Board of Guardians minute book
Wexford Union

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,....£105,464 13s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of March

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,	800	627
Permanent Buildings,	180	"
Additional Workhouse,	"	"
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	19
Fever Sheds,	40	"
TOTAL,	1120	646

	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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls. 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.
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	60	199	58	64	76	66	75	79	39	656
Admitted during the week.	15	7	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	23
TOTAL	75	206	58	64	76	66	75	79	40	679
Discharged during the week,	18	10	"	"	1	1	"	"	"	30
Died, - - - - -	1	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3
Total Discharged and Dead,	19	12	"	"	1	1	"	"	"	33
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	56	194	58	64	75	65	75	79	40	646

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse Hospital.	23	In separate Wards.	7
In Fever Hospital.	19	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total	42	Total,	11

OBSERVATIONS.

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RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 14th day of March authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Br. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 21st day of March 185 6

PRESENT: In the Chair, James N. Vicars, Esq. J.P. and Charles A. Walker, Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians, George Le Hunte, Esq. J.P. Captain William Armstrong, Frederick Elliott, J.P., George Dixon, Nicholas Tanlan, James Kearney, Thomas Murphy, James Furlong, William Davis, Patrick Lambert, James Browne, James Kehoe, and James R. Crosbie,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4453 to No. 4681 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 9 to No. 20, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had complied with the Orders given by the Board on the 14th instant

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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, ... £ 63 - 0 - 10

Paid during the week, ... £ 15 - 0 - 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 1984 - 13 - 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,... Folio in leger 9 Folio in leger 124	*Wexford,* - -	50	"	"	113	17	8½
	TOTAL, -	50	=	=	113	17	8½
MARTIN KEHOE,..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ardcavan* - -	"	"	"	25	2	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ardcolm,* - - -	"	"	"	15	7	7
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Artramont,* - -	"	"	"	9	14	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilpatrick,* - -	"	"	"	10	9	8
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	62	8	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Anghwilliam,* - -	"	"	"	"	11	1½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ballymitty,* - -	"	"	"	6	2	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Carrig,* - - -	"	"	"	6	"	0½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Forth,* - - -	"	"	"	1	9	2½
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Glynn,* - - -	"	"	"	1	14	3½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Harperstown,* - -	"	"	"	2	15	6
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Killurin,* - - -	"	"	"	2	9	7½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilbride,* - - -	"	"	"	"	13	11
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Taghmon,* - - -	"	"	"	24	10	2½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	*Whitechurch,* - -	"	"	"	1	11	=
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	47	19	6½
JAMES REA ,..... Folio in leger 9 Folio in Leger 139	*Drinagh,* - - -	2	3	"	2	8	8
Folio in leger 9 Folio in Leger 160	*Killinick,* - - -	"	12	"	4	16	9½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilscoran,* - - -	"	"	"	1	11	9½
Folio in leger 9 folio in leger 165	*Lady's Island,* - -	"	"	10	"	"	5½
Folio in Leger 9 Folio in leger 167	*Mayglass,* - -	1	"	"	1	18	11
Folio in Leger 9 folio in leger 169	*Rosslare,* - - -	"	9	=	"	18	1½
Folio in leger 9 Folio in leger 171	*Rathaspeck,* - -	5	13	"	8	"	5
Folio in leger 9 folio in leger 173	*St. Helen's,* - -	"	10	=	4	8	2½
Folio in Leger 9 Folio in Leger 175	*Tacumshane,* - -	2	13	"	3	7	10½
THOMAS SHARPE... Folio in leger Folio in leger	TOTAL, -	13	=	10	28	=	6½
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	*Bridgetown,* - -	"	"	"	"	4	6
Folio in leger folio in leger	*Kilmore,* - - -	"	"	"	"	2	=
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilcowan,* -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger folio in leger	*Newcastle,* - -	"	"	"	"	5	7
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	*Tomhaggard,* - -	"	"	"	"	"	9½
Folio in Leger folio in leger	*Bannow,* - - -	"	"	"	"	"	8½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	*Duncormack,* - -	"	"	"	"	"	8½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Harristown,* - -	"	"	"	"	3	4
	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	8½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	"	16	8½
	TOTAL.....	62	=	10	128	=	6½

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.

RATE RETURN.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8½	1553	"	"	1173	17	8½
MARTIN KEHOE,.....	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	457	6	"	62	8	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE.	do	1,053	19	6½	906	"	"	47	19	6½
JAMES REA,.....	do	982	12	4½	954	11	10	28	"	"
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2½	771	3	6	"	16	8½
	TOTAL.....	6,055	4	5	4,642	7	6	1333	12	11

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 £ 70 s. 5 d. 7½

Folio in Ledger 45
Folio in Ledger 53
Folio in Ledger 57
Folio in Ledger 53

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	70	5	7½
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	14	17	2½
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	2	0½
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	2	11½

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:—

3 Bags of	Flour	5 lbs	Candles
7 Sacks	Wholemeal	4 lbs	Mould Candles
220 lbs	Meat	4 Cwt	Soap
2½ Ton	Oatmeat	7 lbs	Soda
4 Ton	Indian Meal	4 lbs	Starch
300 Gallons	Buttermilk	14 lbs	Malt
450 Gallons	New Milk	7 lb	Hops
2 Cwt	Salt		
16 lbs	Tea		
16 lbs	Sugar		
2 lbs	Lump Sugar		
3 lb	Pepper		
1 lb	Ginger		
4 Cwt	Rice		
2 Quarts	Whiskey		
1 Doz	Wine		
4 Doz of	Large Porter		
4 Doz	Small Porter		
4 Tons	Coal		

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

1 Bags of	Flour
20 lbs	Meat
4 Cwts	Oatmeal
4 Cwt	Salt
35 Gallons	New Milk
4 lbs	Tea
20 lbs	Sugar
4 Cwt	Rice
4 Doz	Wine
4 Quarts	Whiskey
4 lb	Pepper
4 Tons	Coal
4 lbs	Candles
4 Cwt	Soap
4 lbs	Starch

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 14 day of March whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	"	5	3
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
Total	"	5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Mr Hadding	23			Bt. forwd.				
No. II.	Mr Fulcord	30			No. IV.				
No. III.					No. V.				
Carried forwd.					No. VI.				
					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast Straw	11	9	1
T. Prendergast Weaving	4	11	4½

This in Ledger 61
This in Ledger 6

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
G. J. Carleton Insurance	2	9	=
T. Prendergast Sundries	3	11	9½

This in Ledger 19
This in Ledger 6

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast. Bakers bills for 1 week		15	=

This in Ledger 46
This in Ledger 6

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

4. Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

No Report from the Visiting Committee this week.

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

The Schoolmaster has been confined to bed since Yesterday.

Have to request a Committee may be appointed to take Stock of Provisions and Necessaries which will be on hands on the 25th Instant

Ordered that Messrs James De Vicary and James Roche have been appointed, and have consented to attend here on the evening of 25th Instant for the purpose specified in Master's 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 Master's Estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several Articles specified viz:- 10 Tons Freestone, 5 Barrels Lime, 60 lbs Brutto Leather, 20 lbs Dressing Leather, 1 Dz Pair of Scissors, 5 Yards of Barragon, 1 lb Early Green Turnip Seed, Repairs to Wheels - and 3 Large Coffins,

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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 Letter dated 16th March 1857 from Dr. Hussey Esq. D.P. stating that he is desirous of being relieved from the duties of Vice Chairman of the Board and therefore resigns the Office.

No Order made by the Board in this Letter,

A Letter dated 17th March 1857 from George Le Hunte Esq. D.P. stating that he heartily thanks the Board for their Resolution of the 14th Instant, which does him more honour than he deserves - that it is with much pleasure that he rejoices the Board in carrying out the Poor Law which his uncertain in its operation in this Country at the outset, and at best a rough substitute for enlightened Christian Charity has been by God's blessing conducive to the improvement of Ireland - that when so engaged with the [illegible] glad to think that their work has also indirect advantages - that the Co-operation of different Classes in Local self Government lies at the foundation of the harmonious working of our mixed Constitution - that even differences of opinion loudly expressed sometimes have made him glad as a token of that individual judgment in matters touching the common interest without which British freedom would not now exist. And that he feels most highly the compliment the Guardians have paid him,

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A Letter dated 18th March 1857 from William Donnelly Esq. Registrar of Averages acknowledging the receipt of the Corrected Rate of Average Produce of the Cross Grain in the Electoral Divisions of this Union - and stating that he feels much obliged by the kind attention of the Guardians to this important matter,

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Resolved that the Clerk give notice to each Guardian of this Union - that the Board will on Wednesday the 1st April next, consider the propriety of land grating the Inmates of this House marked in the list submitted for inspection of the Guardians by the Clerk on this day, And that the Clerk write to

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	13
Ditto, disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	10

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	0
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians	"
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	4

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~~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).~~

Captain Hamilton Poor Law Inspector to request if it will not inconvenience him — that he will attend here at 11 o'clock on the above named day — the Guardians being desirous of having his valuable assistance, and Counsel on the Question about to be considered,

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Mr. James Howlin handed in the following Notice of Motion

I will on this day fortnight move that the personal friends and admirers of Doctor Crean our Medical Officer (who constituting a majority of this Board, ought to be vested with the decided sensual of the Commissioners & sanction a 12 per Cent increase to his present salary, as conferred by Commissioners letter No 5529 — dated 7th March 1857 — or justly owning to aid of the General Body of Ratepayers, more particularly as the original appointment of Doctor Crean at his present salary of £125 being then declared considerable by reason the average of like Houses was alone sanctioned by the Commissioners under severe pressure from this Board, and after 4 months resistance as appears by the Commissioners letters No 6556 — 22nd March 1854, 10297 — 31st March 1854 — 11292 — 7th April 1854, and 21285 — 7th July 1854

Moved

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the

day of 18

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Clerk of the Union

Moved by Mr Patrick Lambert and Seconded by Mr James R Cobbe P.L. and passed;

That this Board consider the Notice of Motion handed in on this day by Mr James Howlin of Ballyline (and informal (and therefore object to its being received.

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

~~MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 185 , continued.~~

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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:—

There was no business under the above Acts transacted by the Board of Guardians at their Meeting held on Saturday the 21st day of March 1857.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday 28th March 1857.

James M. Deane per Clk.

James Whitty

Michael Murphy

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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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,....£105,464 15s.

ATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of March

er of Inmates for 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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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.
house,	800	629										
nent Buildings,	180	"										
ional Workhouse,	"	"										
nent Fever Hospital	100	13										
Sheds,	40	"										
TOTAL,	1120	652										
aining on Previous Sa-day, as per last return.			56	194	58	64	75	65	75	19	40	646
dmitted during the week.			8	8	"	1	"	1	1	"	2	21
TOTAL			64	202	58	65	75	66	76	19	42	667
scharged during the week,			5	8	"	"	"	2	1	"	2	18
ed, - - - - -			3	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	2	7
tal Discharged and Dead,			8	9	"	1	"	2	1	"	4	25
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			56	193	58	64	75	64	75	19	38	642

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	118	In separate Wards.	7
In Fever Hospital.	23	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total,	141	Total,	11

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856 782

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 21st day of March authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
I.						
II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
III.						
forward						

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Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

PY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 28th day of March 185

ESENT: In the Chair, James N. Pearson Esq. J.P. Captain William Ashtown R.N. J.P. Robert Sinclair Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians: John Stark J.P. Frederick Foley Esq. J.P. John Roche J.P. John Rowiter. James Barry. Peter Cliffe. Patrick Furlong. Michael Kehoe. Michael Murphy. Patrick Parker. James Whitty. Walter Furlong. William Morris. James Kehoe. Jas. P. Roche. Patrick Hague. and James Murphy.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 482 to No. 502 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 9 to No. 10, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had complied with the orders given by the Board on the 21st inst.

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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, ... £ 152 · 18 · 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 60 · 5 · 10

And that the Balance on the Account W Farrell *the Guardians was* £ 2033 · 14 · 9

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.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,... Folio in leger 9 Folio in leger 127	Wexford, - -	50	"	"	1123	17	8¾
	TOTAL, -	50	=	=	1123	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,..... Folio in Leger 10 Folio in Leger 132	Ardcavan - -	2	7	"	22	15	4
Folio in Leger 10 Folio in Leger 133	Ardcolm, - - -	1	12	"	13	9	7
Folio in Leger 10 Folio in Leger 135	Artramont, - -	2	8	"	7	16	10
Folio in Leger 10 Folio in Leger 137	Kilpatrick, - -	4	2	"	8	7	8
	TOTAL, -	10	9	=	51	19	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE..... Folio in Leger 9 Folio in Leger 134	Anghwilliam, - -	"	2	"	"	9	1¾
Folio in Leger 9 Folio in Leger 141	Ballymitty, - -	6	2	3	"	"	"
Folio in Leger 9 Folio in Leger 143	Carrig, - - -	3	8	"	2	12	0¾
Folio in Leger 9 Folio in Leger 145	Forth, - - -	1	1	"	"	8	2¼
Folio in leger 9 Folio in Leger 147	Glynn, - - -	"	7	"	1	7	3¾
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	2	15	6
Folio in Leger 9 Folio in Leger 151	Killurin, - - -	1	12	"	"	7	7½
Folio in Leger 9 Folio in Leger 153	Kilbride, - - -	"	2	"	"	11	1½
Folio in leger 9 Folio in Leger 155	Taghmon, - - -	20	9	"	4	3	2¾
Folio in Leger 9 Folio in Leger 157	Whitechurch, - -	"	8	"	1	3	"
	TOTAL, -	33	11	3	14	8	3¾
JAMES REA,..... Folio in leger 10 Folio in Leger 159	Drinagh, - - -	1	6	"	1	2	8
Folio in Leger 10 Folio in Leger 161	Killinick, - - -	3	13	"	1	3	9¼
Folio in Leger 10 Folio in Leger 163	Kilscoran, - - -	1	7	4	"	4	5¾
Folio in leger 10 Folio in leger 165	Lady's Island, - -	"	"	5½	"	"	"
Folio in Leger 10 Folio in leger 167	Mayglass, - - -	"	11	"	1	7	11
Folio in Leger 10 Folio in leger 169	Rosslare, - - -	"	5	"	"	13	1½
Folio in leger 10 Folio in leger 171	Rathaspeck, - -	2	15	"	6	5	5
Folio in leger 10 Folio in leger 173	St. Helen's, - -	4	8	2½	"	"	"
Folio in Leger 10 Folio in Leger 175	Tacumshane, - -	3	10	"	"	7	0½
	TOTAL, -	16	16	=	11	4	6½
THOMAS SHARPE... Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -	"	"	"	"	4	6
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -	"	"	"	"	9	"
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Kilcowan, -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -	"	"	"	"	5	7¼
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -	"	"	"	"	"	9¼
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Bannow, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	8¾
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Duncormack, - -	"	"	"	"	"	8¾
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harristown, - -	"	"	"	"	"	0½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	"	3	1
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	"	16	8¾
	TOTAL.....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

RATE RETURN.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8¾	1603	"	"	1123	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	467	15	9	51	19	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE, ...	do	1,053	19	6¼	1039	11	3	14	8	3¾
JAMES REA, ...	do	982	12	4½	971	7	10	11	"	"
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2¼	755	3	6	16	8¾	
	TOTAL.....	6,055	4	5	4836	17	8	1218	6	8

Debit the Treasurer and Credit Mountnea a/c with 8/6 for Bons. Clothing a/c with 2·9 for Rat. Establishment a/c with 25·3 6. lodgd Chk for stables and Cattle house - and Establishment Bal. with £14-1-0 Interest allowed on Deposits

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ " " " *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 £ 105 s. 12 d. 7½

		£	s.	d.
Fol. in Ledger 45	*Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*			
	The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	105	12	7½
Fol. in Ledger 53	*Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*			
	And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	73	11	9
Fol. in Ledger 57	*Average cost in Infirmary,*	"	2	1¼
	Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	3	0
Fol. in Ledger 53	*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:—*	"	3	8½

7	Bags of Flour	" lbs	Candles
4	Sacks Wholemeal	" lbs	Mould Candles
220	lbs Meat	" Cwt	Soap
1	Ton Oatmeat	" lbs	Soda
1	Ton Indian Meal	8 lbs	Starch
300	Gallons Buttermilk	" lbs	Malt
460	Gallons New Milk	" lb	Hops
2	Cwt Salt		
18	lbs Tea		
80	lbs Sugar		
2	lbs Lump Sugar		
"	lb Pepper		
"	lb Ginger		
5	Cwt Rice		
4	Quarts Whiskey		
"	Doz Wine		
"	Doz of Large Porter		
"	Doz Small Porter		
"	Tons Coal		

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

" Bags of	Flour
60 lbs	Meat
1 Cwt	Oatmeal
" Cwt	Salt
25 Gallons	New Milk
1 lbs	Tea
6 lbs	Sugar
" Cwt	Rice
" Doz	Wine
" Quarts	Whiskey
" lb	Pepper
" Tons	Coal
4 lbs	Candles
" Cwt	Soap
" lbs	Starch

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 21st March *day of whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	"	5	3
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
Total	"	5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
I.	Mr Spaddind	" 2 · 3		
II.	Dr Fleadoy	" 3 · 0		
III.				
forwd				

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
Bt. forwd.				
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. Clothing Account.

		£	s.	d.
E. Grimmott	Tailor	18	12	6
P. Coghlan	Calico	6	13	6
P. Walsh	do	4	3	4
M. Walsh	Hosiery	1	7	4
T. Prendergast	Nails	"	15	"

Folio in Ledger 61
Folio in Ledger 6

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

	£	s.	d.
6 Millinery & Apprentices	30	0	0
J. Cush do	10	0	0
R. Madden do	8	8	9
J. Walsh do	7	10	0
J. Fitzland do	7	10	0
E. Greene Advertising	10	0	0
H. Hennick Master's Salary	2	10	0
M. Morris 3 Wards do	1	6	3
P. Byrne Glazing	1	2	0
M. Carty Tuning	2	15	5
T. Cleary Drs	22	6	3
2 Bullocks Oil	4	12	5
6 Gallons Mustard		8	2
R. Lynott Clay Mine		15	0
T. Prendergast Sundries	7	16	7

Folio in Ledger 72 & 73
Folio in Ledger 67

2. Establishment Account.

		£	s.	d.
P. Walsh	Brooms	1	9	5
M. Walsh	Cards &c	"	9	6
Rev. Wm. Roche	3/4 Salary	15	"	"
Rev. C. Murphy	do	25	"	"
Rev. J. Roche	1/4 do	5	"	"
T. Prendergast	do do	32	10	"
P. Furlong	do do	15	"	"
C. Furlong	do do	8	15	"
A. Murphy	do do	2	10	"
R. J. Cleary M.D.	do do	31	5	"
M. Kearns	do do	3	15	"
M. Hayes	do do	5	"	"
M. Cummins	do do	2	10	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
M. Crane Chemist	48 11 2	Sulphur Soda	"	13	9
Hughes do	52 7 8	Havanah Groceries	18	16	2
J. Farrell Buttermilk	17 9 6	R. Lynott Mine	10	10	"
P. Keating do	3 16 10	J. Nichan Salt & Tiffs	2	10	8
J. Tennis do	14 17 9	M. Allen Coals	64	15	"
T. Prendergast Bakers Supp.	7 6	P. Harris Meat	20	3	7
		J. W. Fortune Oatmeal	26	5	"
		J. Laird Flour &c	61	3	5
		M. Cleary Pure Milk	2	8	10
		E. Maddock do	8	11	6
		P. Maddock do	18	3	2

Folio in Ledger 46 & 47
Folio in Ledger 7 & 8

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

Burials. ~~Out Door Relief Invoice~~ Account.

		£	s.	d.
Election &c a/c				
T. Prendergast 1/4 Salary as Returning Officer	2 10 0	F. Wexler Coffins	2	4	6
2 Persons Services of Canvassers	6 0	Debit Burial a/c and Credit Treasurer with above sum.			
Debit Election &c a/c and Credit Treasurer with above sum.		P. Madden Out door Relief	2	18	3
Folio in Ledger 106		P. Furlong do		25	
Folio in Ledger 8					

Credit Treasurer and Debit ~~Out Door Relief Invoice~~ Account with the several sums as above.

Folio in Ledger 107 P. Madden & P. Furlong
Folio in Ledger 8

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

No Report from the Visiting Committee this week.

The Clerk laid before the Board a Return signed and sealed by the Returning Officer of the Union for the Guardians duly elected for the year ending 25th March 1858 and also a sealed Parcel containing the Papers relating to the Election,

The Report of the Master ~~and other Officers~~ was read, ~~and Orders made thereon, as follows:~~

The Schoolmaster has resumed his duties

The Master's Estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified viz 1 Gallon Boiler Oil, 14 lbs Whiting - 8 lbs Chrome Yellow, 14 lbs White Lead - 4 Stone Grass Seed - 9 lbs Red Clover Seed - 200 Yards Shrouding - 4 Large Coffins - and 1 Infant Coffin,

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

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

No 6919/57 dated 27th March 1857 stating for the reasons set forth in this letter they decline to sanction any increase whatever in the salary of Dietal Cream,

Letter from Mr John B Greene dated 26th March 1857 forwarding for the use of the Board of Guardians the Valuation Lists of the Union duly revised and amended for the present Year.

Letter dated 20th March 1857 from Henry Westenra Smith Esqr enclosing copy of a Resolution passed by the Committee appointed to take steps to reform the working of the Poor Law system in Ireland, &c

Proposed by Captain William A. Armstrong R.N. and seconded by Mr Patrick Fraser and unanimously passed:- That Charles A. Walker Esqr D.L. be elected Chairman of this Board for the ensuing

ending 25th March 1858, and that we assure him it affords us the most sincere pleasure to select him to that office and to tender to him our best thanks for the unremitting attention paid by him to the business of this Board; for his courtesy to its members - and for the care and solicitude at all times evinced by him for the welfare of the Poor and of the Ratepayers of the Union - And also to testify to the great services he has rendered the Union since its formation and the zeal and ability which with so much benefit to the Union - he has brought to the discharge of the important duties appertaining to the office to which he has been re-appointed,

Proposed by John Walsh Esqr D.L. and seconded by Mr Patrick Finlay and unanimously passed: That Lord Dunsandle Esqr D.L. whom has recently conferred the high opinion entertained of him by this Board, be elected to the office of Vice Chairman of this Board for the year ending 25th March 1858,

Proposed by James B. Robie Esqr J.P. and seconded by Mr William Whitty and unanimously passed; That Richard Allen Esqr be re-elected to the office of Deputy Vice Chairman of this Board for the year ending 25th March 1858 - And that we

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	7
Ditto, disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	7

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	4
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians	2
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	4

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~~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).~~

express our unqualified Approval of the zealous and efficient manner in which he discharged the duties which devolved upon him in that Capacity, and also as Guardian of this Board for many years,

Proposed by Mr James Whitty and Seconded by James R. Roche Esq. J.P. and unanimously passed;

That the thanks of this Board are due and hereby tendered to John Maddyn Esq. D.L. for the valuable assistance given by him to this Board for many years, and for the zealous, efficient and impartial manner in which he discharged the duties of Vice Chairman during the period he held that Office,

Mr Ricard having been removed from the Chair, and Captain Armstrong having been called thereto, it was

Proposed by John Nash Esq. J.P. and seconded by Robert Chifney Esq. and unanimously passed;

That we feel it imperative on us to convey to Mr James McCarthy Q.C. our warmest thanks for the valuable assistance afforded by him to this Board since he became Guardian; and our marked appreciation of the interest manifested by him in the proper working of this Institution — of his close supervision of the House, and the manner in which it is conducted, and of the large amount of time and attention which he has bestowed upon it to the manifest advantage of the Poor, and of the Ratepayers of the Union,

At this stage of the Proceedings Mr Walker arrived and took the Chair vacated by Captain Armstrong.

Resolved

~~Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the~~

~~day of~~ 18

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Clerk of the Union.

Ordered that the Clerk forward to Jas. Lett Esq. J.P. a Copy of the Resolution of the Board appointing him Vice Chairman for the ensuing year — also to Richard Allen Esq. a Copy of the Resolution of the Board appointing him Deputy Vice Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year — and also to John Maddyn Esq. J.P. a Copy of the Resolution of thanks passed to him by the Board on this day.

Mr Regient Colfer one of the Securities of Mr Matthew Colfer late Poor Rate Collector came before the Guardians and requested that they would extend the time fixed for the payment of the balance due them on a/c of Matthew Colfers defalcations,

Resolved that the Securities of Matthew Colfer be allowed till the middle of May next to pay the amount due by them to this Board, and that they be informed that no further extension of time will be allowed,

Resolved that Frances Harlin — deaf mute Child aged 8 years — be sent from this Workhouse to the Catholic Institution for the Deaf and Dumb in Dublin — and that the Cost of her Clothing and Maintenance be therein — and her transmission thereto be borne by the Electoral Division of Wexford to which the Child is now charged,

Resolved that this Meeting is adjourned to Wednesday the 7th April next to take into consideration the propriety of assisting a number of the female Inmates of the Poor House to emigrate,

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Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of Board of Guardians at an adjourned Meeting held on 28th April 1857.

Present in the Chair James N. Vicars Esq. J.P. & Andrew Leslie Esq. J.P. & they Members; Colonel William Pole D.L. John Poynter, Nicholas Furlong, Robert Clifford, Michael Roche, William Cousin, Patrick Furlong, William Lacy, Walter Furlong, James Pethe, Thomas Hore and Patrick Fraque.

Captain Hamilton Poor Law Inspector was also present.

Resolved that the Guardians having this day examined, and selected a number of Inmates for emigration request that the Commissioners will have the goodness to transmit Forms in which the particulars which they require respecting these persons are to be inserted. (and that they be informed that Forms capable of containing about 80 or 90 names will be required,

Robt. Allen Chair.
James Hore
Thomas Hore

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 28th day of March 1857,—*continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 1849.

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

Resolved that they Order Samples to be from Leslie & Co. lists of the Medicines required for Wexford and Bannow Dispensary Districts respectively with a request that they will supply them as early as convenient,

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.)

Ballyfin *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr R. J. Purdy M.D. *for* ½ Yrs Salary : *Amount £* 30-0-0

H. Coish Esq. Rent of Dispensary 7-15-0

Cullen & Farrell Towels 7-0

Pay in Lego 110 — T. O'Leary Boots 15-0

Pay in Lego 8

Drumgay Dispensary District		Bannow Dispensary District	
P. J. Brady M.D. ½ Yrs Salary	25-0-0	J. Boyd M.D. ½ Yrs Salary	25-0-0
W. Cole Esq. Rent of Dispensary	4-0-0	H. Rand Esq. Rent of Dispy	4-0-0
P. Bryce do do	2-8-9	J. Parle Hon. Sec. Portage	10-0
Bridgetown Dispensary District		Taghmon & Glynn Dispensary District	
A. Furlong M.D. ½ Yrs Salary	25-0-0	D. Cannon M.D. ½ Yrs Salary	25-0-0
W. R. Farmer Esq. Rent of Dispy	2-0-0	J. Parle Esq. Rent of Dispy	3-25-0
W. Browne do do	2-10-0	E. Wallace do	1-0-0
J. Parle Hon. Sec. Funerals	3-1-6	Crossabeg Dispensary District	
T. O'Leary Boots	15-0	E. Goodall M.D. ½ Yrs Salary	20-0-0
		R. Dixon Esq. Rent of Dispy	5-0-0
		T. O'Leary Boots	15-0

Pay in Lego 112 — Order in Lego 8

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Pay in Lego 112 — Order in Lego 8

(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 _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *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 Committees; namely:—

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

Copy of Resolution passed by Committee of Management of Wexford Dispensary District at a Meeting held on 27th March 1857 — Proposed by James McCann Esq. P.L. (Ex officio) seconded by Aubrey Fitzhenry Esq. P.L. passed, That the letter of the Commissioners No 6910-1857 dated 25th March 1857 enclosing a copy of a letter to Board of Guardians relative to the appointment of an Apothecary be referred to the Committee for consideration at their next Meeting.

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 Commissioners ~~dated~~ ~~stating that~~

No. 7145/57 dated 23rd March 1857 enclosing for information and guidance of Board of Guardians a copy of their Circular of the 20th March 1856. relating to the appointment of qualified Rate-payers to complete the Committees of Management of Dispensary Districts together with an extract from their Circular of 30th March 1852 &c.

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that the instructions contained in the letter above referred to shall be carried into effect and that the Board will on Saturday next elect qualified Rate payers to complete the Dispensary Committees. and also Warden for the several Districts of the Union,

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No 6910/57 dated 25th March 1857 stating that they have requested the Committee of Management of Wexford Dispensary District to take the necessary steps for the appointment of an Apothecary for the District in the room of the late Apothecary,

Moved by James J. Vicary Esqrs and seconded by James A. Crosbie Esq. J.P. (Signed)

That the Commissioners be informed that neither this Board nor the Committee ~~of the~~ Management of Wexford Dispensary District under any circumstances account take a step which would be calculated to inconvenience the sick poor for whose sake principally the Committee devote their time and attention to the management of the District,

That they did not recommend the abolition of the office of Apothecary without having maturely considered the consequences which would result to the sick poor if the services of that officer were dispensed with, and that their experience of the manner in which that Institution is worked forced upon them the conviction that by the Medical Man now in charge of the District attending daily at the Dispensary the poor would not be inconvenienced in the slightest degree by the change,

That two months have now elapsed since there was an Apothecary for the District. and the sick poor have been in all respects as well attended to as when there was an Apothecary connected with it,—a fact that argues that the view taken by the Committee with respect to the abolition of that office was quite correct,

That the Commissioners be also informed that the appointment of a Midwife for the Wexford Dispensary District is unnecessary there being a Lying in Hospital in the Town

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for the Poor established and supported exclusively for many years of Sarah Esmonde,

That the Board and the Members of the Committee present who regularly attend its Meetings and take an active part in the transaction of the business desiring upon the Committee consider that the Commissioners ought to give the Appointment a trial for 6 Months and should any Circumstance arise at or before the expiration of that time which would shew the necessity of having an Apothecary for the District the Board pledge themselves that the Appointment shall then be made,

That it is therefore the opinion of this Board that the Office of Apothecary to Skeffington Dispensary District is unnecessary and that it be therefore abolished, and that a sum of £15 per year be added to the salary of the Medical Officer as remuneration for the additional duties imposed,

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the 2nd April 1857,

Rob. Allen Chair
James Moore
Thomas Moore

Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,....£105,464 15s.

ATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of April 1857

ber of Inmates for h 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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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.
khouse,	800	625										
nent Buildings,	180	"										
tional Workhouse,	"	"										
nent Fever Hospital	200	18										
r Sheds,	40	"										
TOTAL.	1220	643										
maining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			56	193	58	64	75	64	75	79	38	642
dmitted during the week.			17	8	"	"	3	2	"	2	"	32
TOTAL			73	201	58	64	78	66	75	81	38	674
scharged during the week,			14	9	0	0	1	2	0	1	1	28
ed, - - - - -			1	"	"	1	1	"	"	"	1	4
tal Discharged and Dead,			15	9	0	1	2	2	0	1	2	32
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			58	192	58	63	76	64	75	80	36	642

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	108	In separate Wards.	2
In Fever Hospital.	18	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total,	126	Total,	6

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856..... 772

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 28th day of April authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
I.						
II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
III.						
forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

PY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a meeting held on Saturday, the 4th day of April 1857

ESENT: In the Chair, Richard Allen Esq. D.L.
Other Guardians: John Rossiter, Michael Doyle, Patrick Sparrow, William Davis, James Moore, James Whitty, and Thomas Moore,

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4510 to No. 4525, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 9 to No. 10, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:—

That he had complied with the Orders given him by the Board on the 28th Ultimo,

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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, ... £ 35-0-0

Paid during the week, ... £ 367-15-2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 1118-6-7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER..... Folio in leger 10 Folio in leger 128	Wexford, - -	35	4	4	1088	17	8¾
	TOTAL, -	35	=	=	1088	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,.....	Ardcavan - -	4	4	4	22	15	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - -	4	4	4	13	9	7
Folio in Leger Folio in Lege.	Artramont, - -	4	4	4	7	6	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -	4	4	4	8	7	8
	TOTAL, -	4	4	4	51	19	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE.....	Aughwilliam, - -	4	4	4	4	9	7¾
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -	4	4	4	2	12	8½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	4	4	4	4	8	9½
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -	4	4	4	1	7	3½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	4	4	4	2	4	5 6
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	4	4	4	4	17	9½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	4	4	4	4	11	11
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	4	4	4	4	3	2½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	4	4	4	1	3	4
	TOTAL, -	4	4	4	14	8	3½
JAMES REA	Drinagh, - - -	4	4	4	1	2	8
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -	4	4	4	1	3	9½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -	4	4	4	1	4	5½
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -	4	4	4	1	7	11
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -	4	4	4	4	13	2½
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -	4	4	4	6	5	5
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -	4	4	4	4	7	10½
	TOTAL, -	4	4	4	11	4	6½
THOMAS SHARPE... Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -	4	4	4	4	4	6
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -	4	4	4	4	0	4
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan, -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -	4	4	4	4	5	4
Folio in leger folio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Bannow, - - -	4	4	4	4	4	8½
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Duncormack, - -	4	4	4	4	4	0½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Harristown, - -	4	4	4	4	3	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -	4	4	4	4	4	6½
	TOTAL, -	4	4	4	4	16	8½
	TOTAL.....	[illegible]			[illegible]		

RATE RETURN.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8¾	1638	-	-	1088	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856 do	519	14	7	457	15	2	57	19	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE.	do	1,053	19	6½	1039	5	3	14	8	3½
JAMES REA, ...	do	982	12	4½	972	7	10	9	4	6½
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2½	772	3	6	-	16	8½
	TOTAL.....	6,055	4	5	4887	17	9	1167	6	8

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

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

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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.*

Folio in Ledger 48145 *By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was* £ 49 s. 2 d. 8 4

Folio in Ledger 5453 *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.* Cost half year, present half year £ 39 s. 19 d. 1 5

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... ... 9 - 3 - 6 4

Folio in Ledger 5853 *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.* 72 - 7 - 11 2

Folio in Ledger 5453 *And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was* Cost half year, present half year 41 - 4 - 11 4

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 37 - 3 - 0

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 4 - 2 - 1 5

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

6	Bags of Flour	6 lbs	Candles		
3	Sacks Wholemeal	4 lbs	Mould Candles		
250	lbs Meat	10 Cwt	Soap		
4	Ton Oatmeal	4 lbs	Soda		
4	Ton Indian Meal	4 lbs	Starch		
300	Gallons Buttermilk	4 lbs	Malt		
460	Gallons New Milk	4 lb	Hops		
2	Cwt Salt				
7	lbs Tea				
80	lbs Sugar				
3	lbs Lump Sugar				
6	lb Pepper				
4	lb Ginger				
4	Cwt Rice				
4	Quarts Whiskey				
4	Doz Wine				
4	Doz of Large Porter				
4	Doz Small Porter				
4	Tons Coal				

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

1	Bags of Flour	
60	lbs Meat	
4	Cwts Oatmeal	
1	Cwt Salt	
30	Gallons New Milk	
1	lbs Tea	
4	lbs Sugar	
4	Cwt Rice	
1	Doz Wine	
4	Quarts Whiskey	
4	lb Pepper	
4	Tons Coal	
6	lbs Candles	
4	Cwt Soap	
4	lbs Starch	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 28 *day of* March *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	4	5	3
In Kind, ...	4	4	4
Total	4	5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Wm Rossiter	4 2 3			Bt. forwd.				
No. II.	Jas Redmond	4 3 0			No. IV.				
No. III.	Jas Fitzsimons				No. V.				
Bt. forwd.					No. VI.				
					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.
Scallan Carragher	2	18	4
T. Rendergast Weaving	1	18	1½

Folio in Ledger 61
Folio in Ledger 8

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.
Wm. Fire Stock &c	1	9	3
B. Dempsey Carpenter	1	2	-
T. Rendergast Slate	2	5	11
J. & C. Rolland 3 yrs Rate of Dispt. 25 Feb.	3	13	6
O. Harper Seeds	3	4	4
Mr Clos Schoolbooks	2	12	10
J. Sinnott Ironmonger	5	9	8
W. Armstrong Jaro	.	6	8
J. Dalton Wax Candles	.	19	6
T. Rendergast Sundries	6	5	5½
W. Lee 3 yrs Medicine	37	4	5

Cost 3·10½ present 2·16·5

Folio in Ledger 73 & 74
Folio in Ledger 9 & 19

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.
R. Armstrong Candles	3	2	3
J. Dale Groceries	5	2	9
J. Fortune Buttermilk	10	8	3
Present half year			
T. Rendergast Bathchairs for 9 days	1	2	6

Folio in Ledger ~~48~~
Folio in Ledger 10

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

4. ~~*Out-Door Relief Invoice*~~ *Account.*

	£	s.	d.
T. Rendergast Carriage of Paupers	.	1	-

Folio in Ledger 106
Folio in Ledger 9

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

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

The Queries were all answered favorably.
No. 1 Yes Generally
No. 6 They appear to be improving, and their General conduct is very Good, the Teachers say,
The House appears to me to be in a satisfactory state, The School Master's room requires improved ventilation which can easily be done, and I recommend that his window be kept open all day in fine weather, It was shut to day.

3rd April 1857 — Signed F. Le Hunte,

Order that the Master direct the Schoolmaster to keep the window of his room open each day during the fine weather,

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

The Masters estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified viz. 1 Gallon boiled Oil, 14 lb White Lead, 10 lb Green Paint, 4 lb Red Lead, 2 lbs Whiting, 1 lb Glue, 4 Stone Lignum, 8 Doz Pint Pots, 12 White Cotton balls, 12 Doz White Tape, 1 Three naggin Measure, 1 Tin Gallon & repairs to another, 1 Doz Pint Saucepans, 2 Big Tea Spoons, 1 Frying-pan 2 Large Coffins, 1 Small Coffin, and 1 Infants Coffin,

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The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, 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. 76 M/57 dated 1st April 1857 requesting to be furnished with the required particulars respecting the Rates made and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union &c.

No. 6910/57 dated 31st March 1857 requesting to be informed whether the Clerk has written to the Securities of Mr. Colfer as directed by the Board of Guardians.

Resolved that the Commissioners be informed that the Clerk complied without delay with the instructions to which they refer.

No. 8407/57 dated 3rd April 1857 transmitting a Form in which the particulars required in regard to the proposed emigration of Catherine

Inmates of the House stated,

A letter dated 3rd April 1857 from Maurice Crosby and James A. Kelly Esquires Secretaries to the Commissioners of National Education forwarding for the information of the Board of Guardians the following extracts from the Inspectors report of his visit made by him to the Workhouse Schools on the 19th & 20th February last.

The teachers are fairly qualified and are careful in their methods of conducting the school business. I think the Schools on the whole in a satisfactory condition,

Resolved that Eliza Geary an Inmate of this House whose passage to New York, and also that of her Child have been paid by her husband who is residing in the State of Wisconsin be allowed by this Board a sum of £6 to enable herself and Child to emigrate to that Country, that the Cost be borne by the Electoral Division of Ardcavan to which they are now chargeable, and that as it will be necessary for them to be prepared to leave here by Steamer for Liverpool on Friday next the Commissioners

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	19
Ditto, disallowed	"
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	13

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	"
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	"
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	2
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	"

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~~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).~~

are requested to issue an order under seal authorizing the proposed expenditure and that they be informed that Eliza Geary was inspected by Captain Hamilton Poor Law Inspector on Wednesday last.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the

day of 18

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 WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 4th day of April 185 7,—*continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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 Charitie Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof* (or such other directions as may be given.)

Wexford *Dispensary District.*

Folio in Ledger 110 / Folio in Ledger 9 — *Account of* Messrs D A Leslie & Co *for* Medicines: *Amount* £4-16-7

Broadway Dispensary District

Folio in Ledger 111 / Folio in Ledger 9 — D A Leslie & Co Medicines 5-6-4

Bridgetown Dispensary District

Folio in Ledger 112 / Folio in Ledger 9 — D A Leslie & Co Medicines 9-11-8

Bannow Dispensary District

Folio in Ledger 113 / Folio in Ledger 9 — D A Leslie & Co Medicines 10-3-6

Taghmon & Glynn Dispensary District

Folio in Ledger 114 / Folio in Ledger 9 — D A Leslie & Co Medicines 11-11-0

Crossabeg Dispensary District

Folio in Ledger 115 / Folio in Ledger 9 — D A Leslie & Co Medicines 8-1-1

(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 years ended 25th March 185 7, *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 account. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* 25th March 185 7

Wexford District	£	97-9-7
Broadway District	£	61-15-1
Bridgetown District	£	67-18-2
Bannow District	£	64-13-6
Taghmon & Glynn District	£	66-8-6
Crossabeg District	£	54-12-1

Unexhausted
3 June 1857.

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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 Committees; namely:—

~~Dispensary District, No.~~ _____ ~~of~~ _____

Ordered that the Clerk advertise in the General Advertiser for Tenders for the supply of Medicines & Medical Appliances for 12 Months from the 29th Instant, and that Tenders be considered by the Board on the 25th Instant.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 11th day of April 1857.

George L. Hunt. Chairman
Philip Ryan
James M. Deane
Thomas Prendergast
Clerk of the Union

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,....£105,464 15s.

TE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of April 1857

of Inmates for accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
house,	800	614
nent Buildings,	150	"
nal Workhouse,	100	"
nent Fever Hospital		
Sheds,	40	16
TOTAL,	1120	630

	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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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.
aining on Previous Sa-day, as per last return.	58	192	58	63	76	64	75	20	36	642
dmitted during the week.	13	10	"	"	"	"	"	2	4	29
TOTAL,	71	202	58	63	76	64	75	22	40	671
scharged during the week,	19	13	"	"	1	"	1	1	3	38
ed, - - - - -	3	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3
tal Discharged and Dead,	22	13	"	"	1	"	1	1	3	41
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	49	189	58	63	75	64	74	21	37	630

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	117	In separate Wards.	7
In Fever Hospital.	16	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total,	133	Total,	11

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856 788

OBSERVATIONS.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Br. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

OPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 11th day of April 1857

RESENT: In the Chair, George Le Hunte Esq. J.P.V.C. & Richard Allen Esq. D.V.C.

Other Guardians: Nicholas ~~Fitzhenry~~ James Barry William Cavish Robert Clifford Patrick Roche James Howlin Philip Ryan Matthew Treacy Patrick Furlong James Hore James Whitty Walter Furlong James M. Vicary William Morris James Mehre Jas. R. Crosbie Matthew Treacy & Jas. Murphy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

James Hore Widower Churchtown Parish of Carne Pensioner & Mary Rossiter Spinster of same place Servant. The Marriage to be Solemnized at the Registrar's Office Anne St. Wexford Dist.

of Notice 10 April 1857

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4526 to No. 4557, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 9 to No. 10, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had complied with the Orders given him by the Board on the 4th Instant.

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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, ... £ 0 - 0 - 0

Paid during the week, ... £306 - 14 - 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £172 - 2 - 6

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.	Folio in leger	Folio in leger	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,...									
	Folio in leger	Folio in leger	Wexford, - -	"	"	"	1088	17	8¾
			TOTAL, -	"	"	"	1088	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,.....									
	Folio in Leger	Folio in Leger	Ardcavan - -	"	"	"	22	15	4
	Folio in Leger	Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -	"	"	"	13	9	7
	Folio in Leger	Folio in Lege.	Artramont, - -	"	"	"	7	6	10
	Folio in Leger	Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -	"	"	"	8	7	8
			TOTAL, -	"	"	"	51	19	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE.....									
	Folio in Leger	Folio in Leger	Aughwilliam, - -	"	"	"	"	9	12¼
	Folio in Leger	Folio in Leger	Ballynaitty, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Folio in Leger	Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -	"	"	"	2	12	0½
	Folio in Leger	Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	"	"	"	"	8	2¾
	Folio in leger	Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -	"	"	"	1	7	3½
	Folio in Leger	Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	2	15	6
	Folio in Leger	Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	"	"	"	"	17	7½
	Folio in Leger	Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	"	"	11	11
	Folio in leger	Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	"	"	"	4	3	2½
	Folio in Leger	Folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	"	"	"	1	3	"
			TOTAL, -	"	"	"	14	8	3¼
JAMES REA ,.....									
	Folio in leger	Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -	"	"	"	1	2	8
	Folio in Leger	Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -	"	"	"	1	3	9½
	Folio in Leger	Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -	"	"	"	"	4	5¾
	Folio in leger	folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Folio in Leger	Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -	"	"	"	1	7	11
	Folio in Leger	folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -	"	"	"	"	13	1½
	Folio in leger	Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -	"	"	"	6	5	5
	Folio in leger	folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Folio in Leger	Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -	"	"	"	"	7	0½
			TOTAL, -	"	"	"	11	4	6¼
THOMAS SHARPE...									
	Folio in leger	Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -	"	"	"	"	1	6
	Folio in Leger	Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -	"	"	"	"	2	"
	Folio in leger	folio in leger	Kilcowan, -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Folio in Leger	Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -	"	"	"	"	5	4
	Folio in Leger	folio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -	"	"	"	"	"	9½
	Folio in Leger	folio in Leger	Bannow, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	8¼
	Folio in Leger	folio in leger	Duncormack, - -	"	"	"	"	"	0½
	Folio in Leger	folio in Leger	Harristown, - -	"	"	"	"	3	4
	Folio in Leger	Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	0¾
			TOTAL, -	"	"	"	"	76	8¾
			TOTAL.....	"	"	"	1164	7	8

RATE RETURN.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the War rant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8¾	1638	=	=	1088	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856	510	14	7	457	15	2	51	19	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE.	do	1,053	10	6¼	1039	11	3	14	8	3¼
JAMES REA, ...	do	982	12	4¼	971	7	10	11	4	6¼
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2¾	771	3	6	"	16	8¾
TOTAL.....		6,055	4	5	4887	17	9	1164	7	8

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ *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 £ 80 s. 2 d. 3¼

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	80	2	3¼
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	69	14	10¼
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	69	14	10¼
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		2	0
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		2	11¾
		3	9

Folio in Leger 18
Folio in Leger 54
Folio in Leger 58
Folio in Leger 54

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:—

6 Bags of	Flour	4 lbs	Candles
3 Sacks	Wholemeal	" lbs	Mould Candles
210 lbs	Meat	" Cwt	Soap
1 Ton	Oatmeat	" lbs	Soda
1 Ton	Indian Meal	" lbs	Starch
300 Gallons	Buttermilk	14 lbs	Malt
460 Gallons	New Milk	1 lb	Hops
1 Cwt	Salt	75 lb.	Molasses
18 lbs	Tea		
84 lbs	Sugar		
2 lbs	Lump Sugar		
" lb	Pepper		
" lb	Ginger		
" Cwt	Rice		
4 Quarts	Whiskey		
1 Doz	Wine		
" Doz of	Large Porter		
" Doz	Small Porter		
" Tons	Coal		

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

1 Bags of	Flour
50 lbs	Meat
" Cwts	Oatmeal
" Cwt	Salt
30 Gallons	New Milk
3 lbs	Tea
10 lbs	Sugar
" Cwt	Rice
" Doz	Wine
" Quarts	Whiskey
" lb	Pepper
" Tons	Coal
" lbs	Candles
" Cwt	Soap
" lbs	Starch

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 1 *day of* April *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	0	5	3
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
Total	0	5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
No. II.	William Cadding	0-2-3			No. IV.				
No. III.	John Furlong	0-3-0			No. V.				
					No. VI.				
Carried forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
J. Prendergast Weaving	"	10	2

Folio in Ledger 62
Folio in Ledger 10

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

2. Establishment Account.

Richard Pierse erecting Chimney	11		
J. Prendergast Sundries	1	2	2

Folio in Ledger 74
Folio in Ledger 10

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Joanna H. Fortune Oatmeal	18	7	6
J. Prendergast Bakers Wages	"	15	"

Folio in Ledger 48
Folio in Ledger 10

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

4. ~~Out-Door Relief Invoice~~ Emigration Account.

J. Prendergast Emigration expenses of Elia Grady and child	3	6	=

Folio in Ledger 122
Folio in Ledger 10

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

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

The Masters Estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and orders were duly made for the several articles specified viz/3 4 Oz. Shoe Stairs 14 Ol. Black Lead 1 Shillings worth of Flower seeds 7 lb. Patent Grease for Cars and 6. Chamber Pots

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

Mr Pierse has completed the Chimney of the Infirm Female Ward

I have to request a Committee to take stock of Clothing Furniture & Utensils in Workhouse.

I beg to call the attention of the Board to the fact that the Meat Contractor supplies very bad Meat and does not send it up in time on Saturday for the Board to see it even though requested by me to do so

I have to request a Committee to inspect the articles named in the condemned Clothing Book which I consider unfit for further use

Ordered that Messrs Vicary & Crosbie have been appointed a Committee to take stock of Clothing &c in the House and Fever Hospital and have promised to attend for that purpose on 22nd Instant

That the Clerk is hereby directed to write to Mr Hayes Meat Contractor to inform him that the Master has complained that the Meat supplied by him for some

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

some time past was had and that the Board hope that the Meat which he will supply in future will be of good quality and also that the Board desire to have the Meat required each Saturday up here at 12 o'clock in order that it may be inspected by the Guardians

No. 9030/57 9 April 1857 consuting to a sum of £6 being applied out of the Rates for the purpose of assisting to defray the expenses of the Emigration to Wisconsin of Eliza Fradey and child chargeable to the E. D. of Ardcavan

Ordered that the following articles having been inspected by Guardians are hereby condemned Vizt 2 Towles. 100. Shifts 60 Shirts 75 aprons 32 Wrappers. 16 Bibs 5 Flannel Waistcoats - 3 Flannel Shawls - 6 Flannel Petticoats - 47 Frocks - 10 Linsey Petticoats - 25 Cotton Petticoats - 13 Rollers 26 Blankets - 76 Sheets - 161 Pairs of Stockings - 15 Beaticks. 81 Womens Caps - 20 Mens Caps 103 Handkerchiefs - 4 Rugs - 2 Table Clothes - 80 Pair Shoes - 7 Pair Lasts - 4 Aprons 16 Jackets. 18 Vests. 11 Trousers. 8 Drawers - 24 Jackets - 39 Vests - 3 Trousers - 9 Caps - 61 Quart Tins - 80 Pint Tins - 4 Ladles - 2 Milk Measures - 1 Metal Saucepan 2 Tin Saucepans 2 Tin Plates 1 Tin fallow - 1 Medicine Can - 1 Frying pan - 1 Scoop and 2 Fire Shovels

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 Letter dated this day from Mr. Hugh Henrick schoolmaster stating that he has been summoned to attend an examination on Thursday and Friday the 16th & 17th Instant and requesting that the Board would grant him leave of absence on those days

Ordered that the request of the Schoolmaster be complied with and that arrangements be made by the Master to prevent irregularity in the school during the Schoolmasters absence

The following Proposal from Mr. John Hinton Emigration agent was read and accepted by the Board

I hereby undertake to convey the Emigrants to Quebec now proposed to be sent out by this Union on the same terms as those agreed on by me last year Vizt £4-17-6 for adults and £2-8-9 for children such to be found in bed-bedding and mess utensils and all to be conveyed in same ship and to accompany them to the ship and see them on Board myself.

11th April 1857 (Signed) John Hinton

Resolved that the Guardians of Wexford Electoral Divisions also Mr. Vicary & Mr. [illegible]

and any other Guardian that may find it convenient to attend are hereby appointed a Committee to meet on Wednesday next at 11 O'Clock a.m. to select the articles of Clothing required for those Inmates proposed to be assisted by the Board to Emigrate and that Circulars be issued by the Clerk to such of the Shopkeepers of the Town as have for Sale the articles required - requesting them send in Tenders and Samples on or before that day

Resolved that a Sum of £8 be allowed by this Board out of the Rates to each of the adult Female Inmates selected for Emigration to defray her Emigration expenses to Quebec and a sum of £4 to each child for same purpose and that the Names of the Inmates proposed to be assisted to Emigrate be entered on Minutes of proceedings of the Board on this day Vizt:-

Name		To where chargable	Name		To where chargable
Margaret	Carty	Union	Catherine	Pitt	Wexford
Sarah	Carty	do	Margaret	Furling	do
Mary	Reynolds	do	Mary	Power	do
Mary Anne	Cullen	do	Eliza	Wadding	do
Mary	Cullen	do	Mary	Carroll	do
Eliza	Brien	do	Margaret	Hogan	do
Thomas	Brien	do	Eliza	Mc Guirk	do
Catherine	Kavanagh	do	Laurence	Mc Guirk	do
Margaret	Kavanagh	do	Patrick	Mc Guirk	do
Peter	Kavanagh	do	Bridget	Cardiff	do
Anty	Kavanagh	do	Nicholas	Cardiff	do
Mary	Connor	do	James	Cardiff	do
Mary	Browne	Wexford	Alice	Murphy	do

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 17
Ditto, disallowed ... ... "
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 12

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... ... "
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians 0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians 1

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

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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).

Name.		To where chargable	Name		To where chargable
William	Murphy	Wexford	Mary	Coghlan	Kilmore
Mary	Fallon	do	Anne	Somers	do
Mary	Common	do	m Anne	Somers	do
Anne	Coleman	do	Francis	Somers	do
Elira	Byrne	do	Rachael	Butler	Drumagh
Catherine	Byrne	do	Mary	Butler	do
Bridget	Cullen	do	Catherine	Hennick	Ardcolm
Arthur	Cullen	do	Mary	Leary	Harristown
Mary Anne	Shaw	do	Mary	Leary	do
Mary	Armstrong	do	Ellen	Leary	do
Patrick	Armstrong	do	Moses	Leary	do
Mary	Casey	Kilscoran	Ellen	Neill	Ballymitty
Mary Anne	Power	do	Edward	Neill	do
Mary	Power	do	Catherine	Walsh	do
Anne Elira	Mahoney	Taghmon	Mary	Walsh	do
Jane	Mahoney	do	Catherine	Walsh	do
Margaret	Freene	Killinick	John	Walsh	do
Margaret	Dawley	do	Mary	Walsh	do
William	Waldon	do	Catherine	Parle	do
Mary	Jones	Tacumshane	Catherine	Parle	do
Richard	Jones	do	Anne	Parle	do
Anne	Jones	do	Mary	Browne	do
Bridget	Assitor	do	Mary	Browne	do
James	Assitor	do	Alice	Lambert	Tomhaggard
Mary	Murphy	Harpurstown	Mary	Lambert	do

Resolved that Jane French and child be admitted into this Workhouse and that the Relief which will be afforded her be by way of loan to her husband Moses French who she states has deserted her

Resolved that the Master give a suit of

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~~day of~~ ~~18~~

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of clothes to an orphan child named Thomas Hayes aged 4 years who has been reared in the House but whose Aunt has now undertaken to take him out of this House and provide for him henceforward —

There was no punishment in Workhouse during week ending this day.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 11th day of April 1857,—*continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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 Wexford & Bannow *Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of* 28 Ultimo *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 Bridgetown *Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites, were ordered to be supplied—*

1 Medical Relief Register and 12 Medical Relief Tickets Check Books Form E.

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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.)

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *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-years ended _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *District* . . . . . £

_____ *District* . . . . . £

his to be entered on occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual election of Guardians, and the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in 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 Committees; namely:—*

Wexford Dispensary District, Mr. John Codd of Newtown
" William Kellett Clonard
" Richd. Sinnott Wexford
" Ambrose Hughes do
" Arthur Kavanagh do
" Richd. Crish Snugboro
" John Coady Wexford
" Dr. R. J. Crean do
" Rev. R. W. Elgee do
" Rev William Murphy do

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Broadway Dispensary District. Mr. Saml. Turner. Greenfield
" Rev John Alexander Carne
" Mr. John Boggan Milltown
" Rev. Hugh Hill Muchrath
" Mr. Patrick Doyle Broadway
" Mr. Nichs. Hore Ballyhitt
" Mr. Clement Price Churchtown
" ~~The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:~~
" Mr. Peter Aeville Ecclestown
" ~~Order dated~~ _____ (state subject)
" Mr. Joseph Meadows Cahercur
" Mr. Richd. Jones Ballybreman

The next meeting of Committee to be held on 30 April 1857

Bridgetown Dispensary District Mr. Patrick Fortune Fortus Great
" Mr. Jas. Moore Rathangan
" Mr. James Staples Gregg
" Mr. James Browne Tardiestown
" Mr. James Keating Dunnistown
" Mr. Moses Rochford Kilmannon
" Mr. Nicholas Busher Bargy
" Mr. Patrick Cardiff Ballycappoge
" Mr. John Day Fallagh
" Mr. James Radford Kilcowan
" Mr. John Walsh Eastlands
" Mr. Matt. Meyler Beak
" Mr. John Browne Bridgetown

The next meeting to be held on [illegible] next

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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

Bannow Dispensary District — Mr. Stephen Colfer Danescastle
" Mr. Stephen Furlong Duncormack
" Mr. John White Venersly
" Mr. Mich. N. Crish Coolhull
" Raymond Crish Ballinsly
" Mr. John Earle Ambrostown
" Mr. Patrick Stafford Busherstown
" Thomas meylor Harristown
" Mr. James Daley Edwardstown
" Mr. John O'Neill Roathouse

Next meeting of Committee to be held on 7th May next

Taghmon & Glynn D. District — Mr. Mark Forman Fryerstown
" James Richards Youngstown
" Isaac Whelock Davidstown
" Philip Keating do
" Patrick Callaghan Castle Stayestown
" Nicholas Cowman Collfure
" Laurence Walsh Corlican
" Mr. M. Sweetman Lambstown
" Martin Ryan Tincool
" John A. Doyle Tarristown
" Stephen Prendergast Taghmon
" Patrick Jacob Growtown
" Edward Brennan Forest
" Matthew Earle Coulnark
" Thomas Walsh Coolcull
" Edward Kearns Barmney
" (Signed) John Roche Clearistown

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Crossabeg Dispensary District — Mr. Joseph Furlong Ferrybank
Mr. Nich. Clancy Castlebridge
Rev. Henry Stokes do
Mr. Nich. Culleton Ballybogan
Mr. George Dixon Collegan
Mr. David Redmond Monaseed

Next meeting to be held on 13th May 1857.

