total,	114	Total,	10

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
4	"	"	4

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1869 348.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	16	20			16	20
No. II.	5	11			5	11
No. III.						
TOTAL,	21	31			21	31

Comparative No. last year,

Cost, £ 3 : 2 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the twentysixth day of February 1870.

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

Mr. John Warren.

Other Guardians: Messrs.

Murphy, Horan, M. Daniel

Poole, J. Doyle and Dr. Owen,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 916 to No. 930, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1 to No. 4, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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The 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 agt the Guardians was £105.12.4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 Poelief List and Abstract.*
2. *The Provision Check Accounts.*
3. *The Provision Poeceipt and Consumption Account.*

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

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

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

2870	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,	3 Boxes	~~lbs.~~ Dipt Candles,
309	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
"	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
270	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
45	lbs. Mutton,	2	cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,	4	cwt. Indian Meal,
	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
36	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,	1 Chest	~~lbs.~~ Tea,
	do. Porter,	3 cwt.	lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
3 Boxes	~~lbs.~~ Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 Poelief Lists and Weekly Poeceipt and Expenditure Books of the several Poelieving 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 Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 19th day of Febry. 1870 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - -	2	16	11
In Kind, - - - - - - -			
Total, - -	£2	16	11

Credit each Poelieving Officer as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	J. Palmer	8. .		
No. II.	W. H. Mills	5. .		
No. III.				
Total,		£13. .		

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
			Nil			

Registration Expenses

			Nil			

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.

Extern Hospitals Account.

Nil

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.
The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
Number of successful cases,
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

26th February 1875.

The Master reports that he returned part of the sweetmilk supplied by Mr. Brereton on Monday last and part of that supplied by Mr. McDonald on Wednesday, both as not being according to their contract with the Board.

Consideration postponed.

The Master reports having been specially instructed by Mr. Robinson P.L. Inspector that the Officers of the Workhouse should not absent themselves without his leave, he accordingly informed each of the Officers of such, but he regrets to have to report that the Schoolmaster has frequently left the Workhouse without even informing him, and having spoken to the Schoolmaster on the subject he declined to give any satisfaction, but made use of an expression which the Master considers both uncalled for and insubordinate.

The Schoolmaster was called before the Board and spoken to.

The Master reports that he attended Petty Sessions on Friday last, as a witness in the case of Denis Redmond, for desertion of his wife and child, and the Magistrates postponed it till next court day.

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

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

No 1565 — 25th. Febry. 1870.

Regret that the receipt for £200. 6. 9 the Grant for Medical and Educational expenses be signed and forwarded to their Office.

No. 3442 — 19th. Febry. 1870.

States that the 3rd. Clause of Article 21 of the General Dispensary Regulation obliges the Medical Officer to require a separate Ticket in each case requiring Medical Relief, though the applicants may be members of the same family residing together.

No. 49 m/yo. Miscellaneous 23rd. Febry. 1870.

A circular relative to the Election of Guardians, and the making out of Election Expenses.

The following Inmates were granted clothes to enable them to leave the Workhouse.—

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William Sullivan 15/- worth of clothes.
Charles Kenny — 1 a pair of Socks.
Alice Finn — the clothes of Daniel Redmond.
James Ballance — Referred to the Master to procure some clothes out of the old rag shop.

Dr. Owen's Motion

The Board having been specially summoned to consider this motion today, relative to procuring a Straw cutter, with a view to have the beds in the Workhouse filled with chopped straw, it was decided that the Master try the experiment with a borrowed machine and report accordingly

The Clerk's Report.

26th Febuary 1870.

The Clerk reports that he has lodged £2.9.6 for maintenance of Mr. Cooke's child in the Infirmary upto the 29th. January. last—

There is also 7/10 in his hands to be lodged next week, for the maintenance of— Brien 3 weeks in the Infirmary

Mr. N. Whitmore being furnished with his account for the maintance of his father in the Infirmary at 2/- a week States that he is unable to pay anything.

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Charles Kenny – a pair of Socks.
Alice Finn – the clothes of Daniel Redmond.
James Ballance – Referred to the Master to procure some clothes out of the old rag shop.

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28th Feby 70

Mr. Kirwan
Dr Sir
Please give
bearer 15/ worth of
clothes and charge
same to the Gnrg
Union &c
Thos. Tirham

...port.

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...hild in the Infirmary upto

... his hands to be lodged next
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...er in the Infirmary at 2/- a week
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The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the
5th day of March 1870.

(Signed) Henry Graham

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 26th day of February 1860,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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The following 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):

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

Nil

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

Nil

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount £*

Nil

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

Nil

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Dr. Metge has no disease to report.

Dr. Weldon has no disease to report.

Dr. Allen reports two cases of fever.

Dr. Bestall has no disease to report.

J A S Scott
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(*Signed*) Thomas Fishbaum
Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of Feby 1870

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse,	926	319										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	17										
Fever Sheds,												
TOTAL,	952	336										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			32	74	58	56	9	16	47	21	33	346
Admitted during the Week,			7	3	1						1	12
Born,												
TOTAL,			39	77	59	56	9	16	47	21	34	358
Discharged during the Week,			8	5	4	1				2	2	22
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			8	5	4	1				2	2	22
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			31	72	55	55	9	16	47	19	32	336

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	92	In separate Wards,	1
In Fever Hospital,	17	In Wards with other Inmates,	"
Total,	109	Total,	1

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
7	0	0	7

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1869 340.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26th day of February 1870 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Persons
No. I.	16	20			16	20
No. II.	5	11			5	11
No. III.						
TOTAL,	21	31			21	31

Comparative No. last year,

Cost, £3 : 20

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the fifth day of March 1870

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

Jas S Scott Esq JP.

Other Guardians: Messrs. Warren. Murphy. Cranwell. Simons, Horan. Kenny & Butler

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 930 to No. 943, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. ✓ to No. ✓, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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The 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, - - - £230 : 1 : 8

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 13 : - : -

And that the Balance on the Account for the Guardians was £111 : 9 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 Poelief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Poeceipt and Consumption Account.

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

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

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

641	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
296	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
70	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
280	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
70	lbs. Mutton,		cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,		cwt. Indian Meal,
12	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
36	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 Poelief Lists and Weekly Poeceipt and Expenditure Books of the several Poelieving 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 Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 26 day of Feb. 1870, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	2	16	11
In Kind, - - - - - - - -	-	-	-
Total, - -	£2	16	11

Credit each Poelieving Officer as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.	Nil			
No. III.				
Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

		£	s.	d.
129.	T Mullegan	–	15	2
140	J. W. Morris	77	13	5
141	W. Tyndall	2	2	9
142	L Doyle	9	6	8
143	J Driscoll	2	0	0
144	C Somerton	2	4	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
				128.	J M Redmd.	.	2	..
				136	S Clarke	2	10	3
				137	J Dowdall	2	12	8
				138	W Byrne	1	4	3
				139	R Stringer	2	9	0
				140	J W Morris	9	3	0

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

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Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
128. J. McKeon	49	9	11
129 J. Mulligan	29	14	8
130 J. McDonald	7	7	6
131 A. Maughton	10	6	4
132. M. Lacy	9	11	7
133 J. Burton	11	8	0
134 J. Flynn	35	14	0
135. J. Doyle.	22	14	11
140 J. Morris	54	1	5

Registration Expenses

	£	s.	d.
145. J. Allen	2	12	0
146. J. Bestall	1	13	6

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account. 7 5 2

~~6 10 8~~

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

140 J. Morris — J. Duncan 1 8 9

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

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

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

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

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

No. 257 - 4th, March 1870.
Inquiries as to the omission on the minutes of the 1st January last. of the resolution relating to the adoption of the Rate.
Ordered. Clerk to inform the Commissioners that the entry of the rate to be made appeared on the minutes of the Board meeting of the 11th Decr 1869.

No. 5314. 4th March 70
Refers to the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act, in Coolgrany District.
Ordered. Clerk to apply to the Medical Officer for the necessary information to enable the guardians to take proceedings against the defaulters.

A Circular from the Chief Secy's office was read,

A Circular requiring the usual return of Rates was read

No. 5.153 - 1st. March '70 Sanctions the proposed alteration to the Workhouse Boardroom

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Tenders accepted.

Mr. Mulligan's tender for Bread was accepted without lot being drawn, Mr Redmond's being the same, viz^d 4½ per 4 lb loaf. contract last month having been refused in error.

Oatmeal one month. T Mulligan at 14/- per cwt
Indiameal " " " " 7/5 "

Charles Somerton, Shoemaker, applied for a week's leave of absence to recruit his health.

Granted.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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.)

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Jas S Scott

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 12th day of March 1870

(Signed) Thos Tristram

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 5th day of March 1870—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount £*

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

Doctor Metge reports 2 cases of Measles and one of Erysipelas,

Doctor Allen reports no Disease,

Doctor Bestall reports 1 case of Measles

J A S Scott

(Signed) Thomas Instram
Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the ~~12~~ 5th day of March 1870

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse,	926	320										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	17										
Fever Sheds,												
TOTAL,	952	337										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			31	72	55	55	9	16	47	19	32	336
Admitted during the Week,			5	1	3	2	2					13
Born,												
TOTAL,			36	73	58	57	11	16	47	19	33	350
Discharged during the Week,			8	2	"	"	"	2	1	"	"	13
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			8	2	"	"	"	2	1	"	"	13
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			28	71	58	57	11	14	46	19	33	337

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
In Workhouse Hospital, 104	In separate Wards,
In Fever Hospital, 17	In Wards with other Inmates,
Total, 121	Total,

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
3	0	0	3

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1869 351

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of March 1870 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c: 31, s. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c: 31, s. 1 — Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 — Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Persons
No. I.	16	20			16	20
No. II.	5	11			5	11
No. III.						
TOTAL,	21	31			21	31

Comparative No. last year,

Cost, £3 : 2 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the 19th day of March 1870.