Resolved. that the Clerk is hereby directed to furnish each Dispensary District with 50 Copies of Form. N. containing the necessary particulars and that he forward same as early as practicable to the several Committees to be posted in the respective Districts

The undernamed persons were appointed Wardens and the Clerk directed to give to each Notice of his appointment viz; For Wexford Dispensary District

Mr. William Browne Elmard
Rev. William Furlong Newtown
Rev. Patrick Murphy Barntown
Mr. Nicholas Clancy Coolestown
Mr. Patrick Roche Ballygoman
Rev. Patrick Keating Piercestown
Mr. Nicholas Edward Killiane.
Mr. James Innis Ballykilliane
Mr. Richard Hawlin Wexford
Rev. Jeremiah Hogan do
Mr. Nicholas Keating do
Mr. Michael Innis do
Rev. William Cooke do

For Broadway Dispensary District

Rev. James Kavanagh Ballyminaun
Rev. Peter Barry Woodtown
Mr. Patrick Sinnott Tagoat
Rev. Patrick Walsh Broadway
Rev. Martin Fortune do
Rev. John Kavanagh Tagoat
Rev. William O'Neill do
Mr. Philip Wall Ballystane
Mr. Patrick Murphy Killtown
Rev. John Pierse Churchtown

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For Bridgetown Dispensary District

Mr. John	Chambers	Pettitstown
Mr. Robert	Hayes	Loughgunnew
Mr. William	Clancy	Cates Cross
Mr. Nicholas	Clancy	Millamour
Rev. Peter	Barry	Woodtown
Rev. Patrick	Keating	Pierstown
Rev. James	Kerwan	Murrankin
Rev. Gerald	O'Toole	Rathangan
Rev. Richard	Caffrey	Kilmore
Mr. William	Furlong	Milltown
Mr. Laurence	Fortune	Rathaspick
Mr. James	Devereux	Tombaggard
Mr. James	Power	Chapel

Mr. Nicholas Sparling — Bridgetown
Mr. Robert Hughes — Pierstown
Mr. Michael Carty — Murrankin
Mr. Patrick McCabe — Rathangan
Mr. Thomas Byrne — Milltown
Mr. William McCormick — Rathaspick
Rev. Nicholas Kirwan — Tombaggard
Rev. Nicholas Kirwan — Chapel

For Bannow Dispensary District

Mr. Thos.	Murphy	Newtown
Rev. Patrick	Sheridan	Danescastle
Rev. Peter	Crosh	Ballymitty
Rev. John	Ennis	Barrystown
Rev. Abraham	Loff	Dunnamack
Rev. John	Colfer	Bilgrove
Mr. Paul	Kehoe	Montown

For Taghmon & Glynn Dispensary District

Rev. Denis	Foley	Boolabawn
Rev. James	Lyng	Taghmon
Mr. Patrick	Murphy	Rowestown

For Crossabeg Dispensary District

Rev. Denis	Kenny	Crossabeg
Rev. John	Murphy	Castlebridge
Rev. John	Stafford	Screen
Mr. Samuel	Atkins	Whitefort
Rev. Frederick	Thompson	Tykillen

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George Le Hunte. Chairman

James Mc Carty

Michael Kehoe

Thos. Byrne

Patrick Murphy

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851 .....52,503. Present Net Annual Value, ... £105,464 15s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of April 1857

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, above 15 years of age but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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,	300	614										
Permanent Buildings,	180											
Additional Workhouse,	"	"										
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	20										
Fever Sheds,	40	"										
TOTAL,	1120	634										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			49	189	58	63	75	64	74	21	37	630
Admitted during the week.			7	7	2	3	"	"	"	"	3	22
TOTAL			56	196	60	66	75	64	74	21	40	652
Discharged during the week,			5	6	"	1	"	1	"	1	2	16
Died, - - - - -			"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	7	1	1	"	1	"	1	2	18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			51	189	59	65	75	63	74	20	38	634

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
In Workhouse Hospital.	26	In separate Wards.	7
In Fever Hospital.	20	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total,	46	Total,	11

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856 783

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
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No. III.						
Brt forward						

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Brt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 18th day of April 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, George Le Hunte Esq. J.P. D.L.
Other Guardians: Captain William A. Stewart J.P. James Leigh J.P. Frederick Solly Flood J.P. John Prentice, Stephen Stafford, John Crosh, Michael Kehoe, Patrick Roche, Walter Furlong and James M. Vicars.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4558 to No. 4581 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 9 to No. 10, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he has complied with the orders given by the Board on the 11th Instant,

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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, ... £47-10-0

Paid during the week, ... £53-5-9

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £1396-6-9

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.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,... Folio in ledger 10 Folio in ledger 128	Wexford, - -	40	"	"	1048	17	8¾
	TOTAL, -	40	=	=	1048	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,..... Folio in Ledger 10 Folio in Ledger 131	Ardcavan - -	3	7	"	19	8	4
Folio in Ledger 10 Folio in Ledger 133	Ardcolm, - - -	1	16	"	11	23	7
Folio in Ledger 10 Folio in Ledger 135	Artramont, - -	1	1	"	6	5	10
Folio in Ledger 10 Folio in Ledger 137	Kilpatrick, - -	1	6	"	7	1	8
	TOTAL, -	7	10	=	44	9	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Aughwilliam, - -	"	"	"	"	9	1½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballynitty, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -	"	"	"	2	19	0½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	"	"	"	"	8	2½
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -	"	"	"	1	7	3½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	2	15	6
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	"	"	"	"	7	2½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	"	"	11	11
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	"	"	"	4	3	2½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	"	"	"	1	3	"
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	14	8	3½
JAMES REA ,..... Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -	"	"	"	1	2	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -	"	"	"	1	3	9½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -	"	"	"	"	4	5½
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -	"	"	"	1	7	11
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -	"	"	"	"	13	1½
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -	"	"	"	6	5	5
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -	"	"	"	"	7	0½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	11	4	6½
THOMAS SHARPE.. Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -	"	"	"	"	4	6
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -	"	"	"	"	9	"
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan, -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -	"	"	"	"	5	7½
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -	"	"	"	"	"	9½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Bannow, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	8½
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Duncormack, - -	"	"	"	"	"	0½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Harristown, - -	"	"	"	"	3	1½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	0½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	1	16	8½
TOTAL.....		[illegible]			[illegible]		

RATE RETURN.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the War rant for collection was given to the Collector.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	1048	17	8¾	16	8	"	2,726	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856	44	9	5	475	5	"	519	14	7
NICHOLAS ROCHE.	do	74	8	3½	1039	11	3	1,053	19	6½
JAMES REA, ...	do	11	7	6½	971	7	10	982	12	4½
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	"	16	8½	771	3	6	772	0	2½
	TOTAL.....	1135	7	11½	4920	16	8	6,055	4	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.

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 £ 61 s. 5 d. 3

Folio in Ledger 48
Folio in Ledger 54
Folio in Ledger 58
Folio in Ledger 54

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	61	5	3
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	68	9	7¼
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	68	9	7¼
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	1	11¼
	"	3	0

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:—

5	Bags of	Flour	4 lbs	Candles	
3	Sacks	Wholemeal	" lbs	Mould Candles	
224 lbs		Meat	" Cwt	Soap	
" Ton		Oatmeal	28 lbs	Soda	
" Ton		Indian Meal	8 lbs	Starch	
300	Gallons	Buttermilk	" lbs	Malt	
460	Gallons	New Milk	" lb	Hops	
" Cwt		Salt			
20 lbs		Tea			
12 lbs		Sugar			
2 lbs		Lump Sugar			
" lb		Pepper			
" lb		Ginger			
2 Cwt		Rice			
" Quarts		Whiskey			
" Doz		Wine			
" Doz of		Large Porter			
" Doz		Small Porter			
" Tons		Coal			

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

" Bags	of	Flour
64 lbs		Meat
" Cwts		Oatmeal
" Cwt		Salt
30 Gallons		New Milk
4 lbs		Tea
24 lbs		Sugar
" Cwt		Rice
" Doz		Wine
" Quarts		Whiskey
1 lb		Pepper
" Tons		Coal
" lbs		Candles
" Cwt		Soap
" lbs		Starch

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 11th day of April whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	"	5	3
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
Total	"	5	3

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
I.					Bt. forwd.				
II.	Dr Redding	2 3			No. IV.				
III.	Dr Finlay	3 0			No. V.				
					No. VI.				
Bt. forwd					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.
W. Power 5 Yrs advertising in People Newspaper 66th April 29	5	=	=
T. Lendrigan & Sundries	2	7	5
Folio in Ledger 74			
Folio in Ledger 10			

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.
T. Lundigan & Bakers Bills for Week		15	=
Folio in Ledger 48			
Folio in Ledger 10			

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

Election Acts. ~~Out-Door Relief Invoice~~ *Account.*

	£	s.	d.
T. Lundigan & Election Expenses		15	2
Folio in Ledger 107			
Folio in Ledger 10			

Election Acts

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

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

No Report from the Visiting Committee this Week

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

They to suggest the propriety of disposing of one of the Workhouse horses, as they think he can be dispensed with. One horse properly fed would in my opinion be equal to the work,

Ordered that the Master dispose of one of the Horses belonging to the House on the best terms for the Guardians,

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

The Masters Estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and orders were duly made for the several articles specified viz 1 Gallon Boiled Oil, 14 lb White Lead, 1 lb Chrome Yellow, ½ Pint of Varnish, Repairs to 10 Scissors, and to 2 Knives belonging to Surgery.

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. 94 dd 15/ dated 11th April 1857 requesting to be furnished with a Return in the annexed Form of the number of Emigrants who have been sent out or assisted to emigrate by Board of Guardians from 1st April 1856 to 31st March 1857.

No. 96 B 5/ dated 17th April 1857 forwarding for payment by Board of Guardians, the Returning Officers account of expenses attending the Election of Guardians in March last, amounting to £15 2s 2d.

No. 996 /57 dated 27th April 1857 stating they desire to inform the Guardians that they have appointed Mr. Phillip Hamilton Poor Law Inspector the List of particulars respecting certain

Inmates of the Workhouse whom the Guardians desire to emigrate - for his report as to the fitness of the persons selected - by the Guardians - for emigration.

Resolved that Patrick Murphy aged 13 years, and Matthew Murphy aged 10 years be allowed by this Board out of the Rates a sum of £12 to defray their emigration expenses to Upper Canada where their father who has remitted to their sister who is at service in this Union a sum of £6 to enable her to go to him - is at present that the £12 be charged to the Electoral Division of Harperstown to which the boys are now chargeable, and that the Commissioners be informed that they will be accompanied by the sister to whom the father has sent the Money - and also by a sister whom the Guardians received on the 1st Instant to assist to emigrate.

That Catherine Bevaille aged 19 years Chargeable to the Division of Kilmyglass be allowed a sum of £8 to assist her to emigrate to Quebec. And that the same amount be allowed for same purpose to Margaret Tierney who is chargeable to the Electoral Division of Wexford, And that the Commissioners be requested

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	12
Ditto, disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	10

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	"
Ditto, ditto, 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	9
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	4

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~~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).~~

requested to issue the necessary Consent under Seal to the proposed expenditure,

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Ordered that the Clerk advertise in the Local Newspapers that the Guardians will set the field at the rere of the Fever Hospital for 12 Months from the 4th Nov. on the Condition that no sort of Stock, except Sheep will be placed thereon from 1st November 1857 to the 3rd May 1858,

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Ordered, that the Master of the Workhouse is permitted to absent himself from the House a tomorrow,

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~~Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the day of 18~~

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 18th day of April 1857,—*continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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 Taghmon & Glynn *Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites, were ordered to be supplied—*

5 Quires Ruled Paper, 5 Quires of Note Paper. 100 Quills, 1 Jar Writing Ink — 100 Envelopes Large size - and 100 Envelopes Small size,

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

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

(This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 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-years ended _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *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 Committees; namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ (*state subject*)

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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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 25th April 1857

James Mr. Dean Jr Chk.
James Whitty
Thomas Moore

Wm Prendergast
Chas Jones

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851 .....52,503. Present Net Annual Value, ...£105,464 15s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of April

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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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,	800	620										
Permanent Buildings,	180	"										
Additional Workhouse,	900	"										
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	19										
Fever Sheds,	40	"										
TOTAL,	1120	639										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			51	189	59	65	75	63	74	90	38	634
Admitted during the week.			11	13	4	4	1	1	4	1	5	36
TOTAL			62	202	59	65	76	64	78	91	43	670
Discharged during the week,			14	6	4	2	"	1	2	4	2	35
Died, - - - -			3	"	"	"	2	"	"	"	"	4
Total Discharged and Dead,			17	6	"	2	1	1	2	"	2	39
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			45	196	59	63	75	63	76	91	41	631

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS. Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	115	In separate Wards.	7
In Fever Hospital.	19	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total.	134	Total.	11

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856..... 763

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Bt forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 25th day of April 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair James M. Nicary Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians: Captain William A. Anstey, J.P. Frederick Solly Flood J.P. John Walsh J.P. William Carson - Robert Clifford Patrick Lacey - Michael Rehoe Patrick Roche, Michael Murphy Matthew Walters Thomas Whitty Thomas Lacey - William Jacob, James Whitty Matthew Tracey Thomas Rehoe Thos. Stone James Roche Matthew Tracey

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1587 to No. 1608 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 9 to No. 10, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had complied with the Orders given by the Board on the 18th Instant,

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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, ... £ 48-18-0

Paid during the week, ... £ 109-12-6

And that the Balance on the Account in favour *of the Guardians was* £ 1335-12-3

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.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, Folio in leger 10 Folio in leger 128	Wexford, - -	40	=	=	1008	17	8¾
	TOTAL, -	40	=	=	1008	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE, Folio in Leger 10 Folio in Leger 131	Ardcavan - -	3	9	=	15	19	4
Folio in Leger 10 Folio in Leger 133	Ardcolm, - -	3	9	=	8	4	7
Folio in Leger 10 Folio in Leger 135	Artramont, - -	1	"	"	5	5	10
Folio in Leger 10 Folio in Leger 137	Kilpatrick, - -	1	"	"	6	1	8
	TOTAL, -	8	18	=	35	11	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Anghwilliam, - -	"	"	"	"	17	1¾
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -	"	"	"	"	"	-
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - -	"	"	"	2	12	10½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	"	"	"	"	8	2¼
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Glynn, - - -	"	"	"	1	7	3½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	2	15	6
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	"	"	"	"	17	7½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	"	"	11	11
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	"	"	"	4	3	9½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	"	"	"	1	3	6
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	14	8	3¾
JAMES REA ,..... Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -	"	"	"	1	2	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -	"	"	"	1	3	9½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -	"	"	"	"	4	5¾
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -	"	"	"	1	2	11
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -	"	"	"	"	13	1½
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -	"	"	"	6	5	5
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -	"	"	"	"	7	1½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	11	4	6¾
THOMAS SHARPE... Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -	"	"	"	"	4	6
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -	"	"	"	"	9	=
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan, -	"	"	"	"	"	-
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -	"	"	"	"	5	4
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -	"	"	"	"	1	9¾
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Bannow, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	8¾
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Duncormack, - -	"	"	"	"	"	8½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Harristown, - -	"	"	"	"	3	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	"	0	0¾
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	"	16	8¾
	TOTAL.....	48	18	=	1070	5	8

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THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2¾	771	3	6	"	16	8¾
	TOTAL.....	6,055	4	5	4984	5	7	1070	18	8

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 79 s. 17 d. 5¼

Thrown Leger 48
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Folio in Leger 54

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	79	17	5¼
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	71	10	8¼
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	18	0
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	2	11

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:—

5	Bags of	Flour	" lbs	Candles	
3	Sacks	Wholemeal	" lbs	Mould Candles	
224	lbs	Meat	" Cwt	Soap	
1	Ton	Oatmeat	" lbs	Soda	
1	Ton	Indian Meat	" lbs	Starch	
300	Gallons	Buttermilk	14 lbs	Malt	
460	Gallons	New Milk	7 lb	Hops	
1	Cwt	Salt			
20	lbs	Tea			
84	lbs	Sugar			
7	lbs	Lump Sugar			
"	lb	Pepper			
"	lb	Ginger			
"	Cwt	Rice			
"	Quarts	Whiskey			
"	Doz	Wine			
"	Doz of	Large Porter			
"	Doz	Small Porter			
"	Tons	Coal			

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

1	Bags of	Flour
64	lbs	Meat
"	Cwts	Oatmeal
"	Cwt	Salt
30	Gallons	New Milk
3	lbs	Tea
30	lbs	Sugar
"	Cwt	Rice
"	Doz	Wine
"	Quarts	Whiskey
"	lb	Pepper
"	Tons	Coal
6	lbs	Candles
"	Cwt	Soap
"	lbs	Starch

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 18 day of April whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	5	5	3
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
Total	5	5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
No. II.	J. Waddick	2-5			No. IV.				
No. III.	Jas Dulop	30			No. V.				
Bt. forwd					No. VI.				
					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.
Thos Hanrick Schoolmaster 1 Month Salary	2	10	0
T. Pendergast Sundries	3	4	8

Thos in Ledger 74
Thos in Ledger 10

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.
T. Pendergast Bakers Bills		15	

Thos in Ledger 48
Thos in Ledger 10

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

4. *Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.*

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

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

The Report from the Visiting Committee this Week,

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

The Masters Estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified. viz: 60 lb Butt Leather - 10,00 do nails - 4 lb Large Balls Twine - 2 Razors sharpened, 1 lb Starch and 6 lb Lump Sugar for Fever Hospital,

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The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board ~~directing as follows~~:—

No. 9961/57 dated 24th April 1857 Consenting to a sum not exceeding the sum set opposite the name of each of the Poor persons included in the following Table being applied by the Guardians out of the Rate to defray the Emigration Expenses to Quebec of the Poor persons named in the said Table,

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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. 9462/57 dated 18th April 1857 in reference to the prepayment by Postage Stamps of the Communications addressed to them by the Clerk of Unions &c &c

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that all Communications addressed to them by the Clerk of this Union have been prepaid.

No. 10361/57 dated 20th April 1857 requesting the Clerk to transmit forthwith the Returns of Rate Collected and Lodged in the Union since the 14th Ultimo,

Ordered that the Clerk has informed the Board that he has complied with the request contained in the foregoing letter

No. 10653/57 dated 24th April 1857 forwarding a Form in which the particulars required in regard to the proposed Emigration of Patrick and Matthew Murphy - Catherine Berville and Mary Anne Tierney shall be stated &c,

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that the Clerk of the Union has already transmitted to their Office a List containing the particulars which they require in reference to the persons named in the preceding letter,

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No. 10197/57 dated 24th April 1857 stating that they have given directions for the preparation and signing of their sealed Consent to the expenditure necessary for the Emigration of all the parties named in the List with the exception of Anne Coleman who is not under sixteen Emigration of Anne Eliza Mahony aged 16 Years and Jane Mahony aged 7 Years whose Father and eldest Sister are stated to be in America &c &c

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A Notice from George Braddell Esq. stating that he will attend here on Thursday next 30th Instant to

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	16
Ditto, disallowed	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	20

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	—
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books, relieved by order of the Guardians was	9
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	4

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~~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).~~

Audit the Accounts of the Union for the half year ended 25th March last &c

Resolved that Catherine Ryan and Infant be admitted into this Workhouse, and that the relief which will be afforded her be by way of Loan, that her husband Martin Ryan whom she states has refused to maintain herself & Child, and that Notice requiring him to come into the Workhouse, be filled by the Clerk and served on him by the Nash Petitioning Officer of the Division in which he is at present residing,

Resolved that Ellen Furlong who has a small annuity from Lady Esmonde be admitted into the Workhouse Hospital, and that the relief which will be given her be by way of Loan,

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the

day of 18

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 WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 28th day of April 1857—*continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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.)

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *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-years ended _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *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 Committees; namely:—

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

Resolved that Mr James Fennett of Orristown and Mr William Davis of Ballymacaper be appointed Members of the Committee of Management of Broaghan Dispensary District, to fill up the vacancies at present in the Committee of said District,

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

Resolved that the Tender of Mesrs D. & Leslie Rc. to supply the Workhouse, and the Several Dispensary Districts of the Union with Medicines and Medical Appliances, Carriage free, for 12 Months is accepted,

Extract from Minutes of Proceedings of Committee of Management of Oxford Dispensary District at a Meeting held on Friday 24th April 1857.

The Poor Law Commissioners letter No. 69 10/57 dated 25th March 1857 being read,

"It was Unanimously Resolved "That the Commissioners be requested to give 6 Months trial to Doctor Fulling in compounding his own Medicines, agreeably to the Resolution of the Board of Guardians, passed on this subject 28th Ultimo."

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday the 2nd May 1857.

(Signed,)
George L. Hearne. Chairman
L. Wyborne
Clerk of the Union.
Wm. Aug. Armstrong
Wm. Richard Watt
Clerk of Union

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,.....£105,464 15s.

ATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of May

ber of Inmates for h 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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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.
khouse,	800	523										
manent Buildings,	180	"										
itional Workhouse,	"	"										
manent Fever Hospital	100	17										
er Sheds,	40											
TOTAL.	1120	560										
maining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			45	196	59	63	75	63	76	21	41	639
Admitted during the week.			8	9	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	17
TOTAL.			53	205	59	63	75	63	76	21	41	656
Discharged during the week,			11	51	"	"	10	9	8	1	2	92
Died, - - - - -			"	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	2	4
Total Discharged and Dead,			11	52	"	1	10	9	8	1	4	96
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			42	153	59	62	65	54	68	20	37	560

RETURN OF SICK & 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.	7
In Fever Hospital.	17	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total,	122	Total,	11

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856..... 945

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 25th day of April authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
o. I.						
o. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
o. III.						
r. forward						

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Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

OPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 2nd day of May 185

RESENT: In the Chair, Jenfer Lettuce Esq. D.L. (Chairman) Charles A. Walker Esq. V.C. Chair.

Other Guardians: Captain Thomas A. Armstrong J.P. Colonel Phillips J.P. John Walsh J.P. Francis Leigh J.P. William Poole J.P. Thomas Floyd J.P. John Rossiter, Frederick Kelly J.P. Patrick Rocky James McCann, Richard Allen and James Doyle,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1608 to No. 1663, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 9 to No. 20, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That the Law complies with the Orders given by the Board on the 25th Ultimo.

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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, ... £ 42 - 3 - 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 36 - 9 - 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 1341 - 5 - 6

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.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,... Folio in leger 10 Folio in leger 128	*Wexford,* - -	40	=	=	968	17	8¾
	TOTAL, -	40	=	=	968	17	8
MARTIN KEHOE,..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ardcavan* - -	=	=	=	15	19	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ardcolm,* - - -	=	=	=	8	4	7
Folio in Leger Folio in Lege.	*Artramont,* - -	=	=	=	5	5	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilpatrick,* - -	=	=	=	6	1	8
	TOTAL, -	=	=	=	35	11	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Anghwilliam,* - -	.	.	.	.	9	1¼
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ballymitty,* - -	.	.	.	=	=	=
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Carrig,* - - -	.	.	.	2	12	10½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Forth,* - - -	.	.	.	=	8	2½
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Glynn,* - - -	.	.	.	1	2	3½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Harperstown,* - -	.	.	.	2	15	6
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Killurin,* - - -	.	.	.	=	1	2½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilbride,* - - -	.	.	.	=	1	11
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Taghmon,* - - -	.	.	.	4	3	2½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	*Whitechurch,* - -	.	.	.	1	5	=
	TOTAL, -	=	=	=	14	8	3½
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Folio in Leger Folio in leger	*Mayglass,* - -	=	=	=	1	2	=
Folio in Leger 90 folio in leger 169	*Rosslare,* - -	=	4	=	.	9	1½
Folio in leger 10 Folio in leger 171	*Rathaspeck,* - -	1	16	=	4	9	5
Folio in leger 1 folio in leger	*St. Helen's,* - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger 90 Folio in Leger 175	*Tacumshane,* - -	=	3	=	=	4	0½
	TOTAL, -	2	3	=	9	16	6½
THOMAS SHARPE... Folio in leger Folio in leger	*Bridgetown,* - -	=	=	=	=	4	6
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	=	2	10½
	=	3	5

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

7	Bags of Flour	4	lbs	Candles	
2	Sacks Wholemeal	=	lb	Mould Candles	
224	lbs Meat	=	Cwt	Soap	
=	Ton Oatmeal	=	lb	Soda	
=	Ton Indian Meal	=	lb	Starch	
300	Gallons Buttermilk	=	lb	Malt	
460	Gallons New Milk	=	lb	Hops	
0	Cwt Salt				
16	lbs Tea				
84	lbs Sugar				
=	lbs Lump Sugar				
=	lb Pepper				
=	lb Ginger				
=	Cwt Rice				
=	Quarts Whiskey				
=	Doz Wine				
=	Doz of Large Porter				
=	Doz Small Porter				
=	Tons Coal				

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

=	Bags of Flour	
70	lbs Meat	
=	Cwts Oatmeal	
=	Cwt Salt	
30	Gallons New Milk	
3	lbs Tea	
20	lbs Sugar	
=	Cwt Rice	
=	Doz Wine	
=	Quarts Whiskey	
=	lb Pepper	
10	Tons Coal	
=	lbs Candles	
=	Cwt Soap	
=	lbs Starch	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 25th day of April whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	=	5	3
In Kind, ...	=	=	=
Total	=	5	3

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Wm Waddington	2 - 3			Bt. forwd.				
No. II.					No. IV.				
No. III.	Wm Tulady	3 - 0			No. V.				
					No. VI.				
Car. forwd					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

Emigration 1. ~~Clothing~~ Account.

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast Emigration Expenses of 13 Inmates	476	=	=

Folio in Ledger 122
Folio in Ledger 10

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
J. Wolfe for Barber & Waits Salary	1	8	=
J. Roche Head Nurse 7th Mo. 5 do do	1	11	3
M. Morris Matron 7th Mo. do do	2	3	9
T. Prendergast Sundries	3	18	5

Folio in Ledger 14
Folio in Ledger 10

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
J. Hafferd Bakers bills for 1 Week		15	=

Folio in Ledger 48
Folio in Ledger 10

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

Election 4. ~~Out-Door Relief Invoice~~ Account.

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast Burying of Paupers		18	=

Folio in Ledger 107
Folio in Ledger 10

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

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

Ordered to call the Guardians attention to the Gapes in the boundary wall of the Workhouse grounds with the view of their taking such steps as they may deem necessary.

The well recently sunk requires to be covered.

Dy. 4th April 1857

(Signed) James R. Ricard

Ordered that the Master is hereby directed to get the well covered immediately.

The Report of the Master ~~and other Officers~~ was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

Have to report that the 12 Inmates assisted by the Board to emigrate left here on Yesterday for Liverpool under the Care of W. Holden Emigration Agent.

The Masters Estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several Articles specified Viz:- 5 Barrels Lime for Whitewashing - 10 Large Coffins - 11 Small Coffins and 2 Infants Coffins.

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

dated 21st April 1857 for elections to supply vacancies in Boards of Guardians for Year ending 25th March 1858,

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 10811/57 dated 25th April 1857 requesting to be informed of the total expenditure of the Union for the half Year ended 25th March 1857 - distinguishing the Amount expended under the Medical Charities Act,

No 11711 dated 29th April 1857 forwarding a Copy of a Sealed Order bearing date 21st Instant for elections of Guardians of the Poor &c.

No 11088/57 dated 30th April 1857 ~~forwarding a Copy of a Sealed Order~~ stating that they return List of particulars respecting four pauper Inmates whom the Board propose to assist to Emigrate to America - in order that the ages of Catherine Beville and Margaret Feiney respectively named

named be inserted therein,

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that the Clerk has resubmitted to their Office the List with the ages of the females entered therein, and that the Guardians are quite certain that these Girls will procure employment in America immediately after landing

That as Anne Eliza Mahony to whose Emigration the Commissioners objected in their Letter of 24th Ultimo No 10199-1857 has requested to be permitted to Emigrate without her Sister, and as the Guardians are desirous of complying with her wish they request that the Commissioners will issue their Consent under Seal to the sum of £8 being allowed by the Board out of the Rates to defray her Emigration Expenses to Quebec,

No 11528/57 dated 1st May 1857 stating that it does not appear that Ellen Furlong is destitute.

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that Ellen Furlong is detained under a disease with which she is not admissible to the County Infirmary, and the Annuity allowed her by Lady Ormonde is totally inadequate to support her

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	9
Ditto, disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	8

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	
Ditto, ditto, 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	2
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	4

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

procure Medicines and Medical aid for her outside the Workhouse,

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Letter dated March 1857 from Messrs Maurice Ross and James Kelly Secretaries to the Commissioners of National Education stating that the Commissioners have opened a Depository for the sale of School-Apparatus to the National Schools of Ireland &c &c

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Letter dated 27th April 1857 from George Bradell Esq. Poor Law Auditor stating that he should adjourn the Audit till further notice,

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Resolved that the List of Clothes given by order of the Board to paupers when leaving the House laid before the Board this day by the Master of the Workhouse is approved and the Clerk hereby to take it into his custody and keep it with the other documents belonging to the Union in his charge,

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Resolved that Relieving Officer Nadding

~~Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the~~
~~day of 18~~

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Nadding is hereby directed to afford to Margaret Roger of Crossabeg in the Electoral Division of Ballymitt, who is sick and incapable of being removed without endangering her life - the amount of Out Door Relief which he may consider necessary.

Mr William Murphy of Saint Johns New Brunswick came before the Board and stated that he wished bind with him to that place a nephew of his who is in this House named Denis Brien aged 16 years if the Guardians would supply the boy with Clothes,

Ordered subject to the Commissioners approval that the Master purchase the Clothes for Denis Brien the Cost not to exceed Three Pounds Sterling.

Resolved that the Turnips now at the Workhouse grounds be sold at the rate of 15/- per Ton and the Mangold Wurtzel at the rate of 15/- per Ton, and the Cabbages 2/6 per Ton extra for each be

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be charged to such persons as may require to have the articles delivered,

Notice of Motion.

I will move at this day week that Catherine Ryan and James Ryan be removed from the Electoral Division of Rosslare, and charged to whatever Division they are entitled to be placed in.

2nd May 1857

(Signed) James Sh Vicary

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 2nd day of May 1857,—*continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 1849.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Broadway *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 that the Clerk send to Messrs D & A Leslie a List of Medicine required for Broadway Dispensary District with a request that they will supply them at their earliest convenience,

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 Broadway *Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites, were ordered to be supplied—*

An adequate supply of Medical Relief Ticket Check Books Form E 1 & 2 - and 25 Copies of Notice (Form N) for posting through Dispensary District,

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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.)

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *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 _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *District* . . . . . £

_____ *District* . . . . . £

(This to be entered on 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 the 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 Committees; namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ (*state subject*)

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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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 9th May 1857

James M. Keane Jnd Ch.
Patt. Kenny
Walter Fitzlong

Thomas Rudegeast
Clk of Union

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851 .....52,503. Present Net Annual Value, ...£105,464 15s.

ATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of May

r of Inmates for 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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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.
ouse,	400	547										
neral Buildings,	150	"										
onal Workhouse,	"	"										
neral Fever Hospital	100	15										
Sheds,	40	"										
TOTAL.	1120	562										
aining on Previous Sa-day, as per last return.			42	53	59	62	65	54	68	20	37	500
dmitted during the week.			10	21	"	1	2	1	"	1	4	40
TOTAL.			52	74	59	63	67	55	68	21	41	600
scharged during the week,			11	14	"	"	4	3	1	1	3	37
ed, - - - - -			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1
tal Discharged and Dead,			11	14	"	1	4	3	1	1	3	38
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			41	60	59	62	63	52	67	20	38	562

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
0	
Workhouse Hospital. 0	In separate Wards. 4
In Fever Hospital. 2	In Wards with other Inmates 7
Total, 2	Total, 11

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 185 235

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
ar. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

OPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 9th day of May 185

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Devereux, Esq. J.P. and Matthew Tracy Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians, Captain William A. Synnott J.P. Colonel William Tottenham J.P. John Nash J.P. Frederick Solly Flood J.P. John Cosgrave, Nicholas Furlong, James Barry, William Cosgrave, Robert Clifford, Patrick Rooke, Michael Murphy, Patrick Furlong, William Davis, James Stone, James Whitty, Walter Furlong, Thomas Stone, Patrick Cushe, Patrick Layne, Matthew Power, Stephen Murphy.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4661 to No. 4660, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 10 to No. 11, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he has complied with the Orders given by the Board on the 2nd Instant

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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, ... £ 47 - 6 - 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 505 - 1 - 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 883 - 9 - 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,... Folio in leger 10 Folio in leger 128	Wexford, - -	40	-	-	828	17	8¾
	TOTAL, -	40	-	-	828	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,..... Folio in Leger 10 Folio in Leger 131	Ardcavan - -	3	2	6	112	6	10
Folio in Leger 10 Folio in Leger 133	Ardcolm, - - -	1	18	6	66	6	1
Folio in Leger 10 Folio in Leger. 135	Artramont, - -	"	18	6	4	2	4
Folio in Leger 10 Folio in Leger 137	Kilpatrick, - -	1	6	6	2	15	9
	TOTAL, -	46	-	-	28	5	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Aughwilliam, - -	"	"	"	"	9	1¾
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -	"	"	"	9	19	0½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	"	"	"	"	8	2¾
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -	"	"	"	1	7	3½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	2	15	6
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	"	"	"	"	7	7½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	"	"	11	11
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	"	"	"	4	3	2½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	"	"	"	1	5	"
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	14	8	3½
JAMES REA,..... Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -	"	"	"	1	9	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -	"	"	"	1	3	9¼
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -	"	"	"	"	4	5¾
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -	"	"	"	1	7	11
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -	"	"	"	"	13	2½
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -	"	"	"	6	5	5
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -	"	"	"	"	10	2½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	11	4	6¾
THOMAS SHARPE... Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - - -	"	"	"	"	16	
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -	"	"	"	"	12	"
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan, -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -	"	"	"	"	5	7
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -	"	"	"			
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Bannow, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	9¼
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Duncormack, - -	"	"	"	"	"	8¾
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Harristown, - -	"	"	"	"	"	8½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	"	3	4
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	"	"	8¾
TOTAL.....		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	168	[illegible]

RATE RETURN.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the War rant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8¾	1738	"	"	988	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	491	2	2	28	12	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE, ...	do	1,053	19	6½	939	11	3	114	8	3½
JAMES REA, ...	do	982	12	4½	873	10	10	109	1	6½
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2¾	771	3	6	1	16	8¾
	TOTAL.....	6,055	4	5	5034	7	4	1020	9	8

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 75 s. 4 d. 1¾

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	75	4	1¾
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	70	3	11
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	2	1¼
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	2	11¾
	"	3	6¾

Mis in Leger 48
Folio in Leger 54
Mis in Leger 58
Folio in Leger 54

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:—

6	Bags of Flour	4	lbs	Candles	
3	Sacks Wholemeal	"	lbs	Mould Candles	
2014	lbs Meat	4	Cwt	Soap	
"	Ton Oatmeal	4	lbs	Soda	
"	Ton Indian Meal	8	lbs	Starch	
270	Gallons Buttermilk	14	lbs	Malt	
440	Gallons New Milk	7	lb	Hops	
2	Cwt Salt				
18	lbs Tea				
80	lbs Sugar				
2	lbs Lump Sugar				
7	lb Pepper				
1	lb Ginger				
1	Cwt Rice				
"	Quarts Whiskey				
1	Doz Wine				
"	Doz of Large Porter				
"	Doz Small Porter				
50	Tons Coal				

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

1	Bags of	Flour
50	lbs	Meat
"	Cwts	Oatmeal
"	Cwt	Salt
28	Gallons	New Milk
3	lbs	Tea
16	lbs	Sugar
"	Cwt	Rice
"	Doz	Wine
"	Quarts	Whiskey
"	lb	Pepper
1	Tons	Coal
6	lbs	Candles
1	Cwt	Soap
"	lbs	Starch

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	"	18	3
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
Total	"	18	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
No. II.	Wm Harding	15 3			No. IV.				
No. III.	Jas Furlong	3 0			No. V.				
					No. VI.				
Cr. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

Burial

1. ~~Clothing~~ Account.

	£	s.	d.
F. Phelan Coffins	3	14	1
Cullen & O'Toole Shroud & Calico	2	1	8

Debit Burial a/c and Credit Treasurer with the above sums

Folio in Ledger 103
Folio in Ledger 10

Clothing a/c

B. H. Fortune Milling Frieze	1	11	6
T. Pendergast Making & Shoe Nails	5	5	7

Folio in Ledger 62
Folio in Ledger 10

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

2. Establishment Account.

M. Johnson Rent Lands 1st May 1857	29	8	0
E. Kavanagh Starch for Hospital	"	2	11
T. Pendergast Grocries	3	2	1

Folio in Ledger 74
Folio in Ledger 10

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
B. H. Fortune Oatmeal	35	"	"
E. Kavanagh Groceries	46	2	2
P. Lawrence Flour &c	13	7	1
W. Cleary New Milk	2	9	4
E. Kavanagh do.	10	11	9
E. Gaffney Buttermilk	3	11	10
T. Pendergast Bakers Wages	"	15	"

Folio in Ledger 48
Folio in Ledger 10

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

Emigration

4. ~~Out Door Relief Invoice~~ Account.

W. Cannick Clothes for D. Brien	3	"	"

Folio in Ledger 122
Folio in Ledger 10

Debit Emigration a/c and Credit Treasurer with the above

Wm. Maddin Out Door Relief a/c

W. Maddin & T. Pendergast Grocries	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Folio in Ledger 91
Folio in Ledger 10

Credit Treasurer and Debit ~~Out Door Relief Invoice~~ Account with the several sums as above.

Wm. Maddin

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

No Report from the Visiting Committee this Week

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

The Masters Estimate of requirements for the ensuing week has examined and orders were duly made for the several articles specified viz:- by Sheets 2½ lb Cabbage Seed, 1½ Gallon Stockholm Tar.. 14 lb White Lead, 1 Gallon Boiled Oil, 2 Quarts Turpentine, 1 lb Brown Number, 3 lb Green Paint. 2 Scissors, sharpened. 1 Large Coffin. Roll of Leather, 4 lb Spunkle. 2 Doz Iron Keys, 4 Gallons Coal Tar 1 Cocks for Infants School Yard.

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

No 11088/57 dated 5th May 1857 consenting to a sum not exceeding the sum of £28 being applied out of the Rate to defray the Examination Expenses to Dublin of Matthew and Patrick Murphy, Catherine Beirne, and Josephine Tierney, chargeable to the Electoral Division of Harperstown, Mullglass and Moseforth respectively.

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 10981/57 dated 1st May 1857 requesting to be furnished with the required particulars respecting the Rate made and new Rate agreed upon with the Union, &c

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No 12981/57 dated 4th May 1857 stating that they have given instructions to forward the Returning Officer of the Union 50 Copies of the Notice Form of Election, to be posted on the 11th Instant,

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No 12380/57 dated 5th May 1857 forwarding a printed Form in which the particulars required in regard to the proposed amipation of Denis Breen should be stated &c

No 12380/57 dated 8th May 1857 requesting the Guardians will be good enough to make the necessary order for the execution of the repairs on the boundary wall of the Workhouse grounds,

Ordered that the Master Cary be requested before the Board on this day week an estimate of the Cost of making the repairs required on the wall referred to, and that the necessary directions for their execution be given to him on that day.

No 12380/57 dated 8th May 1857 recommending the Board to fix the Amount of Out door relief that Margaret Bolger is to receive until she shall be in a fit state to be removed to the Workhouse,

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that the Amount of Out door Relief which it was found necessary to afford to Margaret Bolger, who died a few days after the Board directed Out Door Relief to be given her was 13/-,

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A letter dated 2nd May 1857 from Messrs Maurice Cross and James Kelly Secretaries to the Commissioners of National Education stating that they were directed to inform the Guardians of this Union that at the examination held

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	26
Ditto, disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	14

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	
Ditto, ditto, 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	2
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	5

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

held by the Head and District Inspectors in the month of February last. Anne Harper teacher in the Workhouse has found most deficient in a knowledge of even the most ordinary subjects of instruction and unfit to be placed in even the lower Division of third Class.

Ordered that the Poor Law Commissioners be informed that the Guardians when appointing Miss Harper, Schoolmistress of the Workhouse, were quite aware that she was not a trained teacher but that she was quite capable of imparting to the Children committed to her care the necessary amount of literary instruction - and that she possessed all the other qualities which are so essential in a teacher of a Workhouse School; and that the Guardians also know that since she got charge of the Principal School, the Children have considerably improved in literature - order - discipline, and cleanliness.

Letter dated 5th May 1857 from Rev Thomas Gumley stating that the Committee of the Catholic Institution for the Deaf & Dumb, Dublin have agreed to admit Frances Nolan deaf Mute Child belonging to this Union into the Institution on Monday next, provided the Medical Attendant shall state she is a fit subject for the Institution.

Ordered

~~Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the~~ ~~day of~~ ~~18~~

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~~Clerk of the Union.~~

Ordered that the Master is hereby directed to have the Child in readiness to leave here for Dublin on Saturday week in care of the Assistant Matron of the Workhouse. And that the Clerk write to Rev M Gumley & inform him that the Child will be before the Committee on Monday the 18th Instant.

Letter dated 3rd May 1857 from Mr John Hutton Emigration Agent stating that he put all the Emigrants sent from this Union on Board the "Ocean Bride" on the 2nd Instant. had them her thes and served out with Provisions, Beds and Bedding; and that the Government Officer inspected them and changed all & adults that attained the age of 12 years.

Moved by James R Crowe Esq J.P. and seconded by Mr William Davis & passed;

That the Proposal of Mr Thomas Prendergast to give the sum of Two Pounds Ten Shillings for the use of the Beds at the Fever Hospital till the 1st day of May next, is accepted.

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Ordered that Miss Carroll Infant Schoolmistress is permitted to absent herself from the House during to-morrow.

Mr. Nicol (pursuant to Notice given by him on the 2nd Instant) having brought under the consideration of the Board the Chargeability of Catherine Ryan and her Infant James Ryan, and different opinions having been expressed in reference to the Law of Chargeability, it was

Ordered that the Circumstances of the Case be laid before the Commissioners with the view of obtaining their opinion as to the proper Chargeability of those paupers.

Catherine Ryan and Child James Ryan appeared before the Guardians on 25th Ultimo for admission into this Workhouse. Catherine Ryan stated that her husband had refused to maintain herself and Child, that she believed he was then working in Ballykuskan in the Electoral Division of Rosslare but that she was not certain as she had not seen him for a fortnight before that day (25th Ultimo).

The Guardians admitted Catherine Ryan and Child into the Workhouse, and charged them according to the residence of Catherine Ryan's husband — and not according to her own residence and the Guardians desire to be informed whether in so doing they acted properly.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 9th day of May 1857,—*continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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—

2 Quire of Note paper. 2 Quires ruled Cap paper, 1 Package Official envelopes - 1 Box steel pens & 1 Jar Ink

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On Application of the Bridgetown Dispensary Committee the following were ordered to be supplied 38 Medical Relief Ticket Check Books Forms 1 & 2, and 50 Notices Form 1 for posting through District

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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.)

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *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-years ended _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *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 Committees; namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ (*state subject*)

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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 Commissioners No 11445 dated 1st May 1857 stating that they have directed to be transmitted to the respective Board of Guardians the accompanying Copies of their fifth Annual Report in pursuance of the Provisions of the Medical Charities Act. One Copy of which should be kept by the Clerk with the other Books and Records of the Union in his charge.

No 9773/57 dated 2nd May 1857 requesting the Clerk to forward his return of Dispensary Committees for the several Dispensary Districts in the Union in the form prescribed by the Dispensary Regulations,

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No 12455/57 dated 7th May 1857 requesting an explanation as to the cause of the vacancy in each of the Committees of the Bannow and Taghmon and Gorey Dispensary Districts,

Resolved that the Commissioners be informed that the death of Mr John Dowling caused a vacancy in each of the Dispensary Committees referred to in the preceding letter,

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Extract from Minutes of Proceedings of the Committee of Management of Wexford Dispensary District at a Meeting held on ~~Friday~~ Monday 8th May 1857.

Resolved that pursuant to ~~the letter~~ from the Poor Law Commissioners No 11502/57 dated

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dated 2nd May 1857 requesting this Committee to proceed to the Election of an Apothecary for this District without further delay in accordance with Articles 18 & 19 of the Dispensary Regulations, Wherefore Resolved that Notice be given in the Wexford papers and the Dublin general advertiser that we will proceed to such election on Friday the 22nd Instant at the hour of 12 o'Clock noon for the salary named or to be named by the Board of Guardians. Candidates are requested to attend with Testimonials on that day.

Resolved by Board of Guardians on the Motion of John Walsh Esqr J.P. Seconded by James R Crane Esqr J.P.

That the Clerk write to the Hon. Sec. of the Committee of Management of Wexford District Dispensary to inform him that the salary fixed by the Guardians on the 30th day of January last for the Office of Apothecary to the said District was £30 per annum,

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Copy of Resolution passed by Committee of Management of Bannow Dispensary District at a Meeting held on Thursday 7th May 1857

Resolved that the Board of Guardians of Wexford Union be requested to provide a

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a covered Spring Car for conveying patients to the Workhouse Hospital for the use of the District,

Ordered that it is the desire of this Board of Guardians to comply with the request contained in the foregoing Resolution and we hereby direct the Clerk to advertise in the local newspapers for Tenders from competent persons to supply for the use of the Bannow Dispensary District a covered Carriage on Springs, same as that used in conveying patients from this Workhouse to the Fever Hospital and that Tenders will be considered at the 23rd Instant,

Resolved that Mr. Andrew Devereux of Danescastle be appointed a Member of the Bannow Dispensary Committee to fill up the vacancy created by the death of Mr. John Morlin, and that the vacancy in the Tagheen & Glynn Dispensary Committee be filled up on this day week.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 16th May 1857

George Le Hunte. Chairman.

James M. Tuary

James M. Tuary

Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,....£105,464 15s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of May 1857

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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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,	500	546										
Permanent Buildings,	200	"										
Additional Workhouse,	"	"										
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	23										
Fever Sheds,	40	"										
TOTAL,	1120	569										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			41	160	59	62	63	52	6	20	38	569
Admitted during the week.			14	8	"	"	5	4	"	"	4	35
TOTAL			55	168	59	62	68	56	6	20	42	604
Discharged during the week,			5	12	1	2	2	"	"	1	2	25
Died, - - - -			2	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	3
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	12	1	3	2	"	"	1	2	28
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			48	156	58	59	66	56	6	19	40	576

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS.
Work-House Hospital. 11	In separate Wards. 7		
In Fever Hospital. 2	In Wards with other Inmates. 4		
Total. 13	Total. 11		

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 185 6..... 731

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 9th day of May authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Br. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 16th day of May 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, George Le Hunte Esqr. J.P. V.L.

Other Guardians: Captain William A. Armstrong J.P. Thomas King J.P. Theobald Flood J.P. Geo. Pounden, John Crich, Robert Cliffe, Patrick Lacy, Michael Kehoe, Patrick Roche, Philip Ryan, Patrick Whitty, and James M. Tuary.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4662 to No. 4701, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 10 to No. 11, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had complied with the orders given by the Board on the 9th Inst.

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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, ... £ 40 - 0 - 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 301 - 8 - 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 622 - 1 - 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,... Folio in leger 10 Folio in leger 128	Wexford, - -	40	=	=	888	17	8¾
	TOTAL, -	40	=	=	888	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcavan - -	"	"	"	12	16	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -	"	"	"	6	6	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Artramont, - -	"	"	"	4	7	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -	"	"	"	4	15	2
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	28	5	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Anghwilliam, - -	"	"	"	"	9	1½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -	"	"	"	2	12	0¾
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	"	"	"	"	8	2¾
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -	"	"	"	1	7	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	2	15	6
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	"	"	"	"	17	7½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	"	"	11	11
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	"	"	"	4	3	1½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	"	"	"	1	5	=
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	14	8	3½
JAMES REA ,..... Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -	"	"	"	1	2	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -	"	"	"	1	3	9½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - - -	"	"	"	"	4	5¾
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	"	"	"	"	"	-
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -	"	"	"	1	7	11
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -	"	"	"	"	9	1½
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -	"	"	"	4	9	5
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -	"	"	"	"	"	-
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -	"	"	"	"	7	0½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	9	2	6½
THOMAS SHARPE... Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -	"	"	"	"	4	6
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -	"	"	"	"	2	"
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan, -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -	"	"	"	"	5	4
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -	"	"	"	"	9	4½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Bannow, - - -	"	"	"	"	8	8½
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Duncormack, - -	"	"	"	"	"	0½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Harristown, - -	"	"	"	"	3	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	0½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	"	16	8½
	TOTAL.....	[illegible]	=	=	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

RATE RETURN.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8¾	1838	"	"	888	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	491	9	2	28	5	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE	do	1,053	19	6½	1039	11	3	14	8	3½
JAMES REA, ...	do	982	12	4½	973	10	10	9	1	6½
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2¾	771	3	6	-	16	8¾
TOTAL.....		6,055	4	5	5513	14	9	941	9	8

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ - - - *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 £ 54 s. 16 d. 8¾

	£	s.	d.
Folio in Leger 48 — *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	54	16	8¾
Folio in Leger 54 — *The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was*	63	12	10½
Folio in Leger 58 — *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	63	12	10½
Folio in Leger 54 — *And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was* ...	"	2	1
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	3	0
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	3	5¾

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:—

5 Bags of	Flour	" lbs	Candles
2 Sacks	Wholemeal	" lbs	Mould Candles
220 lbs	Meat	" Cwt	Soap
" Ton	Oatmeal	" lbs	Soda
" Ton	Indian Meal	" lbs	Starch
250 Gallons	Buttermilk	" lbs	Malt
418 Gallons	New Milk	" lb	Hops
2 Cwt	Salt		
20 lbs	Tea		
80 lbs	Sugar		
2 lbs	Lump Sugar		
" lb	Pepper		
" lb	Ginger		
" Cwt	Rice		
8 Quarts	Whiskey		
" Doz	Wine		
" Doz of	Large Porter		
" Doz	Small Porter		
" Tons	Coal		

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

1 Bags of	Flour	
40 lbs	Meat	
" Cwts	Oatmeal	
" Cwt	Salt	
24 Gallons	New Milk	
3 lbs	Tea	
12 lbs	Sugar	
" Cwt	Rice	
" Doz	Wine	
" Quarts	Whiskey	
" lb	Pepper	
" Tons	Coal	
" lbs	Candles	
" Cwt	Soap	
" lbs	Starch	
1 lb	Arrow Root,	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 9th day of May whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	"	5	3
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
Total	"	5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	[illegible]	2-3			Bt. forwd.				
No. II.	[illegible]	3-0			No. IV.				
No. III.	[illegible]				No. V.				
Car. forwd					No. VI.				
					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast Shirting	..	10	10

Folio in Ledger 62
Folio in Ledger 10

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

2. Establishment Account.

T. Prendergast Sundries	3	3	2

Folio in Ledger 74
Folio in Ledger 10

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast Baker Bills		15	=

Folio in Ledger 48
Folio in Ledger 10

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

4. Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.

Rev. T. Trimlett 5 Yrs Boarding-house bill of T. Rowlin. Rev. Catholic Institution for Deaf & Dumb Dublin	6	=	=

This in Ledger
Folio in Ledger

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

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

The Queries were all answered favorably except No. to which the following answer was returned, No. 1 Yes. There is some smell about the entrance hall to which the Master should give his attention, No. 6. Had not time to examine Schools. There are drying lines required in the Bath-room Yard - the Yard itself might be kept more tidily. The Infants School requires coloring - there is a want generally of smartness about this school - the Maps are torn and greasy - the Childrens shoes untidy to be - The old Pump-room has been used as a wash house for the Women - We recommend that Flags instead of Pavement be placed under the Troughs - and a Flag placed over the Well. It would be very desirable if there were Conveniences placed for the Infirm Women and shut out by a Curtain in one or more of their rooms - Their absence of these leads to the Committal of Nuisances in the daytime. The Committee have recommended in consequence that the Washing-room be only open for a limited time every morning. Some of the Old Women beds are very narrow, We would suggest that the Master lay an estimate before the Board of the expense of altering them to Beds - There appeared in inquiry to be 3 Children of the name of Learn in the House whose mother is living in Waterford - The Assist. Matron recommended that the Inmates of the Dissolute Ward should be allowed into the body of the House, and to their continued good Conduct, Bridget Learn and Margaret Potts - There ought to be a Screen for the Infirmary to be used round the beds of the dying.

~~The reports of the Visit Committee for the year ending 31st March 1857 signed Jas. Hewitt,~~

Ordered that the Master take measures to remove the Smell at present in the entrance hall - that he procure drying lines for the bath room Yard, and see that that Yard is kept in a Cleanly state in future - that he direct the attention of the Infant School mistress to the state of her School, and require her to keep the Shoes of the Children properly fastened, and in good repair. that he have Flags put under the Troughs in the wash room and a Flag properly secured placed over the Well. that he direct three Close stools to be kept at the back of the stairs in Infirm Ward for the Convenience of Infirm Women. and a Screen made for the purpose stated in foregoing Report.

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

that the Washing room be locked every morning by the Master at 9 O'Clock - that he lay an Estimate of the Cost of making the alterations in the beds suggested by the Committee - on Saturday next. that Relieving Officer Corish is directed to make inquiry as to the locus in quo of the Mother of the children referred to by Committee - & to report the result of his inquiry to the Board at their next Meeting - that Bridget Leary and Margaret Potts be permitted to mix with the female Inmates of the House - that a screen be provided for the Infirmary for the purpose specified - and that the Walls of the Dirt yards be raised three feet,

Medical Officers Report read &c

An Epileptic Imbecile named Stamp climbed the Wall of the Lunatic Yard, and escaped on Monday last. With a view of preventing a similar occurrence he begs to suggest the propriety of raising the wall a few feet,

(Signed) Robert. J. Ryan

Ordered that the Master has stated that the Boy Stamp returned to this House the day following that on which he escaped - And that the Clerk inform the Medical Officer that the Board on this day directed the Wall referred to in his Report to be raised three feet,

Master's Report read &c

That the probable Cost of repairing the boundary Wall of the Workhouse grounds - without Materials,

Ordered that the Master get the Boundary Wall of the Workhouse grounds repaired without delay

The following Orders from Cam read &c

~~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.

No 12641/57 dated 12th May 1857 consenting to a sum of £3 being applied out of the Rates for the purpose of assisting to defray the expenses of the Emigration to Saint Johns New Brunswick of Denis Brien chargeable to Union at Large.

No 12380/57 dated 14th May 1857 consenting to a sum not of £8 being applied out of the Rates to defray the expenses of the Emigration to Quebec of Anne Eliza Mahony - chargeable to the Division of Tagheen,

The following Letters read &c

No 12553/57 dated 12th May 1857 requesting to be furnished with a Copy of the Rating of every Tenement included in the Rate Books of the last Rate made in this Union,

No 12387/57 dated 12th May 1857 stating that they have given instructions for the preparation and issue of the necessary Consent to the sum of £8 being applied out of the Rates to defray the Expenses of the Emigration to Quebec of Annaliza Mahony,

No 13015/57 dated 15th May 1857 stating that Margaret Ryan and Child must be charged according to the residence of Margaret Ryan during the three years next preceding her application for Relief - and not according to that of her husband,

Ordered

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

	Ordered
The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	19
Ditto, disallowed	16
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	4
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	4
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	4

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

Proved that the Commissioners be informed that the Guardians were about to take the necessary legal measures for the apprehension of Margaret Kearns husband - when they learned that he had left the Country.

Letter from Henry Westenra Smith Esq. dated 10th May 1857 transmitting a Petition to Parliament according to Resolution passed by the Meeting of Poor Law Guardians held in Dublin on the 23rd Ultimo, &c.

No order made thereon by this Board.

Ordered that the Clerk apply to Messrs Boileau & Nelson Druggists for the amount due by them to this Board for equipping Medicine Vessels returned from the Union.

Ordered that the Clerk procure a Copy of Thom's Almanac and Official Directory for the present Year. for the use of the Guardians.

Ordered that the Master lay before the Board at Next Meeting an estimate of the Cost of making such alterations in the Porter House of the Workhouse Premises as would make it a suitable dwelling for the Agriculturist of the Workhouse,

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the

day of 18

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Resolved that a sum of £6 be allowed out of the Rates to John Cogley aged 12 Years Chargeable to the Electoral Division of Ballywilliam to defray his Emigration Expenses to Boston N. America, in which place his father is residing and that the Commissioners be requested to issue the requisite Consent to the proposed Expenditure. and informed that the Boy will be accompanied by his Sister who has been at service in this Union and who has received during this week from the father a sufficient sum of Money to enable her to Emigrate to him.

The Master's Estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several Articles specified Viz. 14 lb White Lead. 4 lb Green Paint. 1 Gallon Boiled Oil. 3 lb Whiting. 2 lb Marline - 8 lb Manfold Seed - 6 lb Turnip Seed. and 3 Large Offins.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 16th day of May 1857,—*continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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 Rosbrien *Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of* 2nd Instant *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.)

Bragnash *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. J. Roche *for* Fuel Cart : *Amount £* 9=10=0

Folio in Ledger 111
Folio in Ledger 10

Taghmon & Ballyhuron Dispensary District

Mr J. Cheadanfort Ass fac. Postage 0=5=0

Folio in Ledger 114
Folio in Ledger 10

(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 years ended _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *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 Committees; namely:—*

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

Moved by Mr Philip Ryan and Seconded by Mr John Carish and passed; That Mr James Carish of Haverfoxtown be appointed a Member of the Committee of Management of Taghmon and Ballyhuron Dispensary District to fill up the Vacancy created on that Committee by the death of Mr John Shortin,

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 Commissioners 15th May 1857 dated 15th May 1857 stating that the proposed Salary of Thirty Pounds per Annum for the Office of Apothecary for Wexford Dispensary District is much below the average. but that they think that £40 per Annum would be a fair remuneration for the services of an Apothecary and they are prepared to sanction that Amount.

Notice of Motion

I will on this day fortnight move that the Salary of the Apothecary to the Wexford Dispensary District shall in future be £30 per Annum.

Board-room Workhouse 16th May 1857

(Signed) James M. Vicary

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 23rd day of May 1857.

James M. Vicary Jud Chr

(Signed,) James Whitty

James Kehoe

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,....£105,464 15s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of May

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,	800	550
Permanent Buildings,	180	4
Additional Workhouse,	"	
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	19
Fever Sheds,	40	
TOTAL,	1120	569

	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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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.
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	48	156	58	59	66	56	67	19	40	569
Admitted during the week.	11	5	1	1	"	"	3	2	1	24
TOTAL.	59	161	59	60	66	56	70	21	41	593
Discharged during the week,	6	10	1	2	3	"	1	"	1	24
Died, - - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total Discharged and Dead,	6	10	1	2	3	"	1	"	1	24
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	53	151	58	58	63	56	69	21	40	569

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
In Workhouse Hospital.	111	In separate Wards.	7
In Fever Hospital.	19	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total,	130	Total,	11

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 185 135

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 16th day of May authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Car. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 23rd day of May 185

PRESENT: In the Chair, James N. Tucanbor T. H. Kinge Lo. Wallace-Dunlop M.P.

Other Guardians: Captain William A. Armstrong P. Stephens B. Stafford James Barry Robert Cliffe Capt. Lacy Michael Lehoe Patrick Roche Philip Byrne Michael Murphy James Whitty James Lehoe Thomas Rose James A. Cobie James Murphy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4,702 to No. 4,736 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 10 to No. 11, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had complied with the Orders given him by the Board on the 16th Inst.