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

Sas. S. Scott Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians: Messrs.

Cramwill, Foley, Poole,

Murphy, Burkitt, Bolton and Binions,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No._____ to No._____, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No._____ to No._____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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The 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 the Guardians was £ : :

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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

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

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

645	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
336	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
83	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
274	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
76	lbs. Mutton,	4	cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,	2	cwt. Indian Meal,
	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 5th day of March 70 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	2	16	11
In Kind, - - - - - - - -			
Total, - -	£2	16	11

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Miller	5 —		
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,		£5 —		

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

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

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

12th March 1878.

The Master reports that he returned part of the Sweetmilk supplied by Mrs Lacy as not equal to sample.

Ordered.

This being the first complaint our present Master has ever had to make of the milk supplied by Mrs Lacy the guardians do not impose a fine, but require her to pay the additional cost of tea, sugar and butter supplied to paupers in lieu of the milk rejected.

The Medical Officer's Report

The Medical Officer reports the Shoemaker to be in a bad state of health, and recommends a fortnights exemption from work.

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

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

No. 5,749. 11th March 1870. Inquires what steps were taken in regard to the complaint of the Master on the 26th, Ulto. with respect to the Sweetmilk supplied by two milk Contractors, McDonald and Brierton —

Both were fined the extra cost of butter supplied in lieu of Sweetmilk.

No. 74 - M/70 A circular, requiring a return of the paupers relieved in the Workhouse during the past year, who were not born in Ireland, was read.

To be furnished.

Richd. Stone was granted 10/- worth of clothes to enable him to leave the Workhouse

Mrs. Lacy wrote requesting that as the fault found by the Master with her Sweetmilk is the first that has occurred with her, the Board would kindly overlook it in this instance.

For order see Chairman's order on Master's Report Book

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Form "G" Election of Guardians, forms sent to the Poor Law Commissioners on the 8th Inst. was laid on the table.

Chas Somerton, Shoemaker, was granted one weeks extension of exemption from Duty in consequence of continued ill health

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - -

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - -

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

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.)

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J. A. Scott

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the
19th day of March 18 45

(Signed) Thomas Chatham
Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 186 ,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metye for : *Amount £*

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

No. 69 — M/70. A Circular was read from which it appears that during the last quarter there were only four cases of small pox in Ireland - viz 1 case in Castlebar Union, 1 case in Downpatrick Union - 1 in the South Dublin Union and 1 in the Mitchelstown Union - none of them terminated fatally

Doctor Weldon reports one case of Diarrhoea and that Measles and hooping cough are very prevalent

Doctor Bestall reports no Disease

Doctor Metge reports five cases of fever

Doctor Allen reports 25 cases of hooping cough

J. A. S. Scott

(Signed) Thomas Tristram
Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of March 1870.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse,	926	312										
Temporary Buildings,	"	"										
Additional Workhouse,	"	"										
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	19										
Fever Sheds,												
TOTAL,	952	331										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			28	71	58	57	11	14	46	19	23	337
Admitted during the Week,			8	8	2	"	2	"	2	1	2	25
Born,												
TOTAL,			36	79	60	57	13	14	48	20	25	362
Discharged during the Week,			12	6	5	11	1	"	3	"	2	30
Died,						1						1
Total Discharged and Dead,			12	6	5	2	1	"	3	"	2	31
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			24	73	55	55	12	14	45	20	23	331

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
In Workhouse Hospital,	102	In separate Wards, 1
In Fever Hospital,	19	In Wards with other Inmates, "
Total,	121	Total, 1

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
7	2	1	10

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1869 345.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of March 1870 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 — Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Persons
No. I.	16	20			16	20
No. II.	5	11			5	11
No. III.						
TOTAL,	21	31			21	31

Comparative No. last year,

Cost, £3 : 2 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the Nineteenth day of March 1870

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

Jas. S. Scott Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians: Messrs.

Roe, Warren, Foley, Binions

Butler, Cramble and L. Doyle.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 943 to No. 991, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. — to No. —, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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The 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, - - - £235 : 10 : -

~~Paid during the week, - - - - - £235 : :~~

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

~~The Book was signed by the Chairman.~~

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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

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

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

66½	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
291	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
	lbs. Mutton,	2	cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,	1	cwt. Indian Meal,
	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 12th day of March 1870 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	2	16	11
In Kind,			
Total,	£2	16	11

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	J Palmer	6 —		
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,	£	6 —		

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
			R. Stringer	6	—	—

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

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

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

19th March 1870.

The Master reports that the shoes of the Workhouse are in a very bad state for want of repair, which if allowed to continue will be a material loss, and that he finds for some time past that the Shoemaker is not able to keep them in proper repair as he (the Master) believes from infirmity and old age,

Ordered— The Master employ a Shoemaker for next week

He also reports the necessity of having a supply of hot water in the Kitchen of the Infirmary for the use of that department, which is often required particularly for bathing patients sent direct to the Infirmary, and also to prevent female paupers from having recourse to the Kitchen which is at present necessary.

Referred to the Labour Committee

He has to report that on examining a pair of shoes which he found with a pauper about to leave the House, he (the Master) found them to be the property of the Union (shoes just Issued) with the brand defaced— The pauper (Stone) states that he bought them from a person in Carey. The Master states that on enquiry he finds that the late Master frequently purchases of persons leaving the Workhouse, which the Master hopes and believes was not done with the Knowledge of the Board.

Ordered. The Board consider that shoes once branded should never be given out of the House.

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

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

No. 6,404 – 14th March '70 – Points out that the fact of a rate being signed shall invariably be recorded on the Guardians minutes

A circular from the Rathdrum Union was read. inquiring the name, ~~death~~, date and cause of death, of every Union Officer since the poor Law was established.

A Petition from the Enniskillen Board of Guardians was adopted.

A boy named Sloane, applied for clothes to enable him leave the Workhouse; he was permitted to remain out a week on trial.

Eliza Doyle was granted £1 worth of clothes to enable her to take service with Jas Hughes.

Charles Somerton, Shoemaker, was granted one weeks extension of sick leave.

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Tenders –

The following tender for alteration was accepted by the Board: Commissioners Sanction requested.

Gentlemen.

I propose to furnish one lodge door the same as in Porter's room, finding all materials except bricks, which I could get in the Workhouse, The door is to correspond with the door in porter's hall, with stone sill.
Arches, lock, Hinges, Bolts, Latches and painting, all to please the Board of Guardians – for the sum of £17-10.0

, signed, Rich.d Stringer.

Tender accepted –
signed, Jas Scott. ch.

(The Clerk begs to inform the Poor Law Commissioners that the object of the above is to open a communication with the yard of the Female probationary and the ward itself, it being used every Saturday as a waiting room for applicants for relief &c., when the door off the leading passage is kept locked, by using the proposed entrance, then ~~it~~ would be no danger of the classification of the House being interfered with)

The Medical Officer's Report

The Medical officer would recommend John Hays to be sent to St. Mark's Ophthalmic Hospital.

March 19th 70.

Ordered,

John Hays to be sent as recommended.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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.)

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John Warren

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the
26 day of March 1870

(Signed) Thos Fortune
Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 19th day of March 1870,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for . . . . . : *Amount £*

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for . . . . . : *Amount £*

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for . . . . . : *Amount £*

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for . . . . . : *Amount £*

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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

The Board elected the following Poate-payers to be Members of the Committee of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Poegulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Poelief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Poegulations, to the new Members of the Committee, namely:—

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

A list of successful vaccination cases from Dr. Allen was signed by the Chairman and ordered to remain on the table for one month.

Doctor Bestall has no Disease to report

Doctor Allen reports one case of fever.

Doctor Weldon reports one case of measles

John Warren

(Signed) Thomas Whitaker
Clerk of the Union.

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Mr Kirwan, Please give bearer
Steam 10s/- worth of clothing, to
Union a/c

John Rice
Master

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Ida Riordan

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19 day of March 1870

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse,	926	320										
Temporary Buildings,	"	"										
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	19										
Fever Sheds,												
TOTAL,	952	339										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			24	73	55	55	12	14	45	20	33	331
Admitted during the Week,			13	5	3		1				2	24
Born,												
TOTAL,			37	78	58	55	13	14	45	20	35	355
Discharged during the Week,			11	2	1		1					15
Died,			1									1
Total Discharged and Dead,			12	2	1		1					16
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			25	76	57	55	12	14	45	20	35	339

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
In Workhouse Hospital, 102	In separate Wards, 1	
In Fever Hospital, 19	In Wards with other Inmates, "	
Total, 121	Total, 1	

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
12	1	—	13

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1869 338.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19 day of March 1870 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Persons
No. I.	16	20			16	20
No. II.	5	11			5	11
No. III.						
TOTAL,	21	31			21	31

Comparative No. last year,

Cost, £ 2:17 9

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the twenty-sixth day of March 1870

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

Mr John Warren.