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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, ... £ 31- 3- 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 57- 1- 8

And that the Balance on the Account [signature] *the Guardians was* £ 516- 2- 9

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.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,... Folio in leger 10 Folio in leger 128	Wexford, - -	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	861	17	8½
	TOTAL, -	[illegible]	=	=	861	17	8½
MARTIN KEHOE,..... Folio in Leger 10 Folio in Leger 131	Ardcavan - -	12	4	[illegible]	10	12	10
Folio in Leger 10 Folio in Leger 133	Ardcolm, - - -	1	10	[illegible]	4	2	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Artramont, - -	"	"	"	4	2	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -	"	"	"	4	3	9
	TOTAL, -	4	3	=	24	2	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Aughwilliam, - -	"	"	"	"	9	1¾
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -	"	"	"	"	"	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -	"	"	"	2	19	0
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	"	"	"	"	8	2¾
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -	"	"	"	1	2	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	2	15	6
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	"	"	"	"	17	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	"	"	17	2
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	"	"	"	4	3	2
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	"	"	"	1	5	"
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	14	8	5½
JAMES REA ,..... Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -	"	"	"	1	2	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -	"	"	"	1	3	9½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - - -	"	"	"	"	4	5½
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - - -	"	"	"	1	2	11
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -	"	"	"	"	9	1½
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -	"	"	"	4	9	5
Folio in leger Folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -	"	"	"	"	7	10½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	9	16	6½
THOMAS SHARPE... Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -	"	"	"	"	4	6
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -	"	"	"	"	2	"
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Kilcowan, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -	"	"	"	"	5	4
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -	"	"	"	"	"	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Bannow, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	8½
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Duncormack, - -	"	"	"	"	"	8½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harristown, - -	"	"	"	"	"	2½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	"	3	4½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	"	1	0½
	TOTAL.....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	168	[illegible]	[illegible]

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the War rant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8¾	1865	"	"	861	17	8½
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	495	19	9	24	2	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE.	do	1,053	19	6¾	1039	11	3	14	7	3
JAMES REA, ...	do	982	12	4½	973	10	10	9	1	6½
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2½	771	3	6	168	16	8½
	TOTAL.....	6,055	4	5	5544	17	9	510	6	8

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ " " " *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 £ 100 s. 5 d. 8

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	100	5	8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	64	16	7½
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	64	16	7½
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	"	2	1¼
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	2	11¼
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	3	0

Fever in Hospital 48
Fever in Hospital 54
Fever in Hospital 58
Fever in Hospital 54

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:—

5	Bags of	Flour	8 lbs	Candles	
2	Sacks	Wholemeal	" lbs	Mould Candles	
220	lbs	Meat	" Cwt	Soap	
1	Ton	Oatmeal	" lbs	Soda	
1	Ton	Indian Meal	" lbs	Starch	
250	Gallons	Buttermilk	" lbs	Malt	
448	Gallons	New Milk	" lb	Hops	
2	Cwt	Salt			
28	lbs	Tea			
56	lbs	Sugar			
2	lbs	Lump Sugar			
"	lb	Pepper			
"	lb	Ginger			
"	Cwt	Rice			
"	Quarts	Whiskey			
"	Doz	Wine			
"	Doz of	Large Porter			
"	Doz	Small Porter			
"	Tons	Coal			

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

1	Bagg of	Flour
60	lbs	Meat
"	Cwts	Oatmeal
"	Cwt	Salt
30	Gallons	New Milk
3	lbs	Tea
10	lbs	Sugar
"	Cwt	Rice
1	Doz	Wine
"	Quarts	Whiskey
"	lb	Pepper
"	Tons	Coal
"	lbs	Candles
"	Cwt	Soap
"	lbs	Starch
3	lbs	Arrow Root

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 16 day of May *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	"	5	3
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
Total	"	5	3

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
No. II.	Out Indoor	2-3			No. IV.				
No. III.	Out Fever	3-0			No. V.				
Car. forwd					No. VI.				
					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.
T. Pendergast Sundries	3	3	4
H. Heinrich Schoolmaster	2	10	=
T. Martin Salary			
Folio in Ledger 14			
Folio in Ledger 11			

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.
T. Pendergast Bakers Bills	2	15	=
Folio in Ledger 48			
Folio in Ledger 11			

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

Election Exp. ~~Out-Door Relief Invoice~~ *Account.*

	£	s.	d.
T. Pendergast for paying travelling expenses of F. Hawkins & Mute	1	1	3
W. Dublin & assistants for said Child			
Folio in Ledger 47			
Folio in Ledger 11			

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

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

No Report from Visiting Committee this week.

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

The Masters Estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified Viz:- 3 lb Green Paint, 1 lb Patent Drier, 2 Paint Brushes, 12 Doz Cutlery Grip, 6 lb Butt Leather, 2000 Shoe nails - 2 Shoemakers Knives, 300 Yards Blue Calico, @ 3 per Yard, and 8 lb Lump Sugar.

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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. 13534/57 dated 21st May 1857 requesting that the Guardians will require Mr Rossiter to exert himself and to close his Collection without any further delay, Ordered that the Clerk transmit to Mr Rossiter a copy of the preceding letter, with a request that he will complete the collection of the Rate outstanding at the Electoral Division of Wexford as early as possible.

No. 23723/57 dated 22nd May 1857 forwarding a printed Form in which the particulars required in regard to the proposed emigration of John Cogley should be stated &c &c

A letter dated this day from Doctor Robert J. Owen Medical Officer of Workhouse stating that in the Report of the Proceedings of the Board of Guardians is a [illegible] Independent

Independent Newspaper of Wednesday last he was surprised to see it stated that the Clerk called the Guardians attention to a boy named Michael Casserly – that he begged to state that Casserly is the son of a blind woman at present in the House, is an exceedingly scrofulous boy – that 14 years ago he was admitted into the Workhouse Infirmary with Ophthalmia – that he was frequently in Hospital or affected – that he left the House, placed himself under the Care of an Eye Doctor in the Town of Wexford some years ago, and that he returned blind – and that Medical Treatment being only, as he has not since been confined in an Hospital. Resolved that the Clerk inform the Medical Officer that the Newspaper Report to which he has referred is incorrect – that the boy Casserly appeared before the Guardians on Saturday last, and requested that they would send him to an Asylum, and that they not knowing that he was blind suggested to the Clerk to write to Doctor Wilde to request that he would state whether the boy would be admitted into the Ophthalmic Institution of which he has charge and if so upon what Conditions, and that as soon as the Clerk shall lay before the Guardians the information obtained from Doctor Wilde they would make a definite order respecting the boy.

A letter dated 28th May 1857 from Rev Thomas Quinlan stating that Frances Smith was subjected to the Medical Officer of the Institution and that he recommended the Mother to be taken back as she is an unhealthy Child &c &c

Ordered that the Cheque drawn in favor of Rev Thomas Quinlan on Saturday last for £5 for Maintenance &c in the Catholic Institution for the Deaf & Dumb Dublin for the deaf mute Frances Smith be cancelled by the Chairman on this day.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	10
Ditto, disallowed	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	14

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	
Ditto, ditto, 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	4
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	4

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

A letter dated 21st May 1857 from Messrs Boileau & Wilson stating that they will take the Clerk's word for the amount of Cash paid for Medicines forwarded to them to this Union, but that they cannot sanction any other deduction, was read.

Ordered that the Clerk apply to Messrs Boileau & Wilson for the amount due to them to this Board for Cash paid on Medicines forwarded to them to the Workhouse, and the several Dispensaries of the Union.

The following letter was read for the Board,

I Thomas Redmond do my own actual observation and information lay the following Charge against Mr Patrick Redmond. Firstly. That he Mr Redmond on or about 19th December last gave six Stone of Parsnips to a man by name of Sharp, without receiving the Check for which he Mr Redmond received the same made from the said Sharp, and then he Mr Redmond went to town with said Sharp. Secondly That he Mr Redmond gave orders to a pauper man by name of Lindott to bring in or about the Stone of Parsnips, that he slightly tainted on the head to his room, and put them under his Coat the way they would not be seen with him going through the Lodge. Thirdly That he Mr Redmond gave liberty to the boys of the Mens Yard to quit the house on or about the 24th December to bring Tea & Sugar into the House. They left the House in or about the hour of 5 o'Clock P.M. and did not return till 11 o'Clock P.M. and they were intoxicated, the Master was not acquainted with this. Fourthly That he Mr Redmond was absent from his duty on

~~Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the~~

~~day of~~ ~~18~~

~~Clerk of the Union.~~

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on or about the 9th April when a man by name of Leacy came for two tons of Mangold, he Mr Redmond only seen 1 Cut of the first seven weighed so there was none given over weight to that load, but there was in or about 3 Cut Given over the weight to four of the remainder loads. he Mr Redmond was present at the last load which was 5 Cut weight, he Mr Redmond received one shilling from the man Leacy to divide with the boys because they gave him so much over his weight in the absence of Mr Redmond. Fifthly That he Mr Redmond has Given over altogether the weighing of the Vegetables to one of the boys of the Mens Yard, who can Give as much for 1/2 as would bring 1/2. he also can Give or take from the weight of any Vegetables he is weighing according as the person agrees with his disposal.

Moved by James B Forbes Esq. M.P. seconded by Robert Chiffey Esq. & passed;

That the Board considers the various Charges made by Thomas Redmond and having examined witnesses, decided that there appears nothing to be proved against the Character of the Agriculturist as an honest and Zealous Officer of the House. That it be recommended that a more accurate system in Getting Vegetables into the House be adopted. And that on one charge the Agriculturist receive the reprimand of the Chairman. It was charged against him that he allowed his men to leave the Premises on Christmas day without acquainting the Master. that they staged big hours and returned worse for Liquor. Fourthly that he allowed them to go out, that

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that they started 3 left for hour, and that they were not worse for seeing a their return. The Agriculturist was reprimanded before the Board and Cautioned by the Chairman,

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The Clerk laid before the Board a List of Qualified Candidates duly nominated for the Office of Guardian of the Poor for the electoral Divisions of Carrig and Kilpatrick for Year ending 25th March 1858, Also a Return of the Guardians duly elected for those Divisions for the Year ending 25th March next. Together with a sealed Parcel Containing papers relating to the Election,

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Ordered that John Mahony an able bodied Man who is Capable of earning a livelihood outside the House, but who states that he has six feet, and Cannot now work be admitted into this House, and kept till such time as the Medical Officer reports his fitness to leave here, at which time the Master is hereby directed to discharge him,

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Ordered that M Kearns is hereby permitted to absent himself from the House on Thursday next, and the Master directed to provide for the proper discharge of the Porters duties during M Kearns absence

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Ordered that the consideration of the Tenders received by the Board on this day is deferred to Saturday next.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS ~~of the~~ BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 23rd day of May 1857—*continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical ~~Charities Act~~, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 1849.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Wexford *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 that the Clerk send to Messrs D & J Leslie &c a List of the Medicines required for Wexford Dispensary District with a request that they will supply them at their earliest convenience,

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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.)

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *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-years ended _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *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 Committees; namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject)*

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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

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday the 30th day of May 1857

George de Hunt : Chairman
Walter Hanrahan
Matthew Treacy.

(*Signed,*)

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,....£105,464 15s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of May

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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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,	800	540										
Permanent Buildings,	180	"										
Additional Workhouse,	"	"										
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	20										
Fever Sheds,	40	"										
TOTAL,	1120	560										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			53	51	58	58	63	56	69	21	40	569
Admitted during the week.			6	3	"	"	"	1	"	"	1	11
TOTAL			59	54	58	58	63	57	69	21	41	580
Discharged during the week,			10	3	1	"	"	1	1	2	"	17
Died, - - - - -			1	"	"	"	2	"	"	"	1	3
Total Discharged and Dead,			11	3	1	"	2	"	1	2	1	20
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			48	51	57	58	62	57	68	19	40	560

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	119	In separate Wards.	7
In Fever Hospital.	20	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total,	139	Total,	11

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856 538

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Car. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 30th day of May (185)

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lenge Lt Hunt Esq. D.L. Chas. H. Walker Esq. J.P. Chairman
Other Guardians: Captain William A. Anstead J.P. John Walsh J.P. Francis Leech J.P. John Power, John Grogan, William Corish, Nicholas Slaughan, Robert Cliffe, Patrick Furlong, Pilmoor, Michael Kelly, Patrick Roche, James Wilson, Matthew Tracy, William Davis, James Doyle, Walter Furlong, James Doyle, M. Vicary, William Norris, James Whelan, Robert Stevens, Thomas Tracy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 473 to No. 476 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 10 to No. 11, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had complied with the Orders given him by the Board on 23rd Inst.

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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, ... £ 30 - - -

Paid during the week, ... £ 29 - 8 - 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 599 - 14 - 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,... Folio in leger 10 Folio in leger 128	Wexford, - -	33	-	-	828	17	8¾
	TOTAL, -	33	=	=	828	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcavan - -	"	"	"	10	12	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -	"	"	"	4	7	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Lege.	Artramont, - -	"	"	"	4	7	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -	"	"	"	4	15	2
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	24	2	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Anghwilliam, - -	"	"	"	"	9	1¾
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -	"	"	"	2	12	0½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	"	"	"	"	8	2¾
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -	"	"	"	1	7	3½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	2	15	6
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	"	"	"	"	17	7½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	"	"	11	11
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	"	"	"	4	3	1½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	"	"	"	1	5	-
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	14	8	3½
JAMES REA,.....							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -	"	"	"	1	2	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -	"	"	"	1	3	9½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -	"	"	"	"	4	5¾
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -	"	"	"	1	7	11
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -	"	"	"	"	9	1½
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -	"	"	"	4	9	5
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -	"	"	"	"	7	0½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	9	16	8
THOMAS SHARPE...							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -	"	"	"	"	4	6
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -	"	"	"	"	2	"
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan, -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -	"	"	"	"	5	7
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -	"	"	"	"	9	4
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Bannow, - - -	"	"	"	"	8	2
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Duncormack, - -	"	"	"	"	"	0½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Harristown, - -	"	"	"	"	3	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	9½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	"	16	8¾
	TOTAL.....	[illegible]			[illegible]		

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the War rant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8¾	[illegible]	"	"	828	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	495	12	2	24	2	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE, ...	do	1,053	19	6½	939	11	3	113	8	3½
JAMES REA, ...	do	982	12	4½	873	10	10½	109	1	6
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2¾	771	3	6	1	16	8¾
	TOTAL.....	6,055	4	5	[illegible]			[illegible]		

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 £ 62 s. 11 d. 11¾

Folio in Leger 48
Folio in Leger 54
Folio in Leger 58
Folio in Leger 54

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	62	11	11¾
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	65	10	5¾
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	9	1½
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	2	11½
		3	4

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:—

6	Bags of Flour	4 lbs	Candles		
3	Sacks Wholemeal	4 lbs	Mould Candles		
290	lbs Meat	1 Cwt	Soap		
"	Ton Oatmeal	7 lbs	Soda		
"	Ton Indian Meal	4 lbs	Starch		
250	Gallons Buttermilk	14 lbs	Malt		
400	Gallons New Milk	1 lb	Hops		
2	Cwt Salt				
18	lbs Tea				
176	lbs Sugar				
3	lbs Lump Sugar				
4	lb Pepper				
4	lb Ginger				
4	Cwt Rice				
8	Quarts Whiskey				
4	Doz Wine				
4	Doz of Large Porter				
4	Doz Small Porter				
4	Tons Coal				

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

1	Bag of	Flour
50	lbs	Meat
"	Cwts	Oatmeal
"	Cwt	Salt
40	Gallons	New Milk
2	lbs	Tea
2	lbs	Sugar
"	Cwt	Rice
4	Doz	Wine
4	Quarts	Whiskey
4	lb	Pepper
"	Tons	Coal
4	lbs	Candles
4	Cwt	Soap
"	lbs	Starch
1	lb	Ginger
3	lb	Arrow Root

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 23 day of Mar. *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	"	5	3
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
Total	"	5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	[illegible]				Bt. forwd.				
No. II.	[illegible]	9-3			No. IV.				
No. III.	[illegible]	3-0			No. V.				
					No. VI.				
Br. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast Weaving	"	8	4

Folio in Ledger 62
Folio in Ledger 11

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
M. Learis Annual suit of Clothes	5	"	"
T. Prendergast Postage	2	2	10
W. Fitzpatrick Masguerd	1	"	"
T. Prendergast Sundries	5	"	8

Folio in Ledger 74
Folio in Ledger 11

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast Baker's Wages	"	15	"

Folio in Ledger 48
Folio in Ledger 11

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

Collector's Poundage on ~~Out-Door Relief Invoice~~ Account.

	£	s.	d.
W. Smith Poundage	35	"	"

Folio in Ledger 99
Folio in Ledger 11

Collector's Poundage

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

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

No Report from the Visiting Committee this Week.

The Report of the Master ~~and other Officers~~ was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

Resd to suggest that the Children be stiffened of their Shoes and Stocking during this Season.

Ordered to Board of Guardians subject to the approval of the Medical Officer.

The Master's estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several Articles specified viz: 3 lbs Lard. 1 lb Black Pepper. 4 lbs Mustard. 7 lbs Starch. and 1 Screen for female side of Infirmary.

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

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

No. 8203/57 dated 29th May 1857 requesting to be informed whether the amount due the Guardians by the Sureties of Matthew Coffey late Poor Rate Collector has been paid.

Ordered that the Commrs be informed that £80 of the sum due has been paid to the Treasurer on this day. And that the Clerk has been directed to write to the Sureties to request that they will lodge the balance still due £21. 1. 1½ as early as possible.

No. 13925/57 dated 29th May 1857 requesting to be informed, the height the Lunatic Yard Wall is at present,

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that the North or back wall of the Yard is 12 feet high, the wall at the East side of the Yard is 7 feet high, and the wall at the West side of the Yard is 9½ feet in height.

No. 8205/57 dated 29th May 1857 stating that they have given directions for the preparation and issue of their sealed Consent to the sum of £10 being applied out of the Rates to defray the Expenses of the emigration to Boston of Thos Coffey.

No. 8015/57 dated 29th May 1857 stating that they have had before them the Resolution of the Guardians of 9th Instant in which the Commissioners attention is called to the Communication received by the Guardians from the Secretaries of the Board of National Education respecting Miss Harper Schoolmistress of the Workhouse.

A Notice dated 25th May 1857 from George Braddell Esq. D.P. stating that he will attend here on Thursday 3rd June next for the purpose of auditing the accounts of the Union for half year ended 25th March last &c &c.

No. 7677 dated 26th May 1857 from Doctor Wilde stating in reply to a communication addressed to him by the Clerk respecting an Inmate

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	8
Ditto, disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	3

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	"
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	"
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians	"
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	4

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~~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).~~

named Michael Casserly - that he will be happy to examine any Case sent to him by this Board of Guardians. but that in order to save trouble and expense he would direct their attention to the marked paragraph in the accompanying report, - that he will take the boy into Hospital for a day or two under a like circumstances, but that if longer residence is required the Guardians must pay for him. and that if the boy is sent to him, to be sure to forward his returning expenses.

Ordered that the Clerk write to the Medical Officer of the Workhouse to request that he will examine the eyes of Casserly and report to the Board of this day week whether his sight could be restored. and that should he consider after the examination that the boy's eyes are in a perfectly incurable state, that he will inform the Guardians whether the health of the boy is sufficiently strong to enable him if placed in a Blind Asylum to work at any of the Trades taught to the Blind in those Institutions.

Letter dated 29th May 1857 from Thomas Campbell Esq. M.P. stating in reply to the Clerk's Communication of the 27th Instant, that he will act as a Guardian of this Union.

~~Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the day of 18~~

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~~Clerk of the Union.~~

The Clerk reported that he had received from Thos. Boileau & Nilson Duffins the sum of £2 6s. 10 for Carriage paid by Board of Guardians on Medicines forwarded by that firm to this Union which sum he owned lodge to the Credit of the Union.

Ordered that the Clerk write for Mr. Hughes Sherlock Heurick such a Testimonial as he deserves and that he affix thereto the Seal of the Union - and that Mr. Heurick is hereby permitted to absent himself from the House from this evening till Monday morning next.

Ordered that a suit of Clothes be given to James Gaffney who has been cleared in this House - and who has now procured employment with Mr. Thomas Murphy of Rosbercon Cooper.

Ordered that the Master is hereby permitted to absent himself from this House from this evening till to-morrow night. and the Matron directed to take Charge during his absence.

Resolved that the Tender of Mr. Patrick Dempsey to make as many of

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of the beds in the Female Infirm Ward against be required for the sum of eight shillings each, and to make 4 Close Stools for Infirm Female Ward for 4/6 each - finding all Materials is accepted, 3

Resolved that the Tender of Mr Richard Pierse to convert the Workhouse on land adjoining Mr Pierse's house into a dwelling house for the Agriculturist for the sum of £25 15-0 finding all Materials is accepted. 3

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 30th day of May 185 7 — *continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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 Wexford Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 23rd Instant 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.)

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *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 _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *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 Committees; namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ (*state subject*)

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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 :—

~~Road Letter from~~ _____ dated _____

stating that

Resolved that the Tender of Mr. John Roche to supply a Carriage on Springs for the use of Bannow Dispensary District to convey the sick Poor from said District to the Workhouse Hospital, same as the one built by him for Broadway Dispensary District but to have a drivers seat. Wheels 4 inches higher and Canvass a roof for the sum of £10 Sterling is accepted.

Ordered that the Clerk write to the Committee of Management of Broadway Dispensary District to inform them that the Board of Guardians have directed the Car to be used in conveying the sick Poor from said District to the Union Hospital, to be kept at the residence of Relieving Officer Nash it being the most central (and convenient place for it, in the District

(Signed)

Moved (pursuant to Notice) by James W. Vicary Esq. J.P. (and seconded by James R. Corbie Esq. J.P.) Passed Unanimously

Clerk of the Union

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That as a perfectly competent, and duly qualified man has been found to discharge the duties of Apothecary for the Oldcastle Dispensary District for the sum of £30 per annum, and as he has expressed himself satisfied with that amount of salary, and as this Board consider it quite sufficient, they request that the Poor Law Commissioners will sanction this Resolution,

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 6th day of June 1857,

George de Hunt. Chairman.

James M. Keane

~~James Murphy~~

Thomas Redmond Clerk of Union

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,....£105,464 15s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of June 1857

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,	800	531
Permanent Buildings,	180	"
Additional Workhouse,	"	
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	26
Fever Sheds,	40	"
TOTAL,	1120	557

	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.
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	48	151	57	58	62	57	68	19	40	560
Admitted during the week.	12	7	1	"	2	1	"	"	"	23
TOTAL.	60	158	58	58	64	58	68	19	40	583
Discharged during the week,	10	7	"	1	2	1	2	"	"	23
Died, - - - - -	1	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3
Total Discharged and Dead,	11	9	"	1	2	1	2	"	"	26
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	49	149	58	57	62	57	66	19	40	557

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	11	In separate Wards.	7
In Fever Hospital.	26	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total	37	Total.	11

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1850..... 683

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. 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.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Br. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. 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 not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 6th day of June 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, George Le Hunte Esq. J.P. & Charles A Walker Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians: Captain William A. Armstrong J.P. James Barry Michael Kehoe Michael Murphy Matthew Treacy William Davis Walter Furlong James M. Vicary James R. Crosbie and James Murphy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4761 to No. 4771, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 10 to No. 11, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had complied with the Orders given him by the Board on the 30th Instant

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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, ... £ 68 = 5 = 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 49 = 6 = 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 118 = 12 = 9

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.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,...	Wexford, - -	30	"	"	798	17	8¾
	TOTAL, -	30	"	"	798	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,.....	Ardcavan - -	4	13	"	3	19	10
	Ardcolm, - - -	1	17	"	2	10	1
	Artramont, - -	1	"	"	3	7	4
	Kilpatrick, - -	"	15	"	4	"	9
	TOTAL, -	8	5	"	15	17	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE.....	Aughwilliam, - -	"	"	"	"	7	7½
	Ballymitty, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Carrig, - - -	"	"	"	2	12	0½
	Forth, - - -	"	"	"	"	8	9¾
	Glynn, - - -	"	"	"	1	7	3½
	Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	2	15	6
	Killurin, - - -	"	"	"	"	17	7½
	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	"	"	11	11
	Taghmon, - - -	"	"	"	4	3	1½
	Whitechurch, - -	"	"	"	1	5	"
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	14	8	3½
JAMES REA ,.....	Drinagh, - - -	"	"	"	1	2	8
	Killinick, - - -	"	"	"	1	3	9¼
	Kilscoran, - - -	"	"	"	"	4	5¾
	Lady's Island, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Mayglass, - -	"	"	"	1	17	11
	Rosslare, - - -	"	"	"	"	9	1½
	Rathaspeck, - -	"	"	"	4	9	5
	St. Helen's, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Tacumshane, - -	"	"	"	"	7	0½
THOMAS SHARPE...	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	9	1	6½
	Bridgetown, - -	"	"	"	"	4	8
	Kilmore, - - -	"	"	"	"	2	"
	Kilcowan, -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Newcastle, - -	"	"	"	"	5	4
	Tomhaggard, - -	"	"	"	"	"	9¼
	Bannow, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	8¼
	Duncormack, - -	"	"	"	"	3	4
	Harristown, - -	"	"	"	"	"	0¾
	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	"	16	8¾
	TOTAL.....						

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8¾	1428	"	"	198	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	503	17	2	15	13	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE.	do	1,053	19	6¼	1039	11	3	14	8	3¼
JAMES REA, ...	do	982	12	4¼	973	10	10	9	1	6¼
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2¾	771	3	6	"	16	8¾
	TOTAL.....	6,055	4	5	5216	2	9	838	1	8

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ *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 £ 55 s. 0 d. 3¾

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	55	0	3¾
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	63	8	4¾
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	63	8	4¾
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	2	0	2
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	3	1	5
	3	8	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:—

6 Bags of	Flour	8 lbs	Candles
3 Sacks	Wholemeal	" lbs	Mould Candles
224 lbs	Meat	" Cwt	Soap
1 Ton	Oatmeal	28 lbs	Soda
" Ton	Indian Meal	" lbs	Starch
250 Gallons	Buttermilk	" lbs	Malt
440 Gallons	New Milk	" lb	Hops
2 Cwt	Salt		
18 lbs	Tea		
80 lbs	Sugar		
3 lbs	Lump Sugar		
4 lb	Pepper		
" lb	Ginger		
" Cwt	Rice		
" Quarts	Whiskey		
1 Doz	Wine		
1 Doz of	Large Porter		
1 Doz	Small Porter		
" Tons	Coal		

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

1 Bag of	Flour
78 lbs	Meat
" Cwts	Oatmeal
" Cwt	Salt
30 Gallons	New Milk
2 lbs	Tea
16 lbs	Sugar
" Cwt	Rice
1 Doz	Wine
" Quarts	Whiskey
" lb	Pepper
" Tons	Coal
8 lbs	Candles
" Cwt	Soap
" lbs	Starch

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 30 *day of* March *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	0	5	3
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
Total	0	5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
I.					Bt. forwd.				
II.	Wm. Wadding	3 0			No. IV.				
III.	John Furlong	2 3			No. V.				
Bt. forwd.					No. VI.				
					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast	2	2	7

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

2. Establishment Account.

M. Bent ½ years Rent of Land adjoining Workhouse	13	14	6
M. Morris matron of Fever Hospt. 1 Months Salary	1	15	.
J. Roche Hegd Nurse of Do. do	1	5	.
C. Kavanagh Mustard &c	.	7	7
T. Prendergast Sundries	5	17	9

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
C. Kavanagh	Groceries	34	1	2
R. Leared	Flour &c	111	3	"
J. N. Fitzmus	Oatmeal	17	10	.
E. Maddock	New. Milk	11	19	7
E. Maddock	do	22	11	4
M. Cleary	do	3	9	6
T. Prendergast	Salary of Baker	.	15	.

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

4. ~~Out-Door Relief Invoice~~ Burial Account.

F. Hawlan	Coffins	1	11	9
M. Kehoe	Foundage	5	"	.
T. Prendergast	Carriage of Dead			

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

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

Visited the House Generally and found it as far as I saw clean & well ventilated Schools appear improved and Hospital in excellent order Paupers employed The Provisions good excepting the Brown Sugar which is bad and the matron says it is not equal to sample The Samples of Tea and Sugar &c should be kept in tins as recommended by Captain Hamilton Poor Law Inspector

5 June 1857. (Signed) F. Le Hunte

Ordered that tins for the purpose specified in the foregoing Report be procured by the Master

The Masters Estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and orders were duly made for the several articles Viz 3 Large Coffins 1 Small Coffin 1 Infants Coffins 8 lbs Mustard 7 lbs Starch and 2 lbs Mangold Wurzel Seed

The Report of the Master ~~and other Officers~~ was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

Two Women named Mary Reilly and Anne Murphy fought in the Nursery on Wednesday evening the 3rd Instant the head of the latter was cut severely and bled a great deal — on the following day Anne Murphy went before a magistrate who issued a Summons for Reilly to appear before the Court on Wednesday next

The Sugar supplied by the Contractor this week was very inferior

I have to request a Committee to inspect the articles named in the condemned Clothing book which I consider unfit for further use

Ordered that the Contractor be spoken to by Mr. Crosbie and that he request she will supply sugar of a better quality in future And that the following Articles having been inspected by Guardians are hereby condemned Viz 3 2 Table Clothes - 3 Towels - 23 Rugs - 8 Blankets - 36 Sheets - 18 Coats - 7 Waistcoats - 16 Trousers - 15 Drawers - 47 Shirts - 22 Caps & Stockings - 78 Wrappers - 28 Cotton Petticoats - 89 Shifts - 94 Aprons - 47 Handkerchiefs - 44

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

Flannel Waistcoats - 102 Womens Caps - 104 Pair shoes 19 Boys Jackets - 9 Boys Vests - 9 Boys Trousers - 5 Day Caps 35 Frocks - 21 Linsey Petticoats - 3 Flannel Petticoats - 69 Bibs - 4 Buckets - 1 Can - 4½ Dozen Pints Tins - 3 Doz Quarts - 4 Tubs - 4 Spades and 8 Stone hammers

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The following Order read

No. 14509/57 dated 30th May 1857 Consenting to a sum of £6. being applied out of the Rates to defray the expenses of the Emigration to Boston of John Cogley aged 11 years chargeable to the Electoral Division of Aughwilliam

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that the Guardians have this day learned that a further sum of £2 is absolutely necessary to defray the Emigration Expenses of the boy Cogley and the Guardians therefore request that the Commissioners will have the goodness to sanction the additional sum proposed to be allowed by the Board

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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. 141 M/57 dated 3rd June 1857 requesting to be furnished with the required particulars respecting the Rates made and any new Rates agreed upon in this Union &c &c

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A letter dated 6th June 1857 from Doctor Robert J. Crean Medical Officer of the Workhouse stating in reply to the enquiries contained in the Clerk's communication of the 2nd Instant that the case of the blind boy Casserly is wholly unsuited for operation and that the scrofulous ulceration about his neck would be injured by confinement also that the healthy children may as usual be dressed during the Summer months of their shoes and stockings

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A letter dated April 1857 from Mr. J. Houston Sheehan Clerk of Newagh Union forwarding a Copy of a Petition adopted by the Board of Guardians of that

that Union praying that the Laws of affiliation in force in England would be extended to Ireland &c &c

No order made thereon by Board of Guardians of this Union

Ordered that the Clerk take the necessary measures for the striking of a new Rate and that he lay before the Board on 20th Instant an Estimate of the Rate which will be required to defray the expenses of the Union for 12 months commencing 21st of September next

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Ordered that Mr. Hugh Henrick who is a Candidate for the Office of Schoolmaster of the Waterford Workhouse is hereby permitted to absent himself from this House from Wednesday morning till Friday evening next,

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This being the first Saturday of this Month Mr. Rossitor Collector attended and had his Collecting book examined by the Guardians,

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The Clerk reported that Mr. Braddell Poor Law Auditor attended during the week and audited the accounts

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	11
Ditto, disallowed	"
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	12

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	"
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	"
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	2
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	1

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

of the Union for the half year ended 25th March last

The Abstracts of the Accounts were laid before the Board approved and signed by the Chairman,

Notice of Motion

I will on this day fortnight move that Catherine Ryan and James Ryan be moved from the Electoral Division of Rathaspick and placed to wherever, they may properly belong 6th June 1857

(Signed) Walter Furlong

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the

day of 18

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 6th day of June 1857,—*continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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 Charitie Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof* (or such other directions as may be given.)

_____ *Dispensary District.*

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

(This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 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-years ended _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *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 Committees; namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ (*state subject*)

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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. 15085/57 dated 5th June 1857 expressing their sanction to the amount of remuneration fixed by them for the Office of Apothecary for the Wexford Dispensary District namely £30 per annum,

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No. 14118/57 dated 5th June 1857 transmitting for the information of the Guardians a Copy of a letter which they have addressed to the Committee of Mmagement of the Wexford Dispensary District sanctioning the appointment of Mr. James Pierce as apothecary for that District

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Notice of Motion

Mr. Walsh Relieving Officer having appeared before the Guardians on this day and having stated that his family and also the family residing on same Townland with him have objected to allow the Cart intended to be used in conveying the sick Poor from the Broadway Dispensary ~~(Signed,)~~ District to be kept at his residence – and as I consider the house of the Relieving ~~Clerk of the Union.~~

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Officer is not the place at which the Cart should be kept – and that even if it were he ought not to be compelled to keep it there – I hereby give notice that I will on this day fortnight move that the order of the Guardians of Saturday last directing the Cart to be kept at the residence of Relieving Officer Walsh be rescinded

5th June 1857

(Signed)

James M. Vicary

Next meeting of the Board will be on Saturday the 13th June 1857.

James Whitty Chairman

William Davis

Thomas Wore

James M. Vicary acting as Clerk of the Union

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,....£105,464 15s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of June 1857

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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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,	800	531										
Permanent Buildings,	180	"										
Additional Workhouse,	"	"										
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	"										
Fever Sheds,	40	27										
TOTAL,	1120	558										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			49	149	58	57	62	57	66	19	40	557
Admitted during the week.			13	7	"	"	"	"	1	"	3	24
TOTAL			62	156	58	57	62	57	67	19	43	581
Discharged during the week,			12	6	"	2	"	1	1	1	"	23
Died, - - - - -			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total Discharged and Dead,			12	6	"	2	"	1	1	1	"	23
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			50	150	58	55	62	56	66	18	43	558

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	106	In separate Wards.	7
In Fever Hospital.	27	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total.	133	Total.	11

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 185 6..... 677

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Car. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 13th day of June 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. James Whitty

Other Guardians: James Barry, William Corish, Patrick Furlong (Duncormack), Patrick Furlong (Kilmore), William Harris, James M. Vicary, William Morris, James Kehoe and Thomas Shore

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4772 to No. 4794, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 10 to No. 11, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had complied with the order given him by the Board on the 6th Instant

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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, ... £ 20 - 0 - 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 17 6 - 16 - 10

And that the Balance on the Account in Favor of the Guardians was £ 461 - 15 - 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,...	Wexford, - -	20	"	"	778	17	8¾
	TOTAL, -	20	"	"	778	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,.....	Ardcavan - -	"	"	"	3	19	10
	Ardcolm, - - -	"	"	"	2	10	1
	Artramont, - -	"	"	"	3	7	4
	Kilpatrick, - -	"	"	"	4	0	2
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	15	17	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE.....	Aughwilliam, - -	"	"	"	"	9	12
	Ballynitty, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Carrig, - - -	"	"	"	2	12	0½
	Forth, - - -	"	"	"	"	8	2¾
	Glynn, - - -	"	"	"	1	7	3½
	Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	2	15	6
	Killurin, - - -	"	"	"	"	17	7½
	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	"	"	11	11
	Taghmon, - - -	"	"	"	4	3	1½
	Whitechurch, - -	"	"	"	1	5	"
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	14	8	3½
JAMES REA,.....	Drinagh, - - -	"	"	"	1	2	8
	Killinick, - - -	"	"	"	1	3	9½
	Kilscoran, - -	"	"	"	"	4	5¾
	Lady's Island, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Mayglass, - -	"	"	"	1	7	11
	Rosslare, - - -	"	"	"	"	9	1½
	Rathaspeck, - -	"	"	"	4	9	5
	St. Helen's, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Tacumshane, - -	"	"	"	"	7	0½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	9	1	6½
THOMAS SHARPE...	Bridgetown, - -	"	"	"	"	4	6
	Kilmore, - - -	"	"	"	"	2	"
	Kilcowan, -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Newcastle, - -	"	"	"	"	5	4
	Tomhaggard, - -	"	"	"	"	"	9½
	Bannow, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	8½
	Duncormack, - -	"	"	"	"	3	4
	Harristown, - -	"	"	"	"	"	0¾
	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	"	14	8¾
	TOTAL.....						

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the War rent for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8¾	1948	-	-	778	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	503	17	2	15	17	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE	do	1,053	19	6½	1039	11	3	14	8	3½
JAMES REA,	do	962	12	4½	953	10	10	9	1	6½
THOMAS SHARPE,	do	772	0	2¾	771	3	6	"	16	8¾
TOTAL.....		6,055	4	5	5236	2	9	819	1	8

RATE RETURN.

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 £ 49 s. 6 d. 10¼

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	49	6	10¼
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	62	16	7½
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	62	16	7½
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	"	2	0¾
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	3	0¼
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	3	3¼

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:—

6	Bags of Flour	" lbs	Candles
2	Sacks Wholemeal	" lbs	Mould Candles
220	lbs Meat	" Cwt	Soap
"	Ton Oatmeat	" lbs	Soda
1	Ton Indian Meal	" lbs	Starch
250	Gallons Buttermilk	" lbs	Malt
420	Gallons New Milk	" lb	Hops
2	Cwt Salt		
16	lbs Tea		
70	lbs Sugar		
3	lbs Lump Sugar		
"	lb Pepper		
"	lb Ginger		
"	Cwt Rice		
"	Quarts Whiskey		
"	Doz Wine		
"	Doz of Large Porter		
2	Doz Small Porter		
"	Tons Coal		

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

"	Bags of Flour	
70	lbs Meat	
"	Cwts Oatmeal	
"	Cwt Salt	
28	Gallons New Milk	
3	lbs Tea	
18	lbs Sugar	
"	Cwt Rice	
"	Doz Wine	
"	Quarts Whiskey	
"	lb Pepper	
"	Tons Coal	
"	lbs Candles	
"	Cwt Soap	
"	lbs Starch	
1	lb. Arrow Root	

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	0	5	3
In Kind, ...	0	0	0
Total	0	5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Mr. Wadding	3 - 0			Bt. forwd.				
No. II.					No. IV.				
No. III.	John Turling	2 - 3			No. V.				
					No. VI.				
Cr. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

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

No Report from Visiting Committee this week

Ordered that the Clerk of the Union being sick and unable to attend here on this day Mr James M. Vicary has been requested and has consented to discharge the duties of the Clerk at this Meeting

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

The Master of the Workhouse having laid before the Board for inspection the Meat supplied on this day for the Hospital it was

Ordered that the Meat be returned to the Contractor as unfit for Hospital use and that he be required by the Master to supply good Meat instead

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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. 15603/57 dated 12th June 1857 requesting to be informed of the circumstances under which the additional Expenditure of £2 in the Emigration of John Cogley is considered necessary

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that the cost of the boys passage to Boston will be £5. that the expense of his outfit will be £2.5 and that the Balance 15/= is considered just sufficient for him to have on landing. The Guardians might Emigrate him at a cheaper rate but that they are obliged to send him in the Vessel with his Sister

No. 13980/57 dated 12th June 1857 — forwarding for payment by Board of Guardians the Returning Officers account of expenses — attending the Supplemental Election of Guardians in May last &c &c

Notice of Motion

I give Notice that on this day fortnight I will move that the Board of Guardians take into their serious consideration the propriety of dispensing with all the Relieving Officers but one same to reside in Wexford and that paupers on entering the House do produce Tickets signed by wardens of their relative Districts as to their chargeability and Destitution

June 13th 1857
(Signed) William Davis

(Signed) James M. Vicary
acting as Clerk

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	13
Ditto, disallowed	"
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	11

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	2
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	
The number of the Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	"
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	"

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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).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the

day of 18

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 13th day of June 185 7, *continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 1849.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Inchnor & Slyne *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 that the Clerk send to Messrs G. A. Leslie & Co a List of the Medicines &c required for the above Dispensary District with a request that they will supply them as early as convenient

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 Wexford *Dispensary District, the following* ~~*supplies of*~~ *Books,* ~~*Stationery, Forms, or other requisites,*~~ *were ordered to be supplied—*

One Prescription Book and one Medical Relief Register

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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.)

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *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-years ended _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *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 Committees; namely:—

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

Proposed by Mr. William Davis and seconded by Mr. William Morris and unanimously passed

That we the Board of Guardians of the Wexford Union have read with pleasure the vindication of our conduct as regards Medical Aid by Doctor Percy Shaw Waddy at the late Meeting of the Medical Association held in Dublin on 2nd Instant and for which we hereby tender him our warmest thanks and request the Clerk of the Union to transmit the same to Doctor Waddy

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 Rev. Henry J. Stokes *dated* 10 June 1887 *stating that*

forwarding the following copy of a Resolution passed by the Cropabeg Dispensary Committee at a Meeting held on the 10 Instant

"The attention of the Committee having been called to the subject as to whether the Coast Guard Service is to be considered under the provisions of the Medical Relief Act

Resolved that the subject be brought before the Guardians of the Union in order that some general rule may be established for the guidance of the respective Districts Committees

(Signed) J. Le. Hunte Chairman
H. J. Stokes Apt. Secretary

Ordered by Board of Guardians that the subject Matter referred to in the preceding Resolution be considered on this day week

Next meeting of the Board of Guardians will be held on the 20th June 1887.

Thomas W. Weekes P.C.H.
William Morris
Walter Furlong
(Signed,)

[redacted] Clerk of the Union.

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Workhouse,	880	532										
Permanent Buildings,	180	4										
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	25										
Fever Sheds,	40	"										
TOTAL,	1120	557										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return			50	50	58	55	62	56	66	18	43	558
Admitted during the week.			8	12	2	3	"	2	"	1	2	30
TOTAL.			58	62	60	58	62	58	66	19	45	588
Discharged during the week,			15	7	"	2	1	1	1	"	1	28
Died, - - - - -			"	"	1	1	1	"	"	"	"	3
Total Discharged and Dead,			15	7	1	3	2	1	1	"	1	31
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			43	55	59	55	60	57	65	19	44	557

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	103	In separate Wards.	7
In Fever Hospital.	25	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total,	128	Total,	11

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856..... 688

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. 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.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Car. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. 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 not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 20th day of June 185 7

PRESENT: In the Chair, James McKiernan Esq. & James Roche Esq. P.L.

Other Guardians: Captain William A. Mushing R.N. John Hatch P.L. John Sparrow Nicholas Furlong James Barry, Walter Hanahan Robt. Clifford Patrick Lacey Patrick Roche James Rowlin, Michael Murphy James Whitty, Walter Furlong William Morris Matthew Lacey and James Murphy.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

Patrick Cope Bachelor, Farmer, Rosgarrow road Wexford Labourer and Mary Keating Spinster, Rosgarrow road Wexford, the banns to be solemnized at the Registrars Office Anne St Wexford. Date of Notice 13th June 1857

Samuel Patterson Bachelor Minister of the Wesleyan Wesleyan Minister and Sophia Hitchcock Spinster of 2 Saunders Court Dublin the banns to be solemnized at the Wesleyan Methodist Chapel Stephens Green Dublin. Date of Notice 18th June 1857

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4,795 to No. 4,818, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 10 to No. 11, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he has complied with the Orders given him by the Board on the 13th Instant,

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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, ... £ 26 - 3 - 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 27 - 11 - 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 460 - 7 - 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,... Folio in leger 11 Folio in leger 128	Wexford, - -	20	=	=	258	17	8
	TOTAL, -	20	=	=	258	17	8
MARTIN KEHOE,..... Folio in Leger 11 Folio in Leger 131	Ardcavan - -	2	1	6	3	18	7
Folio in Leger 11 Folio in Leger 133	Ardcolm, - - -	1	=	6	1	19	2
Folio in Leger 11 Folio in Leger 135	Artramont, - -	2	2	=	1	5	7
Folio in Leger 11 Folio in Leger 137	Kilpatrick, - -	=	17	=	3	15	=
	TOTAL, -	6	2	=	9	14	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Anghwilliam, - -	=	=	=	1	9	1½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballynitty, - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -	=	=	=	2	12	0½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	=	=	=	=	8	2½
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -	=	=	=	1	7	3½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	=	=	=	2	15	6
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	=	=	=	=	11	1½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	=	=	=	=	11	1
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	=	=	=	4	3	7½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	=	=	=	1	5	=
	TOTAL, -	=	=	=	14	8	3½
JAMES REA ,..... Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -	=	=	=	1	2	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -	=	=	=	1	3	9½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -	=	=	=	=	4	5½
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -	=	=	=	1	7	11
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -	=	=	=	=	9	5½
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -	=	=	=	4	9	5
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -	=	=	=	=	10	2½
	TOTAL, -	=	=	=	9	16	4½
THOMAS SHARPE... Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -	2	=	3	=	4	6
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -	=	=	=	=	2	=
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan, -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -	=	=	=	=	5	4
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Bannow, - - -	=	=	=	=	=	9½
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Duncormack, - -	=	=	=	=	=	8½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Harristown, - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -	=	=	=	=	3	4
	TOTAL, -	=	=	=	=	6	3½
TOTAL.....		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	16	8½

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the War rant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8½	1474	3	=	1258	17	8½
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	270	=	=	249	15	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE	do	1,053	19	6½	1039	11	=	13	8	3½
JAMES REA, ...	do	982	12	4½	973	10	10½	8	1	6½
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2½	771	3	6	1	16	8½
	TOTAL.....	6,055	4	5	5529	5	7½	525	18	8

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

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

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

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... ... £ 69 s. 6 d. 9

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 62 s. 7 d. 4½

Average cost in Infirmary, ... „ 6 - 0½

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... „ 3 - 9½

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:—

6	Bags of	Flour	4 lbs	Candles	
2	Sacks	Wholemeal	„ lbs	Mould Candles	
224	lbs	Meat	„ Cwt	Soap	
1	Ton	Oatmeal	28 lbs	Soda	
„	Ton	Indian Meal	2 lbs	Starch	
250	Gallons	Buttermilk	14 lbs	Malt	
420	Gallons	New Milk	7 lb	Hops	
9	Cwt	Salt			
16	lbs	Tea			
60	lbs	Sugar			
3	lbs	Lump Sugar			
„	lb	Pepper			
„	lb	Ginger			
1	Cwt	Rice			
„	Quarts	Whiskey			
„	Doz	Wine			
„	Doz of	Large Porter			
1	Doz	Small Porter			
90	Tons	Coal			

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

1	Bags of	Flour
80	lbs	Meat
„	Cwts	Oatmeal
„	Cwt	Salt
40	Gallons	New Milk
3	lbs	Tea
54	lbs	Sugar
„	Cwt	Rice
„	Doz	Wine
„	Quarts	Whiskey
„	lb	Pepper
„	Tons	Coal
„	lbs	Candles
„	Cwt	Soap
„	lbs	Starch

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 13th day of June whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...		5	3
In Kind, ...			
Total		5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Mr Hadding	2 - 3			Bt. forwd.				
No. II.	Mr Furlong	3 - 0			No. IV.				
No. III.					No. V.				
Carried forwd.					No. VI.				
					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast Weaving		12	-
From in Ledger 62			
Folio in Ledger 11			

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
T. Carleton Insurance on Workhouse	8	2	6
T. Prendergast Furniture	5	7	4
From Ledger 74			
Folio in Ledger 11			

Debit Establishment A/c and Credit Treasurer with above sum.

Emigration A/c

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast Emigration Expenses	58	-	-
From Ledger 122			
Folio in Ledger 11			

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast Bakers Bills for 2 weeks	1	10	-
T. Prendergast Meat	-	10	6
From Ledger 48			
Folio in Ledger 11			

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

Elections. Out Door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
J. Hatton Conveyance of Assistant Barrister			
Arth. F. Nolan Law Stamps & Dublin	52	3	9
From Ledger 107 T. Prendergast Election expenses		8	4
Folio in Ledger 11			

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

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

The Report from the Visiting Committee this Week

The Masters Estimate of requirements for the ensuing Week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several Articles specified viz:- 6 Scuffles- 1 Sulla Brush- 12 Cols Brush Leather- 2 Cols Kip Leather- 4 Do Large Rump- 3 Do Awl Blades- 2 Do Tape- 6 Do Quart Tins- 6 Do Pint Tins- 10 Do Tea Quarts- 2 Do Hospital Quarts- 5 Barrels Lump- 4 Stone Sogwood, 2 Large Pipins- and 1 Small Pipin,

The Report of the Master ~~and other Officers~~ was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

Agreeably with the Order of the Board of Guardians on Saturday Last I Returned to the Contractor the Meat supplied by him for Sunday Last, He sent the same Meat to me again which of Course I did not keep but purchased from Mr Thomas Furlong 9 lbs & 6 lbs the Quantity required for that day.

Ordered that we approve of the Master having purchased Meat instead of that supplied by the Contractor for Sunday Last, and here by direct that the difference between the price allowed to the Contractor, and that paid for the Meat bought, be charged to the Contractor,

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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. 15656/59 dated 13th June 1859, requesting to be furnished with a Return of the number of tramps in the House on 25th March last &c &c

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No. 15603/59 dated 13th June 1859 requesting to be furnished with a Copy of the Estimate which the Board on the 6th Instant directed the Clerk to prepare when the Rates shall have been agreed to by the Board.

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that the request contained in this letter shall be complied with,

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No. 16988/59 dated 19th June 1859 stating that they have given directions for the preparation and issue of their sealed Order to the proper authorities for the expenditure for the maintenance of John Coffey,

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No. 15085/59 dated 19th June 1859 notifying their approval of the acceptance of Mr Richard Pierce's tender for the conversion of the Pump House on the land adjoining the Workhouse into a dwelling for the Agriculturist,

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Letter dated 29th May 1859 from Mr. C. A. Buchanan Government Emigration Agent at Quebec stating that the party of emigrants from this Union per Ship Ocean-bride arrived on 28th Ultimo in good health and landed on the following morning - that he paid them their money agreeable to the instructions contained in the Clerk's letter of 16th Ultimo that several of them had obtained good situations there - and that those who had friends he arranged for their passage through to their destination - that the remainder he directed up the country where they will readily find employment with good wages as their services are much required. that they spoke in the highest terms of the kindness of Capt. Atkins to them during the passage that they left on the night of 28th Ultimo by Steamer for Montreal - and that he wrote to the Agents of the Department to which he belongs to afford them every assistance and advice on their journey that he had strongly advised them going into the Country settlements leaving the Farmers as they will return better than remaining about the large Cities,

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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	10
Ditto, disallowed	20
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	7
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	5

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

Ordered that the C. & O. advertise in the local Newspapers for the supply for 3. 6. or 12 Months as the Guardians may determine of the Articles required generally for Workhouse use - and that the Tenders be considered on the 4th Prox. That he also advertise on the 8th Prox. for Tenders for the supply of Second Flour - Wholemeal. Indian Meal and Oatmeal for 3 Months. Also for Bread to be produced from Second Flour and from Wholemeal & — for 4 lb Loaf - for same period - Tenders to be considered on the 18th Proximo and the Clerk to state in the Advertisement that the Guardians will have the option of accepting either the Tenders for the supply of Bread or for the Wholemeal and Flour,

Ordered that Catherine Renselah who states that her husband has refused to maintain her be admitted into the Workhouse - and that Notice be served on her husband requiring him to enter this House to be lodged and Maintained therein,

Ordered that Catherine Reild and Child be admitted into this Workhouse, she having states that her husband has refused to maintain herself and Child, and that Notice be served on him requiring to enter this House to be lodged and Maintained therein,

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the day of 18

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Clerk of the Union

On the Motion of Mr. Hatter Furlong. Catherine Ryan and Child were removed off the Electoral Division of Rathaspick and placed on the Electoral Division of Forth,

Resolved that the following Poundage Rate be struck on the undermentioned Electoral Divisions to defray the expenses of the Union for one Year Commencing on 1st September next being the same as those set forth in the Estimate of the Rate laid before us on this day by the Clerk excepting the Poundage Rate in Wexford Division which has been by desire of this Board reduced Fourpence in the £ the Poundage Rate in Whitechurch Division which has been reduced Threepence in the £ the Poundage Rate in Shagglass Division which has been reduced Twopence in the £ and the Poundage Rate in Ballintober Division which has been reduced Threepence in the £

Viz	Wexford Electoral Division		2. 4 in the £	
"	Ballycanew	"	1. 1	"
"	Ardcolm	"	1. 2	"
"	Castlemaan	"	10	"
"	Kilpatrick	"	8	"
"	Inchnillian	"	8	"
"	Clongeen	"	1. 2	"

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Carrigalehane Division		0.	0
Forth	"	"	9
Glynn	"	1.	0
Harperstown	"	1.	7
Killurin	"	1.	"
Kilmore	"	1.	3
Taghmon	"	1.	3
Whitechurch	"	1.	0
Duiagh	"	"	11
Fellinick	"	"	8
Kilscoran	"	1.	1
Lady Island	"	"	9
Mayglass	"	1.	6
Ballagh	"	"	8
Rathaspeck	"	"	11
Saint Helens	"	"	9
Tacumshane	"	"	10
Bridgetown	"	"	7
Kilburn	"	"	11
Kilcman	"	"	10
Newcastle	"	1.	0
Tombaffard	"	"	11
Bannow	"	"	8
Duncormack	"	1.	0
Harristown	"	"	9
Killag	"	"	10

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 20th day of June 185 7 continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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:—~~

The Resolution of the Committee of Management of Crossabeg Dispensary District entered in Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of Saturday last having been considered it was

Moved by James Dowlidge and Seconded by James R. Cooke Esq. passed:

That this Board in that any desire never to restrict the powers vested in Dispensary Committees cannot refrain from expressing the opinion that it appears to them that the Officers of the Coast

~~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—~~

Guard Service, or their families are not entitled to any gratuitous relief at the Dispensaries of this Union.

Ordered that a Copy of the preceding Resolution be forwarded to the Crossabeg Dispensary Committee & the Coast.

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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.)

_____ *Dispensary District.*

~~*Account of Mr.*~~ _____ *for* _____ : *Amount £*

Resolved that the sum of £ 16 : 6 be paid to Doctor Robert J. Furlong for discharging the duties of Apothecary of the Broadway Dispensary District from the 16th January last to the 30th day of June Instant, and that the Commissioners be requested to sanction the payment.

(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-years ended _____ 185 * , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *District* . . . . . £

_____ *District* . . . . . £

(Pursuant to Notice)

Moved by James N. Viant Esq. J.P. and seconded by Captain William A. Armstrong J.P. and passed:

That the Fire Cart for Broadway Dispensary District be kept at the residence of Relieving Officer Walsh.

(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 Committees; namely:—

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

Moved by John Walsh Esq. J.P. and seconded by Mr James Whitty and passed:

That this Board having decided that the Cart intended to be used in conveying the sick poor from the Broadway Dispensary District to the Union Hospitals, is not to be kept at the residence of Relieving Officer Walsh, hereby recommend that the Broadway Dispensary Committee take the question of the locality in which that Cart should be kept again into their consideration, and that in the event of their being unable to obtain a suitable place for the Cart that they will endeavour

~~*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)*~~

to engage the services of a person to convey the sick, and to keep the Cart for the purpose, at his dwelling.

Ordered that a Copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Committee of Management of Broadway Dispensary District by Mr Clerk

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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 Doctor Percy L. Reddy dated 18th June 1857

~~stating that~~

acknowledging the receipt of the Clerk's letter of the 17th Instant enclosing a copy of the Resolution passed at the last Meeting of this Board in reference to the part taken by him at the recent convocation of the Irish Medical Practitioners held in Dublin - that he wished the Board to convey his warmest acknowledgements for the very complimentary terms in which the Board of Guardians were pleased to express their unanimous approval of his conduct in the Resolution before him - that as the representative of the County Wexford Medical Society as well as in his individual capacity he felt proud amongst the assembled body of brethren Practitioners from all parts of Ireland to have the opportunity of repelling any charge bringing our fine County within the Category of Malcontents as regards the administration of the Medical Charities Act. and more particularly as it related to the Union with which he is immediately connected - that individually he should have been guilty of the greatest ingratitude were he to have sanctioned the adoption of a report attributing illiberality or the want of kind and gentlemanly feeling to Boards of Guardians or Managing Committees of Dispensaries where he

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he had indelibly impressed on his mind the grateful recollection of warm sympathy and practical liberality which characterized both bodies with which he was connected when stricken by fever in the discharge of duty when only a few months in the employment of the Wexford Board of Guardians.

At a Meeting of the Board of Guardians duly held on Saturday the 27th June 1857

James M. Neary - pro Chn.

William Davis

Nicholas Hurlong

[illegible]

Clk. of the Union

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,.. £105,464 15s.

ATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of June 1857

er of Inmates for 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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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.
house,	800	570										
nent Buildings,	280	"										
onal Workhouse,	"	"										
nent Fever Hospital	100	19										
Sheds,	40	"										
TOTAL,	1120	529										
maining on Previous Sa day, as per last return.			43	55	59	53	60	57	65	19	44	455
mitted during the week.			4	4	"	1	"	"	"	"	2	11
TOTAL			47	59	59	56	60	57	65	19	46	468
charged during the week,			10	11	2	2	"	5	2	"	4	36
d, - - - - -			"	"	"	2	"	1	"	"	"	3
al Discharged and Dead,			10	11	2	4	"	6	2	"	4	39
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			37	48	57	52	60	57	63	19	42	429

RETURN OF SICK & 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.	7
In Fever Hospital.	19	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total.	118	Total.	11

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856 465

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

LIEF TRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
I.						
II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
III.						
forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

PY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 27th day of June 1857.

SENT: In the Chair, James M. Nicall Esq. J.P. and Thomas A. Walker Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians, Francis Leigh J.P. John Cousins, Nicholas Furlong, James Burns, William Cousins, Robert Clifford, Patrick Furlong, Michael Rohe, Patrick Roche, James Donovan, Philip Ryan, Matthew Tracy, Patrick Furlong, William Furlong, Patrick Murphy, James Rohe, Thomas Roe, James R. Cooke, Patrick Grogan and Matthew Tracy.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

Patrick Roe Bachelor of Ballyhuck Farmer and Mary Keating Spinster of Ballyhuck Farmer 13th June 1857

No Business. The Marriage to be solemnized at the Registrar's Office Anne Street Wexford

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4819 to No. 4848, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 10 to No. 11, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he has complied with the orders given him by the Board on the 20th Inst.