Other Guardians: Messrs. Foley. Binns.

Murphy. Poole. Butler and Morris

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 991 to No. 1011, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1 to No. 1, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature 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, - - - £123: 13: 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £16: 14: 9

And that the Balance on the Account for the Guardians was £329: 2: 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.

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
Dain Pierce	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	Total												
	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
George Kerfoot	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	Total												
	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
George Earl	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	Total												
	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
James Donohoe	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	Total												
	Totals £												

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 Poelief List and Abstract.*
2. *The Provision Check Accounts.*
3. *The Provision Poeceipt and Consumption Account.*

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

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

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

4 lb. Loaves of Bread,	lbs. Dipt Candles,
gallons Sweetmilk,	stones Starch,
do. Buttermilk,	lbs. Blue,
lbs. Beef,	cwt. Washing Soda,
lbs. Mutton,	cwt. Oatmeal,
Beeves' Heads,	cwt. Indian Meal,
gallons Whiskey,	cwt. Soap,
bottles Wine.	lbs. Tobacco,
do. Brandy,	lbs. Tea,
do. Porter,	lbs. Sugar,
tons Coals,	cwt. Flour,
cwts. Salt,	lbs. Pepper,
lbs. Mould Candles,	lbs. Arrowroot,

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 Poelief Lists and Weekly Poeceipt and Expenditure Books of the several Poelieving 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 Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 19th day of March 70. whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	2	16	11
In Kind,			
Total,			

Credit each Poelieving Officer as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.	Nil			
No. III.				
Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Nil.			

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Salaries							
Very Rev Wm Atkins	6	5	"	W. Byrne	2	10	0
Rev. Jas Lacy	25	"	"	P. Sheehan	1	10	0
Dr Bonnell	25	"	"				
F. Instram	20	"	"				
J. Rice	12	10	"				
L. Goff	6	5	"				
J. Goff	5	"	"				
M Cullen	3	15	"				
M. O'Neill	5	"	"				
W. Fleming	5	"	"				
W A Miller	8	15	"				
J Palmer	7	10	0				

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

J. Ingham Roff. 2.10.0

Petty Cash Account.

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

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

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

The Master respectfully requests the instructions of the Board if it is his duty to prosecute all vagrants admitted into the Workhouse through the Relieving Officers – the Relieving Officer having equal power and opportunity of proving the offence as himself.

(Referred to the Relieving Officers)

The Master also requests instruction as to the conveyance of a pauper (Hayes) who was ordered to be sent to St. Mark's Hospital – The Master does not consider it judicious to send Hayes by himself as he had to be led up to the Boardroom.

The Master is Directed to see Hayes to St Mark's Ophthalmic Hospital

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

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

N.° 7,870 — 25th. March 70.

In reference to the Master's report of last Saturday in respect to the insufficiency of the Shoemaker. Chas. Dometon to discharge his duties, owing to old age and infirmity and requests the guardians views on the subject.

The following letter from the Shoemaker was read:—

26th. March 1870

My Lord and Gentlemen,

I beg most respectfully to tender my resignation of the situation of Master Shoemaker to this Work House which I have held for the last twenty eight years without a single complaint being made against me either as regards my general conduct or efficiency to discharge my duties. It is with deep regret that I am forced to state that old age combined with infirmity compels me to adopt this course, as I have no other means of subsistence.

I must therefore that in consideration of my long and faithful services, and my present helpless condition you will kindly allow me the amount of superannuation which you are empowered to grant by act of Parliament

I am at present 80 years of age, and in feeble health.

I have the honor &c &c.
Charles Somerton.

To the Board of Guardians.
Ordered.

Resignation accepted - the usual month allowed - Clerk to advertise for a Shoemaker to be elected on this day ~~fortnight~~ three weeks - tenders to be received -

Moved by by Mr. Foley & seconded by Mr. Binions That a table be procured and placed in the waiting Room for the use of the Relieving Officers who are in future to use said room as an office. it being convenient for the purpose of receiving applications -

Carried unanimously.

Notice of Motion -

I will on this day five weeks move that Charles Somerton be granted a Superannuation allowance

Signed,
Edward Foley.
26th March '70.

"Form R" Election of Guardians was laid on the table - the following is the list of Guardians for the ensuing year: -

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Form "R"

Ardamine	Nicholas Havan
Ballaughter	Peter Roe
Ballycanew	Thos Cranwill
Ballyellis	Thos Kinsella
Ballybeg	Lawrence Doyle
Ballygarrett	George Murphy
Ballylarkin	Richd Francis Berbidge
Ballyneshagh	James Dunne
Cahore	Thos H. Burkitt
Coolgraney	Robt F. Morris
Courtown	Saml Bimons
"	Benjamin Godkin
Ford and Killincooley	Pierce R. Rowe
Gney	Henry Butter
"	John Warren
"	Edwd Foley
Huntingtown & Kilnahue	John G. Poole
Kilcomb	Geo. A. Owen
Kilgorman	William O'Shaughnacy
Kilsenagh	Henry Bolton
Limerick	John McDonald
Monamolin	Thos Doyle
Monasseed	Joseph Kenny
Rossminogue	James Doyle
Wells	William Walsh
Wingfield	Henry Atkins
"	Robert H. Dowse

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 2nd day of April 1870

(Signed) Thos Fairbairn

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 26th day of March 1870,—*continued.*

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Gorey *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:*

Signed,

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

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

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GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for Salary : *Amount £* 25

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for Salary : *Amount £* 25

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for Salary : *Amount £* 25

Mem. rent 2-10-0

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

The Constable, R. Constabulary, reported that an ass in Coolgraney pound was becoming a nuisance owing to matter running from his back.

Mr. Palmer, R.O., stated in reply that he visited and found the owner of the ass had removed him, and that the ass was at the time of his visit, in consequence of the Constabulary Report, drawing manure through the village of Coolgraney, and that he, Mr Palmer, did not consider him a nuisance.
Ordered. Clerk to call the attention of the Constabulary to this report, and to request that he will be more careful in this respect in future.

Doctor Allen reports five cases of Diarrhoea

Doctor Weldon reports one case of Diarrhoea

Doctor Metge reports 2 cases of hooping cough 1 of throat disease and two of Pulmonary Disease

Doctor Bestall reports no disease.

J. A. S. Scott Ch

(Signed) Thomas Tristram
Clerk of the Union.

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Additional Workhouse,	"	
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	20
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	952	342

	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
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	25	76	57	55	12	14	45	20	35	339
Admitted during the Week,	11	1	1	1			1	1	1	17
Born,	"							"	"	
TOTAL,	36	77	58	56	12	14	46	21	36	356
Discharged during the Week,	8	2	1	2					1	14
Died,	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total Discharged and Dead,	8	2	1	2					1	14
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	28	75	57	54	12	14	46	21	35	342

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			OBSERVATIONS
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	97	In separate Wards,	1
In Fever Hospital,	20	In Wards with other Inmates,	
Total,	117	Total,	1

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
12	1	3	16

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1869 — 339.

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RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	15	47			15	47
No. II.	11	19			11	19
No. III.						
TOTAL,	26	66			26	66

Comparative No. last year,

Cost, £ : :

COPY of MINUTES of *Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the* Second *day of* April 1870

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

Jas. A. Scott Esq. J.P. and subsequently Colonel A. Richards Esq. J.P. D.L.

Other Guardians: Messrs.

W. W. Vesey J.P. Owen M'Donogh. Magan J.P.

Burkitt Butler. Warren. Simons

O'Shaughnessy. Poole. Morris. Foley. Doyne.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1001 to No. 1034, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. ✓ to No. ✓, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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The 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 the Guardians was £ : :

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
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	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 Poelief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Poeceipt and Consumption Account.

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

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

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

620	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
275	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
60	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
260	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
70	lbs. Mutton,		cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,	2	cwt. Indian Meal,
	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,	1	~~lbs.~~ cwt Tea,
	do. Porter,	3	~~lbs.~~ cwt Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 Poelief Lists and Weekly Poeceipt and Expenditure Books of the several Poelieving 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 Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 25 day of March 70 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	6	7	6
In Kind, - - - - - - - -			
Total, - -	£6	7	6

Credit each Poelieving Officer as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.	W. H. Miller	5 -		
No. III.				
Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
175 M. Morris	4	13	0
178 J. Whelan	6	2	6
179 C. Murphy	3	16	0
180 J. Russell	1	10	0
181 C. Cameron	1	13	0
194 J. Pierce	3	5	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
176 J. Mulligan	4	17	6
177 M. Doyle	3	18	9
182 W. Byrne	3	0	0
183 W. Bates	4	6	6
184 N. Lett	1	8	7
185 J. Whitten	2	12	6
196 Masterson	1	0	0
A. Pierce			

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
			170 I Kirk	35	12	6
			171 M Lacy	9	13	11
			172 A Naughter	11	6	11
			173 I McDaniel	6	10	4
			174 F Brierton	10	11	11
			175 J N Morris	7	7	0
			176 F Mulligan	48	14	8
			185 A Whitten	14	6	2
			186 I McRedmond	17	0	6
			187 I Kempson	2	2	"

Registration Expenses

D Weldon	5	18	0

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account. 9. 19. 3

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

Number of successful cases,

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

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

The Master reports that the boy Hayes was admitted to St Mark's Ophthalmic Hospital. (See explanation).

Notley Dr Boswell,

"Hayes asked to be sent to Dublin. I recommended him to
" be sent as I thought it was perfectly useless to attempt
" to treat him here while he continued discontented and
" unwilling to carry out my orders. Sent back the same
" day. Consider the plan of sending patients to Dublin
" a bad one, when the request does not originate with
" the Medical Officer. ~~It is~~ It is a source of
" discontent and insubordination with them and
" a constant source of annoyance to him.

March 31st 1870.

Report of Master Continued.

He also reports that a metal ventilator in the female dormitory has been blown down and broken and the Master to procure a new one with as little delay as possible.

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

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

Moved by Mr. Morris.
Seconded by Mr. Warren } That the Right Honble the Earl of Courtown be reappointed Chairman of this Board of Guardians for the ensuing year
— Carried Unanimously

Moved by Wm M Vesey Esq
Seconded by Mr Bhinions } That R. S. Doyne Esq J.P. be reappointed Vice Chairman
— Carried Unanimously

Moved by Mr Foley
Seconded by Mr. Poole } That S. A. Richards Esq J.P. be reappointed Deputy Vice Chairman.
— Carried Unanimously

No. 7.870 31st March 1870. Asks for a plan of the proposed alteration in the Hall of the Workhouse Ordered. Clerk to send a plan Explaining the object of the alteration

No. 97. M. 1870 A circular relating to a return of Sanitary Inspectors.

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No. 8646 Sends queries to be answered by the Clerk and the person to be appointed to the office of Shoemaker

Tenders accepted.

Oatmeal. one month. as per Sample. at 2d 7/6 p. bag. J. M. Redmond
Indiameal. Do. Do. Do. 13/9. cwt. J. Milligan
Bread Do. Do. Do. d 4 1/4 p 4 lb loaf. Do.

Ordered £1 worth of clothes to be granted to Mary Balance provided Mr. Doyle gives the usual guarantee

Edward Carton was allowed to leave the House, his children, being ill, were allowed to remain in the Infirmary

Proposed by Jas S Scott Esq. JP.
seconded by Mr. Burkitt. That the following Committee be appointed for the ensuing year
Carried Unanimously.

Committees Appointed for the Year ending 25th of March, 1870.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Mr. Richards; ~~Mr Nunn~~ Mr. O Shaugnessy; Mr M'Daniel ~~Mr Morris~~; and Mr Dunne. Col Guise VC

FINANCE & RATE COLLECTORS' COMMITTEE

Mr Vesey; Mr Scott; Mr Wybrants; ~~Mr Nunn~~; Mr Roe; Mr Dowse; and Mr. H. Bolton. Mr. Warren, H Butler, Cranwill

BUILDING AND LABOUR COMMITTEE.

Mr Richards; Mr Scott; Mr Wybrants; Mr Rowe; Mr Kenny; Mr Roe; Mr Bolton and Dr Owen. Mr. O Shaugnessy.

CLOTHING COMMITTEE.

Mr Butler; Mr Cranwill; Mr Binnions, Mr W H Dowse; Mr John Warren; Mr George Murphy, and Mr Morris. Mr. Dunne

There being a vacancy for two Ex Officio guardians the names of Viscount Powerscourt and Alex. N. King Esq were added,

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - -

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - -

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

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.)

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J A Richards
Ca^n Ap^l 9.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 9th day of April 1870

(Signed) Thos Fitzgerald

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. } —(*Special.*)
[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 2nd day of April 1870—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

S. Imbrooke & Co 21.9.2
J. Kirwan 1-15-0

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

A. Irvine 2.10.0

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount £*

N. Lett 0.7-8
195 S. Imbrooke & Co 2.18.6
Do. D 2.14.11
E. Fowler 2-2-6 J. Noblett 2-2.6

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

B. Pielow 3-0.0
C. Naughter 1-15-0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the W... the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the B... Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement ... Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The follow... total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

Dispensary Committee appointed by resolution for ensuing year.

Gorey Dispensary.

Consisting of the Electoral Divisions of Ardamine, Ballynestragh, Courtown, Gorey, and Kilnahue, in the above Union.

The Earl of Courtown, Courtown House, Gorey.
Stephen Ram, Ramsfort, Gorey.
Sir John Esmonde, M.P., Ballynestragh, Gorey.
John H. Glascott, Clonattin, Gorey.
S. A. Richards, Ardamine, Gorey.
Harry Alcock, Wilton, Enniscorthy.
R. S. Doyne, Wells, Gorey.
W. M. Vesey, Gorey.
Percy Magan Marlfield, Gorey.
James S. Scott, Courtown, Gorey.
Edward Foley, Ballyrahan, Gorey.
John Warren, Ballaghboy, Leskinfere.
Samuel Binnions, Prospect, Gorey.
H. Butler, Banogue, Gorey.
James Duune, Knockina, Gorey.
L. N Nunn, Middletown, Courtown Harbour.
W. Wybrants, Ashton, Ballycanew.
John G. Poole, Ballyowen.
Nicholas Horan, Ballinacur, Courtown Harbour.
Richard F. Borbidge, Larch Hill, Inch.
Benjamin Godkin, Prospect.
Colonel Guise, Woodlands, Gorey.
George A. Owen, Ramsgate, Gorey.

first meeting Saturday 9th Apl

Camolin Dispensary.

Consisting of the Electoral Divisions of Balloughter, Ballyellis, Ballybeg, Kilcomb, Monaseed, Huntingtown, and Rosminogue, in the above Union.

The Earl of Courtown, Courtown House, Gorey.
Sir John Esmonde, M.P. Ballynestragh, Gorey.
Peter Roe, Ballinclare, Camolin.
William Warren, Clonhenret, Camolin.
J. H. Glascott, Clonattin, Gorey.
~~W. B. Bromrigg, Norrishount, Camolin.~~
Robert Webster, Raheen.
S. A. Richards, Ardamine, Gorey.
John Warren, Ballaghboy, Leskinfere.
Thomas Kinsella, Brideswell, Carnew.
Joseph Kenny, Ballyconran, Carnew.
Charles Rourk, Camolin.
Henry Ringwood, Medophall, Camolin.
Richard Donovan, Ballymore, Camolin.
John G. Poole, Ballyowen.
Thomas Cranwill, Ballyfin, Ballycanew.
James Doyle, Upper Island, Gorey.
Laurence Doyle, Askamore, Carnew.
George A. Owen, Ramsgate, Gorey.

Earl of Granard

first meeting Tuesday 12th Apl

Coolgreney Dispensary.

Consisting of the Electoral Divisions of Ballylarkin, Coolgreney, Kilgorman, Limerick, and Wingfield, in the above Union.

M. F. Beauman, Hyde Park, Inch.
George O'Grady, Plattinstown, Arklow.
R. Symes, Wingfield, Resnestragh, Rathdrum.
Robert T. Morris, Rathpierce Upper, Inch.
W. H. Dowse, Craan, Resnestragh, Rathdrum.
Henry Atkins, Hollyfort.
Richard F. Borbidge, Larch Hill, Inch.
~~L. N. Nunn, Middletown, Courtown Harbour.~~ Earl of Granard
~~William Smith, Commer, Inch.~~ Visct Powerscourt
J, M'Donald, Ballyconlore, Inch.
W. Wybrants, Ashton, Ballycanew
~~John Godkin, Kilcavan, Gorey~~
R. H. Higginbotham, Plattinstown, Arklow.
W. Moore, Knockbawn, Inch.
P. Sullivan, Pallis, Inch.
W. O'Shaughnessy

first meeting Monday 11 Apl

Killena & Wells Dispensary.

Consisting of the Electoral Divisions of Ballycanew, Ballygarrett, Cahore, Kilenagh, Forde, Monamolin, Killincooley and Wells, in the above Union.

R. S. Doyne, Wells, Gorey,
Rt. Hon. Justice George, Cahore, Clonevan.
~~Captain George, Cahore, Clonevan.~~ Earl of Granard
J. C. Pounden, Ballywalter, Clonevan
Wm. Bolton, The Island, Kilmuckridge.
W. I. Bryan, Upton, Kilmuckridge.
Henry Johnston, Tomagaddy, Ballycanew.
Joseph Gainfort, Craanacrower, Ballycanew.
Richard F. Borbidge, Larch Hill, Inch.
M. F. Beauman, Hyde Park, Inch.
Thomas Cranwill, Ballyfin, Ballycanew.
Edward T. Irvine, St. Aidan's, Ferns.
F. H. Burkitt, Seaview, Clonevan.
P. R. Rowe, Ballyrahan, Kilmuckridge.
W. Wybrants, Ashton, Ballycanew.
Thomas Doyle, Raheendarrigg, Monamolin, Gorey.
~~L. N. Nunn, Middletown, Courtown Harbour.~~ LIVNUNN.
Robert Symes, Wingfield, Resnastragh, Rathdrum.
Richard Scallin, Kilnamanagh, Oulart.
Henry Butler, Banogue, Gorey.
H. Bolton, Ballinastraw, Monamolin.
James M'Grath, Annagh, Killenagh.
W. Porter, Killenagh Park, Killenagh.
William Walsh, Ballyvadden, Oulart.
George Murphy, Parknashogue, Killenagh.

first meeting Monday 11 Apl

30th March, 1869.