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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, ... £ 18-0-0

Paid during the week, ... £ 45-17-9

And that the Balance on the Account in favour *the Guardians was* £ 432-9-10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,... Folio in leger 11 Folio in leger 728	Wexford, - -	18	"	"	140	17	8¾
	TOTAL, -	18	"	"	140	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcavan - -	"	"	"	3	18	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -	"	"	"	1	9	7
Folio in Leger Folio in Lego.	Artramont, - -	"	"	"	1	5	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -	"	"	"	3	12	
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	9	14	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Anghwilliam, - -	"	"	"	"	9	1¾
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -	"	"	"	2	10	2
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	"	"	"	"	8	2½
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -	"	"	"	1	7	3½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	2	15	6
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	"	"	"	"	7	2½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	"	"	5	11
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	"	"	"	4	3	1½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	"	"	"	1	5	"
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	14	8	3½
JAMES REA ,..... Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -	"	"	"	1	9	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -	"	"	"	1	3	9½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -	"	"	"	"	4	5½
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -	"	"	"	1	7	11
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -	"	"	"	"	9	1½
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -	"	"	"	4	9	5
Folio in leger Folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -	"	"	"	"	20	2½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	9	1	6½
THOMAS SHARPE... Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -	"	"	"	"	4	6
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -	"	"	"	"	2	"
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Kilcowan, -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -	"	"	"	"	5	4
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -	"	"	"	"	"	9½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Bannow, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	8½
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Duncormack, - -	"	"	"	"	"	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harristown, - -	"	"	"	"	3	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	6½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	"	10	8½
	TOTAL.....						

RATE RETURN.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,.....	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8¾	1992	3	"	740	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,.....	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	570	"	"	9	14	5
NICHOLAS ROCHE.....	do	1,053	19	6½	1039	11	3	14	7	3½
JAMES REA,.....	do	982	12	4½	923	10	10	14	1	6½
THOMAS SHARPE,.....	do	772	0	2½	771	3	6	"	16	8½
	TOTAL.....	6,055	4	5	5296	5	5	759	18	8

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ " " " *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 £ 53 s. 8 d. 14

Folio in Ledger 48
Folio in Ledger 54
Folio in Ledger 58
Folio in Ledger 54

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	53	8	14
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	61	18	4¾
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	2	0¾
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	2	11½
The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined		3	0½

and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

6 Bags of	Flour	" lbs	Candles
2 Sacks	Wholemeal	" lbs	Mould Candles
216 lbs	Meat	10 Cwt	Soap
" Ton	Oatmeat	" lbs	Soda
" Ton	Indian Meal	" lbs	Starch
250 Gallons	Buttermilk	" lbs	Malt
420 Gallons	New Milk	" lb	Hops
" Cwt	Salt		
16 lbs	Tea		
66 lbs	Sugar		
3 lbs	Lump Sugar		
4 lb	Pepper		
" lb	Ginger		
" Cwt	Rice		
" Quarts	Whiskey		
1 Doz	Wine		
" Doz of	Large Porter		
" Doz	Small Porter		
" Tons	Coal		

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

" Bags of	Flour
80 lbs	Meat
" Cwts	Oatmeal
" Cwt	Salt
30 Gallons	New Milk
" lbs	Tea
24 lbs	Sugar
" Cwt	Rice
" Doz	Wine
" Quarts	Whiskey
" lb	Pepper
" Tons	Coal
" lbs	Candles
4 Cwt	Soap
" lbs	Starch

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	"	5	3
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
Total	"	5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
I.	Jas Spedding	2 3		
II.				
III.	Jas Furlong	3 0		
IV.				
V.				
VI.				
TOTAL,				

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
Bt. forwd.				
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast Wearing	4	18	8

Folio in Ledger 12
Folio in Ledger 12

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast 4th half year's salary	32	10	0
R. J. Cranch M.D. 4th half year's salary	31	5	"
C. Fuland Master do do	15	"	"
C. Fuland Matron do do	8	15	"
Rev. J. Roche P.P. 4th half year's salary	5	"	"
A. Harper Schoolmistress do	5	"	"
Leigh Allen Officer do	10	"	"
W. Fadding do do	8	8	9
J. Walsh do do	7	10	"
J. Fuland do do	7	10	"
N. Carroll Infant Schoolmistress do	2	10	"
A. Meyler Asst Matron do	2	10	0

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

3. *~~Workhouse Invoice Account.~~*

	£	s.	d.
J. Williams Nurse do	3	"	"
W. Keogh Porter do	3	15	"
P. Heurich Schoolmaster Nurse do	2	10	"
P. Geroe Alteration in Pump house	5	15	"
T. Prendergast Sundries	2	6	5

Folio in Ledger 24 & 75
Folio in Ledger 11 & 12

Debit Establishment A/c and Credit Treasurer with above sums

Workhouse Invoice A/c

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast Butchers Bills this week		15	"

Folio in Ledger 48
Folio in Ledger 12

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

Election Rev. ~~Out-Door Relief Invoice~~ Account.

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast Returning Officer & Polling	2	10	"
T. Prendergast Carriage of Papers		5	"

Folio in Ledger 107
Folio in Ledger 12

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

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

June 25th 1857. Visited the House generally and especially the School & I feel it due to Miss Harper our excellent head Schoolmistress and to the Girls under her Care also to say that a very great improvement has taken place in the Conduct of the Children under her Care. and in their intellectual progress. The improvement is very striking indeed. and deserves the warm approbation of the Guardians. (Signed) F. Le Hunte.

Report of Capt. William J. Hamilton R.L.G. was read &c

Sir that the number of able bodied women is so much reduced. I think one of the dark rooms hitherto appropriated to this class may with much benefit be given to the Nurses with Infants. I would likewise suggest the division of the food for Infants into four parts and that the hours for Meals for the Class be until further order as follows. 8½ past 7 11½ A.M. and ½ past 2 & ½ past 6. P.M. The Contractor for Meat does not appear to me from the sample I saw in the Infirmary on Yesterday to be performing his contract satisfactorily.

23rd June 1857 (Signed) Wm J. Hamilton,

Ordered that the recommendations contained in the Report referred to the Visiting Committee who are requested to report to the Board on Saturday next. whether in their opinion it would be advisable to have these suggestions carried into effect.

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

The Alteration in the Pump-house has been completed. The Doctor wishes the healthy boys of the House to be allowed to bathe.

Special Application in reference to

Ordered that the wish of the healthy boys of the House be complied with. and that they be accompanied to the bathing place by a trustworthy person,

Medical Officers Report read

There are a few Scrofulous patients in the Infirmary that would be benefitted by sea-bathing. The following Medicines are wanted for the Infirmary. Tr. Dowanus Liquor 1 Quart. Adhesive Plaster 1 Dozen, Lint 4 lb. 4 Catheters No. 10 - 2 Catheters No. 12, Balsam Copaiba 1 Quart, 1 Dozen Rustic,

Ordered that the patents referred to in the Medical Officers Report be sent to the Chair by a careful person and that the Medicines specified be procured by the Clerk from the Druggists

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

No. 16288/57 dated 20th June 1857 Consenting to a sum of £2 being applied out of the Rates for the purpose of assisting to defray the expenses of the Emigration of John Coffey in addition to the sum of £6. authorized to be expended by their sealed Consent dated 30th March last,

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The Master's estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the general articles specified viz: 2 Cut Tin Plates - 200 Bulls - 1 Dz Paste Board, 500 Sixpenny Nails 500 twelvepenny Nails - 1 Dz Chamber Pots, 48 Dz Spoons -

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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. 15085/57 dated 24th June 1857 stating that they have had before them the reply contained in the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians on the 30th Ultimo to the Commissioners letter of the 29th Ultimo relative to the height to which it is proposed to raise a portion of the wall of the Lunatic Yard &c &c

Noted made by the Board on this letter

No. 5766 dated 26th June 1857 requesting that the Returns due of the state of the Collection in the Union would be forwarded without any further delay &c &c

Ordered that the Clerk has informed the Board that the Returns referred to in the preceding letter were transmitted by him to the Commissioners on yesterday,

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A letter dated 1st June 1857 from Francis Doyle of Montreal enclosing a Bank note for £8 to enable his wife an Inmate of this House to Emigrate to him, &c &c

Ordered that we consider on Saturday next the advisableness of assisting the four Children of Francis Doyle who with his wife are Inmates of this House to Emigrate to Montreal and that the Clerk retain in his hands the sum remitted by Francis Doyle until further orders,

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A Notice dated 20th June 1857 from Mr John Murphy of Blackrock requiring to be rated for Premises in the Townland of Ballinafale in the Electoral Division of Taghmon,

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A Notice dated 22nd June 1857 from Mr Silvester Roche of Clohulitagh requiring to be rated for Premises in the Townland of Clohulitagh in the Electoral Division of Taghmon &c &c

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A Notice dated 26th June 1857 from Mr Walter Meyler of Clearstown requiring to be rated for premises in the Townland of Clearstown in the Electoral Division of Ballycullain &c

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A Notice dated 27th June from Mr Richard Cockford of Tinnock requiring to be rated for premises in the Townland of Tinnock in the Electoral Division of Mayglass, &c &c

Ordered that the alteration in the Rate Books required by the above named

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	8
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	3

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	2
Ditto, ditto, 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	4
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	4

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~~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).~~

named persons be forthwith made by the Clerk.

The Clerk reported that in the Estimate of the Rate submitted by him to the Board on Saturday last, the Poundage Rate in the Electoral Division of Drinagh was entered through mistake 1d instead of 1½d in the £, and requested that the Board would now direct a proper Poundage Rate to be struck in that Division.

Moved by Mr Robert Clifford and seconded by Mr James Whitty and passed:

That a Poundage Rate of 1½d in the £ be struck in the Electoral Division of Drinagh to defray the expenses of said Division for one year from 29th September next.

Ordered that the Schoolmaster is hereby permitted to absent himself from the Workhouse from Tuesday at 12 o'Clock noon - to Thursday Morning.

Moved Pursuant to Notice by Mr William Davis and seconded by Mr James Barry and passed by a majority of 25 to 3,

That the services of three of the Relieving Officers be dispensed with, and that two Relieving Officers for the Union be retained, and that the district in the Town of Wexford

Moved

~~Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the~~ ~~day of~~ 18

Clerk of the Union.

Moved by James O'Rourke Esq. and seconded by James Roche Esq. [redacted]

That Mr James Roche be the Relieving Officer for the Union and that he be paid the same Salary as hitherto viz £40 per Annum.

Moved as an Amendment by Mr Philip Ryan and seconded by Mr Michael Roche

That a Relieving Officer for the Union be selected from the four Relieving Officers at present acting for the Union but that the appointment be not made till this day fortnight

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The Chairman put the Amendment and 7 Voted for and 15 against it,

He then put the original Motion and 19 Voted for, and 4 against it,

The Chairman declared the original Motion Carried.

Resolved that Notice be given by the Clerk to Messrs John Fenton, William Harding and James Nash Relieving Officers of the Union that their services will be dispensed with from 29th July next,

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Moved by Mr James Barry and seconded

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seconded by Mr James R Rosbe Passed:
That Mr John Murphy of
Kilcavan be appointed a Warden
for Kilcavan Parish.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 29th day of June 185 7,—*continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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 Jackson & Hayes *Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of* 13th Instant *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 Tacoxford *Dispensary District, the following ~~supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other~~ requisites ~~are~~ ordered to be supplied—*

A Sweeping Brush

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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)

Wexford Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. R. J. Furlong M.D. for ¼ yrs salary : Amount £30-0-0

" R. J. Furlong discharging duties of apothecary 17-16-6

Folio in Ledger 110
Folio in Ledger 12

Bridgetown Dispensary District,

Mr. J. Furlong M.D. ¼ yrs salary £25-0-0

Folio in Ledger 112
Folio in Ledger 12

Bannow Dispensary District

Folio in Ledger 113
Folio in Ledger 12 Mr. J. Boyd M.D. ¼ yrs salary 25-00

(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 _____ 185 , 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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185 .

_____ 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 Committees ; namely :—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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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 Commissioners No. 16257 *dated* 26th June 1857

~~stating that~~ stating that they desire to call the attention of the Board of Guardians to the Resolution passed by the Committee of Management of Wexford Dispensary District on the 14th March last in which they recommended that the office of Apothecary be abolished the duties to be thenceforth discharged by the Medical Officer at a remuneration of £15 per annum, but that they will not however object to the amount of remuneration proposed to be given to Doctor Furlong.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 4th day of July 1857.

Geo. Le Hunte - Chn.
James M. Murphy
Thomas Murphy
Thos. Sweetman
Chas. Dawson

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,....£105,464 15s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of July

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,	800	493
Permanent Buildings,	180	"
Additional Workhouse,	"	"
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	17
Fever Sheds,	40	"
TOTAL,	1120	510

	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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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.
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	37	148	57	52	60	51	63	19	42	529
Admitted during the week.	4	2	"	"	1	"	2	"	1	10
TOTAL	41	150	57	52	61	51	65	19	43	539
Discharged during the week,	6	12	1	"	"	"	1	3	4	27
Died, - - - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	1	2
Total Discharged and Dead,	6	12	1	"	"	"	2	3	5	29
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	35	138	56	52	61	51	63	16	38	510

RETURN OF SICK & 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.	1
In Fever Hospital.	17	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total,	105	Total,	5

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1850..... 653

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Br. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 1st day of July 1850

PRESENT: In the Chair, George Le Hunte Esq. J.P.R. and James M. Vicary Esq.

Other Guardians: Captain William A Armating J.P. John Walsh J.P. Robert Thornton James Barry Walter Hanrahan Robert Clifford Patrick Furlong Patrick Leacy Mich. Rehoe Patrick Roche Patrick Nayden John Lambert William Davis James Whitty Patrick Murphy William Morris Richard Walsh Jas R. Kroslie Patrick Frayne Matthew Treacy and James Murphy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

Patrick Cope Bachelor Frogus Road Wexford Labourer & Mary Keating spinster Frogus Road Wexford no business. The Marriage to be Solemnized at the Registrars Office Anne St. Wexford 13th June 1850

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4849 to No. 4859, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 10 to No. 11, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had Complied with the Orders given him by the Board on the 27th Ultimo

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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, ... £ 14 = 2

Paid during the week, ... £ 1918 = 12 = 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 251 = 11 = 2

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.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,...	*Wexford,* - -	10	=	=	730	17	8¾
Folio in leger Folio in leger	TOTAL, -	10	=	=	730	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,.....	*Ardcavan* - -	1	3	6	2	14	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ardcolm,* - - -	1	2	=	"	7	7
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Artramont,* - -	=	=	=	1	5	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Lege.	*Kilpatrick,* - -	2	10	=	=	11	2
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	TOTAL, -	4	15	6	4	18	11
NICHOLAS ROCHE.....	*Aughwilliam,* - -	=	=	=	1	9	1¾
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ballymitty,* - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Carrig,* - - -	=	=	=	2	12	0½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Forth,* - - -	=	=	=	=	8	2¾
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Glynn,* - - -	=	=	=	1	7	3½
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Harperstown,* - -	=	=	=	2	15	6
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Killurin,* - - -	=	=	=	=	17	1½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilbride,* - - -	=	=	=	=	11	11
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Taghmon,* - - -	=	=	=	4	3	1½
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Whitechurch,* - -	=	=	=	1	5	=
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	TOTAL, -	=	=	=	14	8	5½
JAMES REA ,.....	*Drinagh,* - - -	=	2	8	1	=	=
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Killinick,* - - -	=	=	=	1	3	9¼
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilscoran,* - -	=	=	=	=	1	5¼
Folio in leger folio in leger	*Lady's Island,* - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	*Mayglass,* - -	=	12	11	1	5	=
Folio in Leger folio in leger	*Rosslare,* - - -	=	9	12	=	=	=
Folio in leger Folio in leger	*Rathaspeck,* - -	1	12	10½	2	16	6½
Folio in leger folio in leger	*St. Helen's,* - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Tacumshane,* - -	=	1	1	=	5	1½
	TOTAL, -	2	18	8	6	2	10½
THOMAS SHARPE...	*Bridgetown,* - -	=	=	=	=	4	0
Folio in leger Folio in leger	*Kilmore,* - - -	=	=	=	=	2	=
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	*Kilcowan,* -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in leger folio in leger	*Newcastle,* - -	=	=	=	=	5	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Tomhaggard,* - -	=	=	=	=	=	9¼
Folio in Leger folio in leger	*Bannow,* - - -	=	=	=	=	=	8¼
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	*Duncormack,* - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	*Harristown,* - -	=	=	=	=	3	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Killag,* - - -	=	=	=	=	=	0¾
	TOTAL, -	=	=	=	=	16	8¾
	TOTAL.....	17	14	2	751	4	6

RATE RETURN.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8¾	2002	3	=	730	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	514	15	8	4	18	11
NICHOLAS ROCHE.	do	1,053	19	6¼	1039	11	3	14	8	3¼
JAMES REA, ...	do	982	12	4½	976	9	6	6	2	10½
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2¾	771	3	6	.	16	8¾
	TOTAL.....	6,055	4	5	5299	10	11	755	4	6

NOTE—A total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot of each Collector's District, to be added to the Total.

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ *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 £ 110 s. 12 d. 8½

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	140	12	8½
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	60	10	3¾
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	60	10	3¾
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	2	0	5¼
	2	11	1½
	3	=	2¾

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:—

6	Bags of Flour	" lbs	Candles
2	Sacks Wholemeal	" lbs	Mould Candles
200	lbs Meat	" Cwt	Soap
"	Ton Oatmeal	lbs	Soda
1	Ton Indian Meal	4 lbs	Starch
250	Gallons Buttermilk	14 lbs	Malt
410	Gallons New Milk	1 lb	Hops
1	Cwt Salt		
12	lbs Tea		
88	lbs Sugar		
3	lbs Lump Sugar		
"	lb Pepper		
"	lb Ginger		
"	Cwt Rice		
1	Quarts Whiskey		
"	Doz Wine		
"	Doz of Large Porter		
1	Doz Small Porter		
"	Tons Coal		

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

1	Bags of Flour
60	lbs Meat
"	Cwts Oatmeal
"	Cwt Salt
28	Gallons New Milk
5	lbs Tea
20	lbs Sugar.
"	Cwt Rice
"	Doz Wine
"	Quarts Whiskey
1	lb Pepper
"	Tons Coal
4	lbs Candles
"	Cwt Soap
"	lbs Starch

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	0	5	3
In Kind, ...	0	0	0
Total	0	5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Wm Wadding	0-2-3			Bt. forwd.				
No. II.					No. IV.				
No. III.	John Furling	0-3-0			No. V.				
					No. VI.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
E. Simott Leather	13	10	
T. Prendergast Wearing	2	11	10

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

2. Establishment Account.

J. Moore Freestone	1	13	4
M. Morriss Matron of Fever Hospl. 1 month Salary	1	15	0
J. Roche Head Nurse do do	1	5	=
J. Halbrook Barber 9 weeks do	1	11	6
P. Furling Carpentry	1	4	=
J. Simott Hardware	12	11	11
J. Cullen Oils	4	6	4
E. Kavanagh Mustard &c	4	12	0
T. Prendergast Sundries	4	8	11

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
J. Cullen Washing Soda	=	9	6
E. Kavanagh Groceries	25	2	8
W. Alley Coals	94	16	3
J. H. Fitzsimons Oatmeal	35	0	0
E. Maddock New milk	11	19	7
J. Turnip Gas	5	19	3
E. Maddock New milk	11	19	7
P. Keating Buttermilk	8	6	8
T. Prendergast Baker's Wages	=	15	=

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

4. ~~Out-Door Relief Invoice~~ Account.

H. Burial Coffins	1	7	5
T. Prendergast Carriage of Paupers Electum &c	=	8	1

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

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

No Report from the Visiting Committee this week

The Masters Estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified viz. 1 Large Coffin 2 Small Coffins 1 Infants do 12 Dozen Iron Heels 10.000 Shoe Nails and 4 lb. Turnip Seed

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

A Schoolboy named Thomas Atkinson absended from the House on Monday last 29th Ultimo and has not since returned an Adult boy named Edward Byrne absended to day from the Workhouse Ground. This is the second time he left the premises without permission since his last admission

Ordered that these Boys be brought after their return before this Board by the Master,

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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 2156 M/57 dated 1st July 1857, requesting to be furnished with the required particulars respecting the Rates made and any New Rates agreed upon in the Union

No 17143/57 dated 3rd July 1857 notifying their approval of the arrangements made by the Board respecting the Relieving Officers &c &c

Ordered That the Commissioners be informed that the Board of Guardians when dispensing with the services of the three Relieving Officers did not consider it would be necessary that the Officer residing in Wexford should visit any out Stations but contemplated that the wardens acting for the Union and those who might be subsequently appointed would perform the duties hitherto discharged by the Relieving Officers whose services have been dispensed with, excepting the administration of out door relief; power to do which this Board most earnestly desire that the Commissioners would vest in the Wardens of this Union as cases might occur in the rural districts in which out door relief would be absolutely necessary. The Board considers

that the new arrangements will be properly carried out with the assistance of Wardens of this Union and that there does not exist any necessity for the Relieving Officer at Wexford visiting out stations as the necessary information in reference to applicants for Relief will be supplied to him by the Wardens and the Board with the view of having the new arrangements work still more effectively desire to appoint each guardian of the Union a Warden and request that the Commissioners will inform them whether there is any objection to such being done,

Notice of Motion

I hereby give Notice that I will on this day fortnight move that the Resolution of 27 June last that Mr James Grish of Wexford be the Relieving Officer for the Wexford Union be rescinded and that a new Election take place between any of the Officers that wish to hold the situation, and that the Relieving Officer reside in Wexford,

Board room July 4th 1857

(Signed) William Morriss

A Notice dated 2nd July 1857 from Mr Laurence Prendergast of Knottown requiring his name to be inserted in the last Rate made in the Electoral Division of Ardcavan as the occupier of Premises in the Townland of Knottown in said Division,

Ordered that the alterations required by

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	6
Ditto, disallowed	"
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	4

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	"
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	2
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 ...	2

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

Mr. Laurence Prendergast in the Rate Book of Ardcavan be made by the Clerk of the Union

The amount of the bills ordered to be paid on this day having exceeded the amount of the Balance standing in favor of the Guardians on the Treasurer's Book it was

Resolved that Messrs Vicary and Crosbie are hereby requested to wait on the Treasurer of the Union & request that until he has funds on his hands to the Credit of the Union, he will have the goodness to honor any cheques that may be presented to him from this Board

Resolved that the sum of £10 be allowed to the Proprietors of the Independent and People Newspapers respectively for the insertion of the Union advertisements for 12 Months from this date

Resolved that the following Tenders be accepted for 12 Months that the securities named in each case are approved by the Board - and the Master directed to retain the samples which accompanied the Tenders accepted on this day Viz:

Messrs Pitt Brothers to supply Printing and Stationary for 12 Months at 6 per Cent under the prices named in Thoms last published Catalogue

Mr. William Browne to supply 170 Gallons of New Milk per week at 5½ per gallon

Mr. Patrick Maddock to supply 100 Gallons of New Milk per week @ 6 per gallon

Mr. Edward Maddock to supply 100 Gallons of New Milk per week @ 6 per gallon

~~Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the~~

~~day of~~ ~~18~~

~~Clerk of the Union~~

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Mr. John Crosbie on the condition that he will supply any quantity not exceeding 200 Gallons per week that may be required over and above 370 gallons per week at 6 per gallon during the summer half year and 7 per gallon during the Winter half year

Mr. Michael Cleary to supply from 1 to 200 Gallons New Milk per week to the Fever Hospital at 6 per gallon

Mr. Simon Hayes to supply from 100 to 200 gallons Buttermilk per week @ 2d per gallon

Mr. James Hayden on the condition that he will supply any quantity of Buttermilk not exceeding 150 gallons per week that may be required over 200 gallons per week @ 2d per gallon for the Months of Novr. Decr. Janr. Febr. and 2d per gallon for the other 8 Months of the Year

Mr. B Murphy in the condition that he will supply very Best Beef and Mutton for 14½ per lb. the Beef to contain in every 112 lbs when cooked least 14 lb. Cone

Mr. William Trigg to supply per Dozen Sweeping Brushes No. 1 @ 30/- & No. 2 18/- Hand Whitewash Brushes No. 1 @ 30/- No. 2 @ 20/- Head Whitewash Brushes No. 1 @ 30/- No. 2 @ 20/- Dusting Brushes No. 1 @ 13/- Scrubbing Brushes No. 1 @ 18/- Blacklead Brushes No. 1 @ 12/- No. 2 @ 8/- Paint Brushes No. 1 @ 30/- No. 2 @ 12/- No. 3 @ 7/- and No. 4 @ 4/-

Mr. T. P. Rowlins to supply Coffins Large @ 1/8 each Small Coffins @ 2/8 each and Infants Coffins @ 1/3 each

Mr. Edmund Dimott to supply Butt Leather @ 1/6 per lb Slitter @ 1/8 per lb and Kip @ 3/4 per lb

Mr. Matthew Parle to supply quart Tins @ 4/- per Doz Pint Tins @ 3/- to bottom Tins @ 1/6 per Dozen and to repair Tins @ 7d per Dozen

Mr. A. Travanagh to supply Fine Suet @ 1/3 per Cwt

Mr. John Dimott to keep in repair the Pumps Pipes Sinks and Drains of the Workhouse and Fever Hospital for 15

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Mr. John Maddock to supply hardbricks @ 19/= per 1000 soft Bricks @ 14/= per 1000 - and sand @ 3 per load

Mr. John Cullen to supply Whitelead @ 34/= per Cwt Neatsfoot oil @ 5/= per fallon Boiled oil @ 4/6 per fallon Train Oil 4/ per fallon. Sweet oil @ 5/6 per fallon Spirits Turpentine @ 4/6 per fallon Black lead @ 1 per lb Bath bricks @ 1/= per dozen and Alum @ 1/= per lb

Mr. Joseph O'Brien - to supply per Thousand 2/= @ 7/6 - 1/8 nails @ 6/4 - 12 nails @ 3/8 - 10 nails @ 2/9 - 8 nails @ 2/6 - 6 nails @ 1/11 - 4 nails @ 1/6 and paring and sole nails @ 1/6 —

Mr. John Murphy to supply Clog soles @ 4/6 per dozen

Mr. John Sherlin to sweep the Chimneys of the Workhouse and Fever Hospital for the sum of £1-10-0

Mr. Stephen Doyle to supply Tea @ 3/4 per lb. Scale sugar @ 7 per lb Soap @ 32/= per Cwt Whiskey @ 11/6 per fallon Port Wine @ 30/= per Dozen Rice @ 20/= per Cwt Loaf Sugar @ 8 per lb Wax Candles 1/8 per lb and Porter @ 1/8 per doz

Mr. William Armstrong to supply ginger @ 8 per lb Pepper @ 1/1 per lb Mustard @ 10 per lb Logwood @ 1/6 per lb Copperas @ 1/= per lb Candles @ 7 per lb - Lard @ 9 per lb and Soda @ 1/= per stone

Mr. Richard O'Connor to supply Starch @ 5 per lb

Mr. Michael Walsh to supply Shoemakers hair @ 1/4 per oz. and Large Balls of Hemp from 1 to 2 per dozen

Messrs Cullen & O'Farrell to supply Shounding Calico @ 2½ per yard - Bley Calico @ 3 per yard Black Calico @ 5 per yard and Lung Cloth @ 4 per yard

Mr. Patrick Walsh to supply twilled Bley Calico @ 6 per yard Bengal Stripe @ 7 per yard Handkerchiefs @ 4½ each Combs @ 9 per dozen Ruches @ 2/3 per dozen Scissors @ 6 per pair Tape White & black @ 2 per dozen yards - and Cotton Balls @ 1/8 per lb

Mr. William Cannick to supply Bley Calico @ 4½ per yard

Mr. Peter Coghlan to supply studs @ 6. 8 & 10 per gross

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 4th day of July 1857,—*continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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 Charitie Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof* (or such other directions as may be given.)

Broadway *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. P. S. Waddy M.D. *for* 4 years Salary: *Amount* £ 25=0=0

Tagheen & Glynn Dispensary District

Mr. D. O'Connor M.D. 4 years Salary £25=0=0

Crossabeg Dispensary District

Mr. E. Goodall M.D. 4 years Salary £20=0=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 years ended _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *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 Committees; namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ (*state subject*)

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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

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Monday of July 1857.

William Davis Chairman

James Kehoe
Patrick Furlong

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(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851 .....52,503. Present Net Annual Value, ...£105,464 15s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of July 1857

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,	800	492
Permanent Buildings,	180	"
Additional Workhouse,	"	"
Permanent Fever Hospital	200	19
Fever Sheds,	40	"
TOTAL,	1120	511

	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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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.
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	35	138	56	52	61	52	63	16	38	510
Admitted during the week.	5	10	3	"	"	"	1	1	4	24
TOTAL.	40	148	59	52	61	52	64	17	42	534
Discharged during the week,	6	2	1	1	"	2	2	2	2	23
Died, - - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total Discharged and Dead,	6	2	1	1	"	2	2	2	2	23
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	34	141	58	51	61	49	62	15	40	511

RETURN OF SICK & 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.	7
In Fever Hospital.	19	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total,	109	Total,	11

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856 609

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Car. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 11th day of July 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. William Davis and Richard Wm. Doyle

Other Guardians: John Persiter, Robert Clifford, Patrick Fenlan, Michael Kehoe, Matthew Tracy, James Kelly, Walter Fenlan, Patrick Murphy, James Kehoe, Thomas Hore, and Matthew Tracy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4860 to No. 4869 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 10 to No. 22, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had complied with the Orders given by the Board on the 4th Inst.

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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, ... £288 - 11 - 4

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £37 - 0 - 5½

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.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,...							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Wexford, - -	"	"	"	130	11	8½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	130	11	8½
MARTIN KEHOE,.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcavan - -	"	"	"	2	14	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -	"	"	"	"	2	2
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Artramont, - -	"	"	"	1	5	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -	"	"	"	"	1	2
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	4	18	11
NICHOLAS ROCHE.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Anghwilliam, - -	"	"	"	"	9	1½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -	"	"	"	2	12	6½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	"	"	"	"	8	2½
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -	"	"	"	1	7	3½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	2	15	6
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	"	"	"	"	1	2½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	"	"	2	2
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	"	"	"	4	3	7½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	"	"	"	1	5	11
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	14	8	5½
JAMES REA ,.....							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -	"	"	"	1	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -	"	"	"	1	3	9½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -	"	"	"	"	4	5½
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -	"	"	"	1	5	"
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -	"	"	"	2	16	6½
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -	"	"	"	"	5	11½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	6	21	6½
THOMAS SHARPE...							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -	"	"	"	"	4	6
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -	"	"	"	"	2	"
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan, -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -	"	"	"	"	5	4
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -	"	"	"	"	"	9½
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Bannow, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	8½
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Duncormack, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Harristown, - -	"	"	"	"	3	1½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	2½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	"	16	8½
TOTAL.....							