THOMAS TRISTRAM,
Clerk of Gorey Union.

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

Read Letter from ✓ dated ✓
stating that

No. 97 - M 1870. A circular relating to Sanitary Inspectors.

No. 95 M 70. Refers to the annual appointment of Dispensary Committees and Wardens.

The following letter was read,

Sir. I will thank the Board to grant me three days leave of absence next week provided I can get my Dispensary duties attended to for that time.

Yr. obedt. Servt.
(Signed) Geo. Weldon

Granted - there having been no meeting of the Dispensary Committee to day & the case being urgent.

Mr. Miller Relieving Officer states that the two nurse children in his district are in good health and well taken care of

Mr. Palmer reports the nine nurse children in his district to be in good health and well taken care of

Dr. Weldon reports one case of Measles
Dr. Bestall has no Disease to report.
Dr. Allen reports one case of Fever
Dr. Metge reports one case of throat Disease

Sanitary
Cor. Opt. G.

(Signed) Thos. Instrum
Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of April 1870

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse,	926	323										
Temporary Buildings,	"	"										
Additional Workhouse,	"	"										
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	15										
Fever Sheds,												
TOTAL,	952	338										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			27	74	58	54	12	14	45	20	34	338
Admitted during the Week,			11	9	"	1	"	1	1	1	2	26
Born,												
TOTAL,			38	83	58	55	12	15	46	21	36	364
Discharged during the Week,			13	6	1	0	"	"	3	~~3~~	1	24
Died,					1						1	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			13	6	2	.	.	.	3	.	2	26
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			25	77	56	55	12	15	43	21	34	338

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	98	In separate Wards,	1
In Fever Hospital,	15	In Wards with other Inmates,	"
Total,	113	Total,	1

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
10	3	—	13

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1869 340

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of april 1870 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Persons
No. I.	15	47			15	47
No. II.	11	19			11	19
No. III.						
TOTAL,	26	66			26	66

Comparative No. last year,

Cost, £ 5 : 19 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the ninth day of April 1870

PRESENT: *In the Chair.* Jas. S. Scott Esq. J.P.
Solomon A. Richards Esq. J.P. D.V.C.

Other Guardians: Messrs. Wm. M. Vesey J.P. Colonel Guise J.P. C.B. V.C.
J. Hflascott J.P. J. A. Owen M.D.
Foley. Kinsella. O'Shaughnessy
J. Doyle & Horan.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1034 to No. 1049, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. — to No. —, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
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	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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

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

600	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
300	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
70	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
275	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
70	lbs. Mutton,	4	cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,	2	cwt. Indian Meal,
1	2 3 gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
36	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 2 day of April 30 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	6	7	6
In Kind,			
Total,	£ 6	7	6

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£ s. d. £ s. d.

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

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

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

9th April 70

The Master reports that the woodwork of the House is now ready for painting, which he would respectfully recommend as necessary

Ordered - the Board to be summoned for this day week to consider this subject.

The Master respectfully requests that the Board will order that the Matron take the sole charge of the straw store she being responsible for the state of the bedding of the House.

Ordered - the Board decline to take the straw out of the Master's charge but direct that he be not required to give any without a requisition on the proper form, and that the Matron note on the requisition for the information of the Board the numbers & wards of the beds for which straw is used from time to time.

The Master begs to report that Dr Bonnell is ill and unable to attend to his duties and that Dr Weldon is discharging them

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

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

No. 93. 12/90 Requires a return of Rates to be furnished.

The Commissioners are requested to inform this Board as to whether it is the duty of the Masters or the Relieving Officers to prosecute paupers for vagrancy or desertion

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 16th day of April 1870

(Signed) Wm. C. Tristram

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 9th day of April 1870,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount £*

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from P.L. Commissioners dated 8th april '70 stating that

States that the Guardians have no power to grant leave of absence to a Dispensary Medical Officer, who discharges his duties under the supervision of the Dispensary Committee and not of the Guardians.

No. 100 – M/70. Relates to returns of Dispensary Committees.

Doctor Metje reports one case of throat disease.

Gorey Dispensary

At a Special Meeting of the Gorey Dispensary Committee held Saturday 9th april 70. Present Jas. S. Scott Esq. in the chair, Mr. H Butler. Mr. S Binions, Mr. E. Foley Mr. J H Glascott Hon. Secy.

Proposed by Mr. Foley
Seconded by Mr. Butler } – that the Earl of Courtown be Chairman for the ensuing year
Passed.

Proposed by Mr. Glascott
Seconded by Mr. Binions } – that S. A. Richards Esq. be Vice Chairman for the year ensuing year
Passed

Proposed by Mr. Butler seconded by Mr. Foley that Mr. Glascott be Hon. Sec: for year ensuing
Passed

Medical Register from No. 223 to 335 examined & signed

(Signed) Thos. Fristram
Clerk of the Union.

J A S Scott Jr

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of April 1870.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date
Workhouse,	926	317
Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse,	26	15
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	952	332

	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
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	25	77	56	55	12	15	43	21	34	338
Admitted during the Week,	4	7	2	2	1	2	3	2	3	26
Born,										
TOTAL,	29	84	58	57	13	17	46	23	37	364
Discharged during the Week,	6	8	3	..	1	1	1	4	4	28
Died,		1					1		2	4
Total Discharged and Dead,	6	9	3	.	1	1	2	4	6	32
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	23	75	55	57	12	16	44	19	31	332

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	100	In separate Wards,	1
In Fever Hospital,	15	In Wards with other Inmates,	"
Total,	115	Total,	1

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
3	2	4	9

Number in the House corresponding Week in 18 69: 343

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	15	47			16	47
No. II.	11	19			11	19
No. III.						
TOTAL,	26	66			26	66

Comparative No. last year,

Cost, £ 3 : 4 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the Sixteenth day of April 1870

PRESENT: *In the Chair.* Dat Scott Esq. J.P.

Also Present Solomon A. Richards Esq. M.D. R.C.

Other Guardians: Messrs. Colquhoun J.P. C.B. V.C. Cross. J.C. Pounden J.P. M.A. Hassett J.P. Geo. A. Owen M.D. Roe. Poole. Kenny. Horan. J. Doyle. Foley. L. Doyle. Akins. Doyle. Butler Warren Binns Burkitt. O'Shaughnessy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1049 to No. 1068, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. — to No. —, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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The 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 the Guardians was £ : :

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 Poelief List and Abstract.*
2. *The Provision Check Accounts.*
3. *The Provision Poeceipt and Consumption Account.*

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

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

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

686	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
336	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
70 ~~400~~	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
400	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
70	lbs. Mutton,		cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,	40 lbs. Butter.	cwt. Indian Meal,
12	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
36	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,	1 Chest	lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,	3 Cwt	~~lbs.~~ Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 Poelief Lists and Weekly Poeceipt and Expenditure Books of the several Poelieving 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 Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 9th day of April 90 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	-	6.	7. 6
In Kind,	-		
Total,	£	6.	7. 6

Credit each Poelieveng Officer as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Palmer	6—		
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
D. Kennedy.	1	13	

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
			Nil			

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.

Nil

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

Nil

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

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

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

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

16th. April 1870.

The Master requests that the Board will kindly grant the usual Easter dinner for the paupers.

Ordered.

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

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

No. 9824. 14th April 1870.

Sanctions the proposed alteration in the Patric Hall and suggests that a door be placed in passage leading to the Main Building as a less expensive mode of effecting the object in view.
Ordered.

Refered to the Labour Committee to report thereon this day.

An application for an inmate named Thos Kehoe was refused.

The Matron and Schoolmaster were granted one days leave of absence. the Master and Schoolmistress to look after these departments meanwhile.

Applications by Inmates for Clothes

Mary Dracy. to appear this day week with the party (Mr Sharp) promising to hire her.

Jane Shortall allowed £1 worth of Clothes on Dr. Shortall signing the usual guarantee.

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Election of Shoemaker.

There were seven Candidates in attendance all of whom were well recommended.
On being examined it was ascertained that four only of the Candidates could read and write; so that agreeably to the printed regulations of the Poor Law Commissioners the remaining men were not eligible for election.
The following men were polled for y:-
Wilcox, Brennan, Naughter and Beahan and the votes are as follow:-
For Wilcox. Messrs Atkins, Binions, Burkitt, Butler, Dowse, Glascott, Col. Guise, Horan, Owen, Pounden, Roe and Warren (12)

For Beahan. Messrs L Doyle, J Doyle J Kenny, O'Shaughnacy, S A Richards JP. (Chairman) Jas J Scott JP. (6)

For Brennan Messrs. Poole.

For Naughter 0.

Wilcox was declared duly elected on the terms of his tender (11/- a week) his duties to commence immediately

The Board being summoned to consider the question of painting the Workhouse, after some discussion the Clerk was directed to summon the Labour Committee for 11½ o'clock next Saturday.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the
23rd day of April 1870

(Signed) James Richard
Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 16th day of April 1870,—*continued.*

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the See under *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:*

Killenaghs Coolgraney.

Dispensary District.

Signed

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for ✓ : *Amount £*

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for ✓ : *Amount £*

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for ✓ : *Amount £*

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for ✓ : *Amount £*

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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

Coolgraney Dispensary 11th, apr.l 1870

At a meeting of the Coolgraney Dispensary held this day members present Messrs. Higginbotham and Morris (Mr. Higginbotham in the Chair.) Honorary Officers were appointed for the ensuing year. namely
M. F. Beauman Esq. Chairman.
R. Symes Esq Vice Chairman
R. J. Morris Esq. Hon Sec.
W. H. Dowse Esq Hon assistant Sec.
Medical Officer James Metge E.M.B. – Two Requisitions for medicines were signed – Rooms were taken for vaccination purposes for the months of May & October. one in Castletown and another in Hallyfort. The Committee meeting days to be held as usual on the monthly fair days. A Bill of John Noblett of Wicklow Gap for 7/6 for putting shelves in the Wicklow Gap Dispensary was recommended to be paid, also a bill for lock of same Dispensary 3/6 to be paid. The Medical Officer applied for a week's leave of absence which was granted by his supplying a properly qualified substitute, namely Dr. John Tyndall of Gorey. Signed,

Rich.d H. Higginbotham
ch.
Robert J. Morris. Hon Sec.

Killenagh and Wells,

I have to report that a meeting of the Killenagh and Wells Dispensary Committee was held on the 11th Inst. R. S. Doyne Esq was

(Signed) Thos Fristham

Clerk of the Union.

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re elected Chairman.
Henry Bolton Esq. vice Chairman
The Secretaries continuing in Office.
An application was made by the Medical Officer for Medicines which was granted
Signed,
John C Pounden
Hon Sec

Doctor Metz reports one case of Scarlatina

Doctor Allen reports the Same.

Doctor Bestall reports no disease

Doctor Weldon reports 1 case of fever one of Dianhoea, and several of hooping Cough.

S A Richards Ch.

Thomas Tristram
Clerk

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GOREY UNION.

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of April 1870

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse,	926	316										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	11										
Fever Sheds,												
TOTAL,	952	327										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,												
Admitted during the Week,												
Born,												
TOTAL,												
Discharged during the Week,												
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,												
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,												

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	104	In separate Wards,	1
In Fever Hospital,	11	In Wards with other Inmates,	—
Total,	115	Total,	1

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
8	0	0	8

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1869 } 334.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16 day of April 1870 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Persons
No. I.	15	47			15	47
No. II.	11	19			11	19
No. III.						
TOTAL,	26	66			26	66

Comparative No. last year,

Cost, £ 3 : 4 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the 23rd. day of April 1870

PRESENT: In the Chair. Solomon A Richards Esq. D.L. D.V.C.

Other Guardians: Messrs. Jas Scott D.L. Alex. M.D. Colfuis. B.L. Murphy. Foley and Binns

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No._____ to No._____, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No._____ to No._____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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The 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 the Guardians was £ : :

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 Poelief List and Abstract.*
2. *The Provision Check Accounts.*
3. *The Provision Poeceipt and Consumption Account.*

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

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

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

4 lb. Loaves of Bread,	lbs. Dipt Candles,
gallons Sweetmilk,	stones Starch,
do. Buttermilk,	lbs. Blue,
lbs. Beef,	cwt. Washing Soda,
lbs. Mutton,	cwt. Oatmeal,
Beeves' Heads,	cwt. Indian Meal,
gallons Whiskey,	cwt. Soap,
bottles Wine.	lbs. Tobacco,
do. Brandy,	lbs. Tea,
do. Porter,	lbs. Sugar,
tons Coals,	cwt. Flour,
cwts. Salt,	lbs. Pepper,
lbs. Mould Candles,	lbs. Arrowroot,

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 Poelief Lists and Weekly Poeceipt and Expenditure Books of the several Poelieving 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 Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 16 day of Apr whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	3	4	0
In Kind, - - - - - - - -			
Total, - -	£3	4	0

Credit each Poelieving Officer as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Palmer	8 —		
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
O'Brien Shaw	2	4	4

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.

	£	s.	d.
A Pardon	1	0	0

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d		£	s.	d

Registration Expenses.

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.

Extern Hospitals Account

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

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

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

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

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

No 106 - M/70 - A circular with which were enclosed 69 copies of the 'Law and practice of Relief' were forwarded for Distribution was read

No 111 - M/70. Requires an additional return with reference to 'Agricultural Holdings'. furnished

No. 113 M/70. A circular requiring particulars of the number of Agricultural leases granted in the Union for a less time than 21 years was read

No 10.171 - 20th April 70 - Refers to the report of Mr Robinson, P.L.I. on his recent inspection of the Workhouse, and states that at his inspection on the 12th Inst. he found it in a very clean orderly and creditable state the sanitary condition of the Establishment satisfactory and the Hospitals in very good order.
Mr Robinson next noticed the Schools - to the effect that the progress of the children in the male School showed a marked improvement but the female School, though the progress was reported in some respects to be fair

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was pronounced to be backward in Arithmetic and Geography - Mr R. entertains a hope that on his next inspection he will be in a position to report more favourably of the Schoolmistress -
Copping and pointing were said to be required to some of the Yard walls, and the painting of the Workhouse was recommended.

Ordered - The Board fully concur in the trust that the girls School will show a steady improvement on the next inspection. Some unavoidable neglect occurred through the ill health of the former mistress and the present one has had only a short trial as yet - The attention of the Labour Committee will be directed to the defects alluded to in the pointing of the masonry - Their Report & recommendation on the painting of the Woodwork is before the Board this day.

No. 10,091 21st April 1870. States in reply to the guardians request to be informed whether it is the duty of the Master of the Workhouse or the Retiring Officer to prosecute vagrants and persons who have deserted their families, that whichever officer can give the most satisfactory proof of the offence having been committed should in their opinion prosecute.

Mr Farmer Revisor of Valuation gave notice of attendance on the 4th May next.

Clothes granted to Inmates

Jane Pierce £1 worth.
Edwd. Hoolahan a pair of shoes.
Proposed by Mr Scott, J.P.
seconded by Mr Bimins } that the door ordered by the Board and sanctioned by the Poor Law Commissioners be placed in the Porters Hall - the Clerk to order Stringer to commence the work immediately
Carried Unanimously

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The Labour Committee recommend the outside of the Workhouse be painted, that the Guardians buy the Materials and advertise for a Journeyman painter to do the Work -

The Labour Committee strongly recommend that a service pipe of sufficient size be fixed to lead of the steam pipes in drying room and carried from that to Cave boiler in Laundry - the present waste pipe being far too small and exceedingly dangerous -

The stuffing boxes on blow off pipes in the Kitchen boilers also require to be put in order - Ordered -

The Master to correspond with Mr Smyth plumber of Wexford and find out if he can execute the necessary work, and that he (the Master) report to the next Board the result of his enquiries.

The Clerk to get tenders from Messrs Boileau and Boyd, and other principal druggists in Dublin for the supply of Painting materials - & to advertise in the Local papers for a Journeyman painter.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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.)

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H. M. Vesey

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 30th day of April 1870

(Signed) [illegible]

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68, } —(*Special.*)
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 23rd day of April 1870,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount £*

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Dr Weldon reports that measles and hooping cough are still prevalent.
Dr Allen reports no Disease.
Dr Bristall reports no Disease.

Gorey Dispensary - 6th Nov. 69 -
Present in the Chair, J.H. Glascott & Mr Binns
The proceedings of last Committee read and signed - the Medical Register from 802 to 885 examined and signed -
Bills for rents of Vaccination stations produced and ordered to be paid.
The Medical officer handed 46 cases of successful vaccination performed by him at a shilling per head and 6 cases of vaccination by him at 3d per head - payment ordered.
Brought before the Board 23rd April 1870. - payment ordered of rent of rooms and vaccination claims -

Gorey Dispensary - 5th March 70 -
Proceedings of last meeting confirmed -
Medical Register from 886 to 1022 for 1869 and from 1 to 222 of present year examined and signed.
The Med: Offr. produced form visiting tickets for attendance at the Dispensary with the names of Mr. Ralph member of Committee attached thereto, but not signed by him - He has not entered same in the Register.
The Med: Offr. informed the Committee that he was taken suddenly ill on Christmas eve after leaving the Dispensary and was confined to bed for two days not being well enough to write to the Chairman, he got the Clerk of the Union to engage Dr Boswell

(Signed) Thos Tristram

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to act for him for those days.
Dr Bonnell applies for one guinea for his attendance on those two days: which the Committee recommend to be paid.
The half yearly expenditure ending 29th Sep: 69 laid before the Committee.
Laid before the Board 23rd. April 70.
The Board consider they are precluded from granting the fee by the Commissioners letter of the 7th Jany 70.

W. McKeey.

Thomas Eristham
Clerk of Union.

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Born,												
TOTAL,												
Discharged during the Week,												
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,												
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,												327

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

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Total, 115	Total, 1	

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
8			8

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No. I.	15	47			15	47
No. II.	11	9			11	9
No. III.						
TOTAL,	26	66			26	66

Comparative No. last year,

Cost, £3 : 4 0

COPY of MINUTES of *Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the* Thirtieth *day of* April 1870

PRESENT: *In the Chair.*

Wm. M. Vesey Esq J.P.

Afterwards S. A. Richards Esq J.P. D.L.

Other Guardians: ~~Messrs.~~

Jas. S. Scott Esq J.P. ~~L.C.B.~~

Col. Guise J.P. D.L. C.B. Peter Roe. Atkins Burkitt

Owen M.D. Butler, Warren, Binnions, Horan

Dunne, Poole, Glascott J.P. O'Shaughnessy. Murphy

L. Doyle and Mc. Daniel.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

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

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	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
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	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
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do. Brandy,	lbs. Tea,
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	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	6	6	-
In Kind, - - - - - - - -	-	-	-
Total, - -	£ 6	6	0

Credit each Poelieveng Officer as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	J Palmer	6 —		
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,		£6 —		

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

£	s.	d.

Registration Expenses

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account.

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

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

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

30th April 1870.

The Master begs to report that the Shoestire of the Workhouse was broken into by some person unknown on Wednesday night last - he reported the circumstance to the Constabulary at Gorey -

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

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

No. 10738 - 28th April 1870.

Sends queries to be answered with reference to the appointment of Mr. Wilcox as Master Shoemaker.

No. 116 M/70

Encloses a form on which to file in the particulars of Medical and Educational Expenses for past half year.

No. 7704 - Calls for returns with respect to Union Rating and Sanitary Inspectors.

The Board being summoned for the required term to consider the question of granting Chas. Somerton late Shoemaker a Superannuation allowance, he being entitled to it subject to the consent of the Guardians, by Act of Parliament, having served them 28 years, and being over 80 years of age it was unanimously resolved that a Superannuation allowance be granted.

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Proposed by Mr. Scott J.P.
Seconded by Mr Roe } That the full amount to which Charles Somerton is entitled viz £19-0-0 be granted.

Proposed by Mr. Warren
Seconded by Mr. Vesey } That £18. 5. 0. be granted.

Proposed by Mr. Horan
Seconded by Mr. Murphy } That £15 12s be granted.

On the polling list being headed with the three different amounts the following voted viz.=

For £19 = Messrs. Binnions and Scott J.P. (2)

For £18. 5 = Messrs. Atkins, Butler, Glascott J.P. Owen M.D. Poole, Richards J.P. Roe, Vesey J.P. Warren (9)

For £15. 12. Messrs. Burkitt, L. Doyle, Dunne Foley, Horan, McDaniel, Murphy and O'Shaughnessy (8).

The most votes being for the two sums £18. 5 and £15. 12. another poll was taken —
the votes were as follow —

For £18. 5 — Messrs. Atkins, Binnions, Butler, Glascott J.P. Owen, Poole, Richards J.P. Roe, Scott J.P. Vesey and Warren (11)

For £15. 12 = Messrs. Butler, L. Doyle, Dunne, Foley, Horan, O'Shaughnessy, McDaniel, and Murphy. (8)

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It was accordingly decided that £18.5 be granted yearly to Charles Somerton and that the Sanction of the Poor Law Commissioners be requested.

Clothes granted to Paupers.

Bridget Sutton and her child £1.10 worth – not to be given until Mr. Vesey writes to the Master after having seen her brother.

Eliza Graham £1 worth.

Mary Crowe the clothes of her Mother in law deceased.

× Catherine Cartan 6/6 for a pair of Shoes – the usual guarantee to be signed.

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 7th day of May 1870

(Signed) Wm O Frisham

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 30th day of April 1864,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount £*

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject,)*

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners ~~dated~~ ~~stating that~~

No. 117 m/70.

A Circular was read having reference to the appointment of Committees under the Sanitary Acts

Sanitary Reports.

Dr. Weldon reports one case of fever.
Dr. Allen reports no disease.
Dr. Bestall reports no disease.

Dr. Metge reports that on last Friday he was unable to attend at the Dispensary as he had to visit a child at Cummer, with disease of brain after measles, who has since died.
He also reports two cases of English or Irish Cholera one at Coolnagloose with vomiting, purging and cramps that the Coolnagloose patient has since recovered but the Coolgraney patient (an old woman) is still weak although she has been relieved of the above symptoms viz- purging vomiting and Cramps.
29th. March 1870.

Edw Foley

(Signed) [signature]

Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861—24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of April 1870

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse,	926	304										
Temporary Buildings,	"											
Additional Workhouse,	"											
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	14										
Fever Sheds,												
TOTAL,	952	318										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			23	76	56	54	11	14	42	19	32	327
Admitted during the Week,			18	6	1	3	2	1	"	1	3	35
Born,											1	1
TOTAL,			41	82	57	57	13	15	42	20	36	363
Discharged during the Week,			20	8	1	2	3	2	2	2	3	43
Died,											2	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			20	8	1	2	3	2	2	2	5	45
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			21	74	56	55	10	13	40	18	31	318

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	104	In separate Wards,	1
In Fever Hospital,	14	In Wards with other Inmates,	
Total,	118	Total,	1

OBSERVATIONS

CASUAL PAUPERS.

Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
16	1	4	21

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1869 314

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Persons
No. I.	15	47			15	47
No. II.	11	9			11	9
No. III.						
TOTAL,	26	66			26	66

Comparative No. last year,

Cost, £3 : 9 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the Seventh day of May 1870.

PRESENT: In the Chair.

Mr. Foley

afterwards Solomon A Richards Esq. J.P. D.V.L.

Other Guardians: ~~Messrs.~~

Col Grise J.P. C.B. vice.

Messrs. Murphy. Cranwill. Binions. Morris.

Poole. F. Doyle and McDonald.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1068 to No. 1184, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. — to No. —, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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The 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 the Guardians was £ : :

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
DAIN PIERCE	Ardamine												
	Ballycanew												
	Courtown												
	Gorey												
	Kilnahue												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE KERFOOT	Ballylarkin												
	Ballynestragh												
	Coolgreaney												
	Kilgorman												
	Limerick												
	Wingfield												
	TOTAL												
GEORGE EARL	Ballygarrett												
	Cahore												
	Forde												
	Killenagh												
	Killincooley												
	Monomolin												
	Wells												
	TOTAL												
JAMES DONOHOE	Balloughter												
	Ballyellis												
	Ballybeg												
	Huntingtown												
	Kilcomb												
	Monaseed												
	Rosminogue												
	TOTAL												
	TOTALS £												

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 Poelief List and Abstract.*
2. *The Provision Check Accounts.*
3. *The Provision Poeceipt and Consumption Account.*

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necefsaries received during the week was £ s. d.

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

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

690	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
336	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
260	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
70	lbs. Mutton,		cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,		cwt. Indian Meal,
	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
	bottles Wine.		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwts. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 Poelief Lists and Weekly Poeceipt and Expenditure Books of the several Poelieving 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 Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 30th day of April 70 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	6	5	6
In Kind,			
Total,	£6	5	6

Credit each Poelieving Officer as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	J. H. Miller	5 —		
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,		£5 —		

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

		£	s.	d.
17	Driscoll	2	10	0
18	Wilson	1	2	0
19	Clements	2	4	0
20	Bolton	2	3	4
21	Murphy	5	6	10
24	Morris	6	7	2

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
				Mullyan	—	6	—
				Dineen	—	1	6
				Stringer	10	6	0
				Morris	2	3	4
				Clarke	2	7	6

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

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Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
J Flush	51	0	6				
T McGuigan	70	17	2				
M Butler	24	8	2				
J Doyle	22	14	11				
M Lacy	13	8	11				
A Naughton	12	16	10				
T Brierton	15	12	2				
J McDonald	8	15	3				
J W Morris	41	16	4				

Registration Expenses.

Dr Metz	2	14	6

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Petty Cash Account. 7 11 5

Extern Hospitals Account.

Burial Account.

J Duncan	6	13	0

Sanitary Expenses.

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

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

Number of successful cases,

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

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

7th May 1870 - The Master begs respectfully to direct the attention of the Board to the necessity of having the capping of the Workhouse walls repaired as noted in Dr. Robinson's last report.

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

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

No. 11.916 - 6th May 1870 -

Sends queries to be answered with reference to the Superannuation of Charles Irmerton the Shoemaker.

Appointment of Painter

There were two Candidates in attendance - both proposed at £1-1-0 a week with the understanding that they should be found in all painting utensils - both tenders were accepted for the day of 12 hours with 1½ hours allowed for meals - to be under the absolute control of the Master.

The tender of Messrs Boileau and Boyd for painting materials was accepted - The Clerk to order sufficient for a month's work according to information to be given by the painter - the doors and sashes to be brown - door and window cases and barges drab.

Mary Tracy applied for clothes - Ordered - the application cannot be granted without the personal attendance of Mr or Mrs Byrne.

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Monthly Tenders accepted

Bread 4½ per 4lb loaf. Sample sent. J. M. Redmond. by
Oatmeal 14/3 p. cwt. Do. T. Milligan Do
Indiameal 8/2 Do. Do. Do

Mary Balance was granted £1 worth of clothes to enable her to take a situation with a Mrs. Hugh the latter signing the usual guarantee.

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Monthly Tenders accepted

Bread 4½ per 4lb loaf. Sample sent. Mr Redmond
Oatmeal 14/3 p. cwt. do. Mr Milligan do
Indian meal 8/2 do. do. do

May Delaney was granted £1 worth of clothes to enable her to take a situation with a Mrs Hughes the latter signing the usual guarantee.

Coolgreany Dispensary
August 3rd 1870

At a meeting of the Coolgreany Dispensary Committee held this day - Members present Messrs Sullivan & Moore -

Mr Sullivan in the Chair -

The Committee recommend payment of two bills for Rooms used for Vaccination purposes during the

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Monthly Tenders accepted

Bread	4½ per 4lb loaf.	Sample sent.	J. M. Redmond.	by
Oatmeal	14/3 p. cwt.	Do.	T. Milligan	Do.
Indiameal	8/2 Do.	Do.	Do.	

Mary Balance was granted £1 worth of clothes to enable her to take a situation with a Mrs. Hugh the latter signing the usual guarantee.

Month of May of ten shillings each; the Committee recommend that the Medical officer be supplied with ten shillings worth of postage stamps for the use of the dispensary —

They have also sanctioned payment of 47 successful cases of Vaccination; two requisitions for medicine were also signed

Patrick Sullivan
Chr.

Robt. J. Morris Hon. Secr.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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.)

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H. M. Casey

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 14th day of May 1870

(Signed) [illegible]

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 7th day of May 1870—*continued.*

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

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

Ordered.

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

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

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

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount £*

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount £*

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount £*

D. Metge 0.3.6

KILLENAGH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount £*

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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ *186* , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ *18*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Gorey Dispensary 7th May 1870

At an ordinary meeting of the Gorey Dispensary Committee held on Saturday the 7th May 1870.
Present Col. Guise (in the Chair) &
Messrs S. Simons and J. Aplascott, Hon. Sec.

1 The proceedings of last meeting read and confirmed Medical Relief Regs ter overlooked and signed.
2 Ordered 50 vaccination notices to be printed and posted
3 50 copies of the members of the Dispensary district to be supplied for posting through the district
4 The requisition for medicines is signed and forwarded.

Both Relieving Officers reported the Nurse children in their respective districts to be in good health and well taken care of.

Dr. Metge reports one case of Scarlatina

Dr. Allen reports no disease

Dr. Bestall reports no disease

Dr. Weldon reports 2 cases of Scarlatina

W. M. Kesey

(Signed) Thos. Fristram
Clerk of the Union.

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GOREY UNION.

Population in 1861, 24,857. Present Net Annual Value, £78,824 17s. 0d.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of May 1870

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date
Workhouse,	926	302
Temporary Buildings,	"	"
Additional Workhouse,		
Permanent Fever Hospital	26	14
Fever Sheds,	"	"
TOTAL,	952	316

	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
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	21	74	56	55	10	13	40	18	31	318
Admitted during the Week,	23	4	3	1	2	1	1	1	"	36
Born,	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
TOTAL,	44	78	59	56	12	14	41	19	31	354
Discharged during the Week,	21	4	2	"	1	1	1	1	4	38
Died,	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total Discharged and Dead,	21	4	2	"	1	1	1	1	4	38
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	23	74	57	56	11	13	40	18	27	316

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital,	105	In separate Wards,	10
In Fever Hospital,	14	In Wards with other Inmates,	4
Total,	119	Total,	10

OBSERVATIONS

Number in the House corresponding Week in 1869 320

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the Seventh day of May 1870 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	15	44			15	44
No. II.	11	19			11	19
No. III.						
TOTAL,	26	66			26	66

Comparative No. last year,

Cost, £ 3 : 9 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the Fourteenth day of May 1870

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians: W. M. Vesey Esq J.P. afterwards S. A. Richards Esq D.L.C.

Messrs. Burkitt, Atkins, Murphy, Horan, Morris, Cramwill, Foley, Binnions and John Warren

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1184 to No. 1190, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 2 to No. 4, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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The 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 for the Guardians was £495 : 12 : 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.

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
	Ardamine,										136	8	7
	Ballycanew,										297	6	8
DAIN PIERCE,	Courtown,										374	18	0
	Gorey,										1,345	2	2
	Kilnahue,										116	1	10
	TOTAL,										2,269	17	3
	Ballylarkin,										135	12	6
	Ballynestragh,										169	13	9
	Coolgreaney,										178	16	9
GEORGE KERFOOT,	Kilgorman,										146	9	6
	Limerick,										158	2	10
	Wingfield,										292	11	8
	TOTAL,										1,081	7	0
	Ballygarrett,										178	0	5
	Cahore,										126	6	3
	Forde,										122	3	6
GEORGE EARL,	Killenagh,										182	10	0
	Killincooley,										44	13	3
	Monomolin,										118	0	0
	Wells,										223	5	0
	TOTAL,										994	18	5
	Balloughter,										185	18	6
	Ballyellis,										123	2	9
	Ballybeg,										101	13	4
JAMES DONOHOE,	Huntingtown,										138	1	11
	Kilcomb,										287	5	5
	Monaseed,										165	18	10
	Rosminogue,										103	5	0
	TOTAL,										1,105	5	9
	TOTALS, £										5,451	8	5

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 Poelief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Poeceipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Neceſsaries received during the week was £42. 15s. 9d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, - -			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -	36.	18.	4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, - -			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -		2.	6½
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - -		2.	10
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -		4.	1½

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:

655	4 lb. Loaves of Bread,		lbs. Dipt Candles,
230	gallons Sweetmilk,		stones Starch,
70	do. Buttermilk,		lbs. Blue,
260	lbs. Beef,		cwt. Washing Soda,
75	lbs. Mutton,		cwt. Oatmeal,
	Beeves' Heads,		cwt. Indian Meal,
	gallons Whiskey,		cwt. Soap,
	bottles Wine,		lbs. Tobacco,
	do. Brandy,		lbs. Tea,
	do. Porter,		lbs. Sugar,
	tons Coals,		cwt. Flour,
	cwt. Salt,		lbs. Pepper,
	lbs. Mould Candles,		lbs. Arrowroot,

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 Poelief Lists and Weekly Poeceipt and Expenditure Books of the several Poelieving 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 Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 7 day of May 1870 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - -	6	5	6
In Kind, - - - - - - -			
Total, - -	£6	5	6

Credit each Poelieving Officer as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

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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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.		Nil		
No. III.				
Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Nil

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

2. Establishment Account.

£ s. d. £ s. d.

Nil

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

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Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
			Nil			

Registration Expenses.

			Nil			

Elections, Law, &c., Account.

Extern Hospitals Account.

			Nil			

Burial Account.

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

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

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

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

Order made on the Masters report of last week – "Master to employ a
The Master reports that he found four shillings and
sixpence with a pauper (Patrick Dempsey) who is
in the workhouse Infirmary.

Read.

He also reports that in consequence of very urgent family
business, he absented himself from the workhouse on Wed
nesday night and part of Thursday which he respectfully
hopes will be sanctioned by the Board.

Sanctioned.

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

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

No. 12435 – 13. May 1870

Sanctions the appointment of Edward Wilcox to the office of Shoemaker.

No. 12539 – 1870.

A Sealed order Sanctioning the superannuation allowance granted to Charles Somerton, late Shoemaker to the Workhouse.

No. 12539. 13 May 1870.

Refers to the Sanction above mentioned.

No. 146 – My 1870.

Calls for the usual return of Relief Granted. Ordered – Furnished yesterday – Clerk will attend to instructions in latter part of letter in future.

James Kelly a journeyman painter, applied for leave of absence until Wednesday next.

Refused as the work must be commenced without delay.

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A pair of Shoes was granted to Mary Havanagh to enable her to leave the Workhouse.

A Writ on the Guardians at the suit of Edward Cole, Arkl for false imprisonment was served on the Clerk of the on the part of the Board of Guardians on Wednesday last, damages were laid at £300.

Ordered — In the matter of the suit of Edward Cole against the Guardian the Clerk is directed to attend Mr. Woodroofe, and g him any information in his power in order to defe the action, and to take directions from him as to fur proceedings that may be necessary.

Clerk's Report

14th May 1870

The Clerk begs to report that he has been requested by Dr. Boswell (Wexford) to state to the Board that his nephew — Medical Officer to this Workhouse — is still toil to resume his duties.

The particulars from Dr. Boswell (Wexford) are to the effect that during the early part of the week, his nephew was not so well, but that he was better yesterday.

The Clerk is therefore requested on the part of the Medical Officer to apply for an extension of leave of absence. —

Granted —

W. M. Vesey, Chairman.

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 21st day of May 1875

(Signed) Thomas Firstrand

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the GOREY UNION, on Saturday, the 14th day of May 186[illegible]—*continued.*

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon as follows:—

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the Dispensary District in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, (as the case may be) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On application of the Committee of Management of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

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The following Accounts of Expenses (or *Statement of Salaries due,* as the case may be,) *under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof* (or such other Directions as may be given:)

GOREY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Weldon for : *Amount* £

Nil

CAMOLIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Bestall for : *Amount* £

Nil

COOLGRENEY DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Metge for : *Amount* £

Nil

KILLENAGH AND WELLS DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

Account of Dr. Allen for : *Amount* £

Nil

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 18 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* 18

District, . . £

District, . . £

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the Annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committee of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively :—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E* 1 *and E* 2,) *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees ; namely :—*

Dispensary District. Mr. *of*

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The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows :

Order dated , *(state subject,)*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively) as follows:—

Read Letter from _____ *dated*
stating that _____

Dr. Bestall reports three cases of fever

Dr. Weldon reports the prevalence of Scarlatina

Dr. Metze has no disease to report.

Edwd Foley

(Signed,) Thomas Tusham
Clerk of the Union.

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