RATE RETURN.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8½	2002	3	"	730	11	8½
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	574	15	8	4	18	11
NICHOLAS ROCHE.	do	1,053	19	6½	1039	11	3	14	8	3½
JAMES REA, ...	do	982	12	4½	976	16	6	5	16	10½
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2½	772	3	6	"	16	8½
	TOTAL.....	6,055	4	5	5365	10	11	755	14	6

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ " " " *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 £46 s. 1 d. 2½

Fever in Leger 48
Fever in Leger 54
Fever in Leger 58
Fever in Leger 54

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	46	1	2½
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	58	3	11½
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	1	11½
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	2	11½
		3	3½

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:—

6	Bags of Flour	" lbs	Candles		
2	Sacks Wholemeal	" lbs	Mould Candles		
200	lbs Meat	10 Cwt	Soap		
1	Ton Oatmeal	28 lbs	Soda		
"	Ton Indian Meal	" lbs	Starch		
200	Gallons Buttermilk	" lbs	Malt		
400	Gallons New Milk	" lb	Hops		
1	Cwt Salt	14 lb	White Lead		
14	lbs Tea	1 Gallon	Boiled Oil		
80	lbs Sugar	4 lbs	Russian Blue		
3	lbs Lump Sugar	2 Patent	Driers		
4	lb Pepper				
"	lb Ginger				
"	Cwt Rice				
"	Quarts Whiskey				
1	Doz Wine				
"	Doz of Large Porter				
"	Doz Small Porter				
"	Tons Coal				

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

1 Bag of	Flour
60 lbs	Meat
" Cwts	Oatmeal
" Cwt	Salt
28 Gallons	New Milk
4 lbs	Tea
4 lbs	Sugar
" Cwt	Rice
" Doz	Wine
" Quarts	Whiskey
" lb	Pepper
" Tons	Coal
" lbs	Candles
" Cwt	Soap
1 lb	Starch

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	"	5	3
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
Total	"	5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Wm Hadding	2 3			Bt. forwd.				
No. II.					No. IV.				
No. III.	Jas Stanford	3 0			No. V.				
					No. VI.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
W. Lewis Attn	5	16	8
T. Pendergast Mending	"	10	2

Folio in Ledger 62
Folio in Ledger 73

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
T. Pendergast Sundries	2	6	5

Folio in Ledger 75
Folio in Ledger 73

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
P. Kane Meat	22	20	4
M. O'Hearn Milk	9	15	10
T. Pendergast Salary of Baker	"	15	"

Folio in Ledger 78
Folio in Ledger 73

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

4. Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

The Queries were all answered favorably.
No. 6. There is a great improvement in the Children of both sexes.
No. 9. Their appearance is particularly clean and healthy.
The House generally is in a very satisfactory state. The Master Mr Furlong complains of the conduct of Mr Redmond the Agriculturist that he has absented himself twice without his permission and has disobeyed his directions (and the rules of the House,

Wm. July 1885

(Signed) F. Le Hunte,

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

Beg to report that Mr Redmond the Agriculturist deliberately refused to lock up the Dormitories on Saturday night when I asked him to do so. On Sunday evening last he was absent from the premises several hours without my knowledge. On Tuesday evening he absented himself again from the premises without my knowledge taking with him the key of the outer doors of the Workhouse - he returned at half past 10 O'Clock after the doors were locked when he threw the key over the wall of the Bathroom yard to Mr Dennis who brought it up to me. Anything he does at my request is done most reluctantly and my directions very often neglected entirely. His conduct towards me is not pleasant. Mr Whitmore Master Tailor being unable to attend here on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, he resumed his duties yesterday

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

Ordered that the charges contained in the foregoing Report have had been investigated & the Guardians were found to be correct. But that we are of opinion that the Officer committed the faults, under a misconception of the duties which he is bound to discharge, and that have directed him to be particularly cautious in observing any instructions that may be given him in future by the Master. And in the event of him considering himself aggrieved by any order that he will forthwith make a complaint in writing to the Board.

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. 15 / M 57 / dated 30th June 1857 stating that they have directed to be transmitted copies of their tenth Annual Report one of which should be kept by the Clerk with the other books and records of the Union in his charge.

No. 28477/5 / dated 10th July 1857 stating that they have had before them the resolution contained in Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of this Union on the 4th August in which it is stated that when dispensing with the services of three of the Relieving Officers employed in the Union, the Guardians were not aware that it would be necessary for the Relieving Officer residing in Shanaford to visit any out Stations & be.

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that there has been for several years before the Case.

Case of out door relief in this Union. And that it is not probable in its present improved state that there will be any necessity for administering out door relief except in case of accident or sudden illness, that the Guardians therefore have determined on trying how the new arrangements will be carried out by the Guardians before compelling the Relieving Officer at Shanaford to visit any out Stations, and that in the event of it appearing that proper facilities for obtaining admission to this Workhouse are not afforded to the poor by the Guardians, or that the poor will suffer any injury or inconvenience under the recent regulations the Board will at once oblige the Relieving Officer of the Union to visit such out Stations as they may consider necessary on such days and at such hours in each week as they may fix.

Resolved that Mr. James Sumitt of Ballybrack be appointed Warden for the Parish of Ispartnum & Mr. John Cullen of Grogroban for the Parish of Templeshard. Mr. James Doyle of Coolbawn for the Parish of St. Iberius. Mr. John Callan of Newbawn for the Parish of St. Helens and Mr. John Pagle of Churchtown for the Parish of Kilrane; that Notice be given to each by the Clerk

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	15
Ditto, disallowed	"
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	9

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	"
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	9
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved, by order of the Guardians was	9
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	4

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~~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.)~~

Clerk of his appointment & that he Clerk also transmit to each Warden of the Union a copy of the duties prescribed for Wardens by the Poor Law Commissioners,

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No 17743/57 dated 10th July 1857 requesting to be informed whether any report has been received by the Guardians from the Visiting Committee in reference to the suggestions contained in the Report made by Mr. W. J. Hamilton P.L.G. on the 23rd Ultimo,

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that the Visiting Committee have not yet reported to the Guardians on the subject.

No 17955/57 dated 11th July 1857 requesting the Board of Guardians to take proceedings for the recovery against Mr Rossiter and his sureties &c

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that the amount of Rates at present appearing due in the Electoral Division of Wexford, there is included a sum of about £150 assessed on premises unoccupied at the time the Rate was made and which must be deducted from the amount outstanding - and that with the view of ascertaining whether Mr Rossiter has discharged his duties as efficiently as circumstances would permit, they hereby appoint the Wexford Guardians with Mr Kearney a Committee to inspect the Collecting

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the day of 18 Clerk

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Book of Mr Rossiter and to report to the Board on this day fortnight - on which report the views of the Board of Guardians will be communicated to the Commissioners - the amount of Rate which he could have collected (if any) before this - the amount which can be collected forthwith - the amount which there will be delay in getting in. and the amount really irrecoverable, and the Clerk is directed to write to each Member of the Committee to inform him of this appointment. and the place and hour fixed for Meeting. and also to convey to Mr Rossiter the purport of the foregoing letter. and to state that the Committee will meet at the Mayor's Office on Thursday evening next at 8 o Clock for the purpose of making the examination.

Resolved that a Child named Michael Reilly aged about 8 years who has been brought here for admission by a Woman who has stated that she has kept the Child for the last 13 months. and that the father deserted the Child on March last. be admitted into this Workhouse - that the relief which will be afforded the Child be by way of Loan to the father Michael Reilly who it is thought is at present residing in Dublin and that legal proceedings be instituted against him by this Board as early as early practicable for

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for deserting his child. and for the Cost of the Child maintenance in this House.

Resolved that the Clerk advertise in the Local Newspapers for Tenders for the supply till 3rd 25th Inst. 1858 of the quantity of New Milk that may be required for the Workhouse over and above 50 Gallons per week already contracted for. and of the quantity of Buttermilk that may be required over and above the 100 Gallons of Buttermilk per week for the supply of which the Guardians have contracted. and that the Tenders will be received and considered on the 25th Instant,

Ordered that the Master is hereby permitted to absent himself from the Workhouse from this evening till tomorrow night,

Ordered that Mr Kearins Porter is allowed to be absent from the Workhouse on Thursday next,

Notice of Motion.

I hereby give notice that I will on this day week move that Catherine Fowler be removed from the Electoral Divisions of Rathaspick and Charfield to where the Guardians may consider her properly chargeable,

Boardroom 11th July 1857

(Signed) Walter [illegible]

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 185 ;—*continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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:—

There was no business under the above Acts transacted by the Board of Guardians at their Meeting held on Saturday the 11th July 1857.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 18th day of July 1857,

James M. Keans — pro Clk.

Pat. Pierse

Thomas Doyle

[illegible]

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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_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *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.)

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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

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,....£105,464 15s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of July 1857

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,	800	481
Permanent Buildings,	180	"
Additional Workhouse,	"	"
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	15
Fever Sheds,	40	"
TOTAL,	1120	496

	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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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.
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	34	141	58	51	61	49	62	15	40	511
Admitted during the week.	5	6	"	"	"	"	1	1	1	14
TOTAL	39	147	58	57	61	49	63	16	41	525
Discharged during the week,	10	7	"	"	1	2	3	"	2	27
Died, - - - -	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2
Total Discharged and Dead,	13	8	"	"	1	2	3	"	2	29
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	26	139	58	57	60	47	60	16	39	496

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	93	In separate Wards.	7
In Fever Hospital.	15	In Wards with other Lunatics	4
Total,	108	Total,	11

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 185 615

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Car. forward						

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Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 18th day of July 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, James M'Vicar Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians: Edmond William Tone J.P. Major John Harney J.P. John Walsh J.P. Matthew Pettitt J.P. John Porter, Stephen B. Stafford, Robert Thornton, John Lambert, John Cousin, Matthew Fauskhan, Michael Kehoe, Phelim Ryan, Matthew Tracy, William Davis, James Hope, James O'Reilly, Walter Furlong, Patrick Murphy, William Morris, William Cough, P. K. Furlong, Thos. Ryan, Jas. Barry, Jas. Furlong, Robinson, Jas. Rhodes, P. Rogers, Matthew Tracy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1870 to No. 1893, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 10 to No. 11, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he has complied with the Orders given by the Board on the 11th Instant,

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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, ... £ 21 - 0 - 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 92 - 14 - 0

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 108 - 14 - 2

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.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,...	Wexford, - -	20	"	"	710	17	8½
	TOTAL, -	20	=	=	710	17	8½
MARTIN KEHOE,.....	Ardcavan - -	1	"	"	1	14	10
	Ardcolm, - - -	"	"	"	"	1	"
	Artramont, - -	"	"	"	1	5	7½
	Kilpatrick, - -	"	"	"	"	11	9
	TOTAL, -	1	=	=	3	18	11
NICHOLAS ROCHE.....	Aughwilliam, - -	"	"	"	"	9	1½
	Ballynitty, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Carrig, - - -	"	"	"	2	12	0½
	Forth, - - -	"	"	"	"	8	2½
	Glynn, - - -	"	"	"	1	7	3½
	Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	2	15	6
	Killurin, - - -	"	"	"	"	17	7½
	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	"	"	11	7½
	Taghmon, - - -	"	"	"	4	3	6½
	Whitechurch, - -	"	"	"	1	3	"
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	14	8	3½
JAMES REA ,.....	Drinagh, - - -	"	"	"	1	"	"
	Killinick, - - -	"	"	"	1	3	9½
	Kilscoran, - -	"	"	"	"	4	5½
	Lady's Island, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Mayglass, - -	"	"	"	1	5	"
	Rosslare, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Rathaspeck, - -	"	"	"	2	16	6½
	St. Helen's, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Tacumshane, - -	"	"	"	"	5	7½
THOMAS SHARPE...	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	6	2	10
	Bridgetown, - -	"	"	"	"	4	6
	Kilmore, - - -	"	"	"	"	2	"
	Kilcowan, -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Newcastle, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Tomhaggard, - -	"	"	"	"	5	4
	Bannow, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	9½
	Duncormack, - -	"	"	"	"	"	8½
	Harristown, - -	"	"	"	"	4	7
	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	"	3	7½
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	"	18	8
TOTAL.....		[illegible]			[illegible]		

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8½	2123	3	"	710	17	8½
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856	510	14	7	575	15	8	3	18	11
NICHOLAS ROCHE.	do	1,053	19	6½	1039	11	3	14	8	2½
JAMES REA, ...	do	982	12	4½	976	9	6	5	16	8½
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2½	771	13	6	"	16	8½
TOTAL.....		6,055	4	5	5300	19	11	736	4	6

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ " " " 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 £ 53 s. 19 d. 4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	53	19	4
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	5	10	6
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	2	0
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	2	11
	3	10	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:—

6	Bags of Flour	" lbs	Candles
2	Sacks Wholemeal	" lbs	Mould Candles
200	lbs Meat	" Cwt	Soap
"	Ton Oatmeal	" lbs	Soda
"	Ton Indian Meal	" lbs	Starch
200	Gallons Buttermilk	14 lbs	Malt
400	Gallons New Milk	1 lb	Hops
2	Cwt Salt	4	Galens Barm
14	lbs Tea		
64	lbs Sugar		
3½	lbs Lump Sugar		
2	lb Pepper		
"	lb Ginger		
"	Cwt Rice		
4	Quarts Whiskey		
"	Doz Wine		
"	Doz of Large Porter		
1	Doz Small Porter		
"	Tons Coal		

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

" Bags of	Flour
48 lbs	Meat
" Cwts	Oatmeal
" Cwt	Salt
28 Gallons	New Milk
2 lbs	Tea
8 lbs	Sugar
" Cwt	Rice
" Doz	Wine
" Quarts	Whiskey
" lb	Pepper
" Tons	Coal
" lbs	Candles
" Cwt	Soap
" lbs	Starch

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 11 day of July 1857 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	"	5	3
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
Total	"	5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Jno Fradind				Bt. forwd.				
No. II.					No. IV.				
No. III.	Jno Fryland				No. V.				
					No. VI.				
Car. forwd					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.
T. Dempsey Carpenter	3	12	=
T. Rudersfort Painting	3	6	5

Folio in Ledger 75
Folio in Ledger 13

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.
M. Browne New Milk	42	=	2
T. Rudersfort Bakers Wages	4	15	=

Folio in Ledger 48
Folio in Ledger 13

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

4. *Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

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

No Report from the Visiting Committee this week.

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

The Masters estimate of requirements for the ensuing week has exquired and orders were duly made for the several articles specified viz: 36 Yards Rope for Lamps - 24 Yards Rope for Cart - 9 Large Offris - 5 Doz Paper Books and 5 Doz Beads.

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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 letter dated 16th July 1857 from Mr. Thomas Quill Manager of National Bank referring to the application recently made on behalf of the Board of Guardians for a temporary advance pending the collection of the new rate to the probable extent of £200 and stating that the Directors have sanctioned the Loan and that he shall have pleasure in honoring the drafts of the Guardians to that extent, but requests that the Guardians will make such arrangements as they may consider necessary to secure payment of Interest on the advance

Ordered that a portion of the amount of Interest which has accrued on the Rates lodged with the Union Treasurer, and Credited to Guardians in his a/c during the last year be appropriated to the payment of the Interest which may be charged on whatever amount the Guardians may find it necessary to draw until such time as the rate shall be

about

about to be made is in course of collection,

Ordered that Honora Murphy aged 5 Years be admitted on this day into this House. And that the relief which will be afforded her be by way of Loan to her father Martin Murphy who has deserted her,

Moved by Alderman Richard Shaw Land seconded by John Shaw Esq. J.P. and passed That a sum of £20 be allowed to Mary Doyle in addition to the £8 sent to her by her husband from Montreal and reported to in Guardians Minutes of 29th Ultimo, to enable herself and her four children all Inmates of this House to emigrate to that Place, that the £28 be borne by the Electoral Division of Gorey to which this family is chargeable and that the Commissioners be requested to issue the necessary Consent under seal to the proposed expenditure,

Resolved that the Tender of Mr Johanna of Fortune to supply Oatmeal for 3 months at 18 per Ton is accepted That the Securities named in her Tender are approved. and the Master directed to

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	9
Ditto, disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	5
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians	0
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	4

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~~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).~~

to retain the sample which accompanied the Tender.

A Tender was read from Mr Richard Leared offering to supply for 3 Months 4 lb Loaves of Bread produced from Seconds Flour for 7½ each. 4 lb Loaves produced from Wholemeal for 6½ each. Best & Seconds Flour at 39/- per Bad - Wholemeal at 38/6 per Sack and Indian Meal at 9/- 14/- 6 per Ton,

A Tender was read from Mr Nicholas Lambert offering to supply for 3 Months 4 lb loaves of Bread produced from Seconds Flour for 7½ each and Seconds Flour Best quality at 40/- per Bad.

Moved by Mr Jacob Whitty and seconded by Mr William Davis.

That bread be not baked in this House henceforward, and that Tenders for the supply of bread for the House be again advertised for.

Moved as an Amendment by Mr John Nash J.P. and seconded by Major John Harvey J.P.

That the Resolution here be continued and that the Tender of Mr Richd Leared to supply for 3 Months Best Second Flour at 39/- per Bad - Wholemeal at 38/6 per Sack and Indian Meal at 9/- 14/- 6 per Ton be accepted, that the securities named in his Tender be approved and that the sample which accompanied his Tender be kept by the Master,

~~Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the day of 18~~

The

~~Clerk of the Union.~~

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The Chairman declared the Amendment carried 23 having Voted for and 3 against it,

Moved by Parsonage & Notice by Mr William Morris and seconded by Mr Philip Byan,

That the Resolution of the 27th Ultimo appointing James Cusack Relieving Officer of the Union be rescinded, and that a new election take place between any of the Officers that wish to hold the situation and that the Relieving Officer reside in Wexford,

Moved by an Amendment by Colonel William Foole and seconded by James R Crosbie J.P.

That the Resolution of 27th Ultimo appointing Mr James Cusack Relieving Officer of the Union be adhered to,

Voted for the Amendment and 6 for the Original Motion,

The Chairman declared the Amendment carried.

Mr Walter Furlong withdrew the Notice given by him on Saturday last of his intention to move at this day that Catherine Foley be appointed from the Electoral Division

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2d Division of Rathaspick,

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 18th day of July 1857, *continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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.)

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *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-years ended _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *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 Committees; namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ (*state subject*)

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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 Commissioners ~~dated~~ ~~stating that~~ No. 16635/57 dated 14th July 1857 transmitting for the information of the Guardians a copy of a letter which the Commissioners have addressed to the Committee of Management of Crossabeg Dispensary District in reference to the eligibility of persons in the Coast Guard service for Relief under the Medical Charities Act, &c

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 25th day of July 1857.

James M. Deane Chairman
William Davis
James Barry

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of July 1857

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,	800	464
Permanent Buildings,	180	"
Additional Workhouse,	"	"
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	94
Fever Sheds,	40	"
TOTAL,	1120	478

	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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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.
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	26	39	58	51	60	47	60	16	39	496
Admitted during the week.	7	5	"	2	"	1	"	"	1	16
TOTAL	33	44	58	53	60	48	60	16	40	512
Discharged during the week,	14	9	"	2	1	1	"	2	4	33
Died,	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1
Total Discharged and Dead,	14	9	"	3	1	1	"	2	4	34
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	19	35	58	50	59	47	60	14	36	478

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	80	In separate Wards.	7
In Fever Hospital.	14	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total.	94	Total.	11

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856 596

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Br. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 25th day of July 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, James M. Vicars Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians: Patrick Lacey. Michael Kehoe. Patk. Roche. James Roche. William Davis. James Ffore. Walter Fulong. Thomas Ffore and James Barry.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4896 to No. 4907 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 11 to No. 11, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he has complied with the Orders given by the Board on 18th Inst.

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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, ... £ 30 . 0 . 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 67 . 13 . 9

And that the Balance on the Account Against *the Guardians was* £ 46 . 7 . 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,...							
Folio in leger / Folio in leger	*Wexford,* - -	30	=	=	680	27	8½
	TOTAL, -	30	=	=	680	27	8½
MARTIN KEHOE,.....							
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Ardcavan* - -	1	=	=	1	14	10
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Ardcolm,* - - -	=	=	=	=	22	2
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Artramont,* - -	=	=	=	1	5	4
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Kilpatrick,* - -	=	=	=	=	22	6
	TOTAL, -	=	=	=	3	18	11
NICHOLAS ROCHE.....							
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Aughwilliam,* - -	=	=	=	1	9	7½
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Ballynitty,* - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Carrig,* - - -	=	=	=	2	10	0½
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Forth,* - - -	=	=	=	=	8	2½
Folio in leger / Folio in Leger	*Glynn,* - - -	=	=	=	1	2	3½
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Harperstown,* - -	1	=	=	2	15	6
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Killurin,* - - -	=	=	=	=	12	2½
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Kilbride,* - - -	=	=	=	=	11	2
Folio in leger / Folio in Leger	*Taghmon,* - - -	=	=	=	4	3	2½
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Whitechurch,* - -	=	=	=	1	5	6
	TOTAL, -	=	=	=	14	8	3½
JAMES REA ,.....							
Folio in leger / Folio in Leger	*Drinagh,* - - -	=	=	=	1	=	=
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Killinick,* - - -	=	=	=	1	3	9½
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Kilscoran,* - -	=	=	=	=	4	5½
Folio in leger / Folio in leger	*Lady's Island,* - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger / Folio in leger	*Mayglass,* - -	=	=	=	1	5	=
Folio in Leger / Folio in leger	*Rosslare,* - - -	=	=	=	=	=	6
Folio in leger / Folio in leger	*Rathaspeck,* - -	=	=	=	2	16	2
Folio in leger / Folio in leger	*St. Helen's,* - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Tacumshane,* - -	=	=	=	=	5	7½
	TOTAL, -	=	=	=	6	2	10½
THOMAS SHARPE...							
Folio in leger / Folio in leger	*Bridgetown,* - -	=	=	=	=	4	6
Folio in Leger / Folio in leger	*Kilmore,* - - -	=	=	=	=	9	=
Folio in leger / Folio in leger	*Kilcowan,* -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Newcastle,* - -	=	=	=	=	5	=
Folio in Leger / Folio in leger	*Tomhaggard,* - -	=	=	=	=	=	4½
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Bannow,* - - -	=	=	=	=	=	8½
Folio in Leger / Folio in leger	*Duncormack,* - -	=	=	=	=	=	4½
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Harristown,* - -	=	=	=	=	=	8½
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Killag,* - - -	=	=	=	=	3	4½
	TOTAL, -	=	=	=	=	16	8½
TOTAL.....		30	=	=	680	27	8½

RATE RETURN.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8½	2,053	3	4	680	27	8½
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	525	18	8	3	18	11
NICHOLAS ROCHE, ...	do	1,053	19	6½	939	22	3	14	8	3½
JAMES REA, ...	do	982	12	4½	976	9	6	6	2	10½
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2½	771	3	4	1	16	8½
	TOTAL.....	6,055	4	5	5,330	19	11	704	4	7

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 4 . — . — *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 £ 79 s. 1 d. 6 4

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	79	1	6½
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	57	4	3½
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	4	2	0½
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	4	2	11½

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:—

6 Bags of	Flour	4 lbs	Candles
2 Sacks	Wholemeal	4 lbs	Mould Candles
200 lbs	Meat	4 Cwt	Soap
4 Ton	Oatmeal	4 lbs	Soda
1 Ton	Indian Meal	2 lbs	Starch
200 Gallons	Buttermilk	4 lbs	Malt
390 Gallons	New Milk	4 lb	Hops
1 Cwt	Salt		
18 lbs	Tea		
112 lbs	Sugar		
3 lbs	Lump Sugar		
7 lb	Pepper		
4 lb	Ginger		
4 Cwt	Rice		
4 Quarts	Whiskey		
4 Doz	Wine		
2 Doz of	Large Porter		
6 Doz	Small Porter		
4 Tons	Coal		

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

2 Bags of	Flour
48 lbs	Meat
4 Cwts	Oatmeal
4 Cwt	Salt
25 Gallons	New Milk
3 lbs	Tea
12 lbs	Sugar
5 Cwt	Rice
1 Doz	Wine
4 Quarts	Whiskey
4 lb	Pepper
4 Tons	Coal
4 lbs	Candles
4 Cwt	Soap
4 lbs	Starch
1 lb	Aromatic

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 18 *day of* July *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	4	5	3
In Kind, ...	—	—	—
Total	4	5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Wm Stoddart	8 . 3			Bt. forwd.				
No. II.					No. IV.				
No. III.	Ow Tuckey	3 . 0			No. V.				
					No. VI.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
P. Coghlan Calico	3	15	=
Folio in Ledger 62			
Folio in Ledger 13			

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
D. Wood and R. Officer Month's Salary	2	16	3
D. Walsh do do	2	10	=
D. England do do	2	10	=
D. Hennick Schoolmaster do	2	10	=
J. Greene Apprenticing for 4 Year	2	10	=
D. Lean Books &c	21	10	6
T. Prendergast Furniture	8	12	7
Folio in Ledger 75			
Folio in Ledger 13			

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Folio in Ledger 48 — T. Prendergast Bakers Wages	"	15	=
Folio in Ledger 13 — Debit Workhouse Invoice a/c and Credit Treasurer with above sum			
William Waddings a/c			
Folio in Ledger 91 — W. Wadding Out door Relief	1	18	3
Folio in Ledger 13 — Debit Wm. Waddings a/c and Credit Treasurer with above sum			
John Furlongs a/c			
Folio in Ledger 13 — J. Furlong Out door Relief	2	11	=
Folio in Ledger 13 — John Furlongs a/c			

Debit ~~Workhouse Invoice~~ Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

Election Kt. ~~Out Door Relief Invoice~~ Account.

	£	s.	d.
Folio in Ledger 107 — T. Prendergast Carriage of Papers		2	6
Folio in Ledger 13			
Election Kt.			

Credit Treasurer and Debit ~~Out Door Relief Invoice~~ Account with the several sums as above.

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

No Report from the Visiting Committee this Week.

Report of Catholic Chaplain read

Examined the Children in the Schools and found them in a fair state of improvement. These in the Defaut School are very much improved.

29th July 1857

(Signed) P. Murphy

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

There are slates off several parts of the roof of the building which require to be replaced. Many of the Tiles are loose and require to be cemented for which a Cask of Cement is wanted. We would suggest that it be done by Contract.

Ordered that a sum of £3. 10. 0 be allowed to Mr. Henrick Mason for doing the work required on the roof of the House, he to find himself in scaffolding and attendance.

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

The Masters estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and orders were duly made for the several articles specified viz. 1 Dozen Gross Studs, 1 Large Coffin, 5 Yards Barragon, 6 Bottles Leather, 4 Doz Rack Combs, 4 Doz Fine Combs, 4 Doz Thimbles and 3 lbs Starch,

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. 15085/57 dated 21st July 1857 requesting to be informed what answer has been received from Matthew Colfer's Sureties to the communication which the Clerk on the 30th May last was directed to address to them, be it

Ordered that as the Sureties of Matthew Colfer late Poor Rate Collector of this Union have not replied to the last letter addressed to them by the Clerk - the Clerk is hereby directed to write again to the Sureties to request that they will inform the Board the earliest period at which they will pay the balance due by them to this Board on account of Mr Colfer's default,

No. 175 M/57 dated 22nd July 1857 requiring a Return in the enclosed Form in pursuance of an Order of the House of Commons dated [illegible]

No. 19310/57 dated 24th July 1857 recommending the Guardians to obtain a Warrant against the father of the Child Honora Murphy for deserting her,

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that the Board of Guardians would on Saturday last have directed legal proceedings to be instituted against Murphy for deserting his child, but that they were made aware by the Relieving Officer that he was not at present residing in this Country, should he return to this place and the fact be made known to the Guardians they will act on the Counsel communicated by the Commissioners in the preceding letter,

No. 18617/57 dated 24th July 1857 stating that they consider it of importance that a weekly visit should be made by the Relieving Officer to certain of the most important Stations in the Union at hours and days fixed for the purpose,

Ordered that the suggestions contained in this letter be considered on this day month,

No. 19510/57 dated 24th July 1857 transmitting a Form in which the particulars required in regard to the

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	9
Ditto, disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	9

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	
Ditto, ditto, 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 ...	

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

the proposed equipment of Margaret Doyle and her four Children should be stated, &c &c

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Letter dated 24th July 1857 from Mr Laurence Fortune of Rathaspick stating that he cannot act as a Warden,

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Letter dated 29th July 1857 from Rev Patrick Keating P.P. of Piercestown stating that he cannot undertake to perform the duties of Warden,

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Letter dated 23rd July 1857 from Rev Abraham Goff Rector of Duncormack stating that he will act as Warden, and requesting to be informed whether his power as Warden is coextensive with the Bannow Dispensary District and to be furnished with the usual Forms required to be filled,

Proposed that the Clerk write to Rev Mr Goff to inform him that he has been appointed Warden for the several Parishes and portions of Parishes comprising the Bannow Dispensary District, and that Ticket Check Book have been forwarded to him by Mr Barry of the Bannow Electoral Division

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Resolved that the Tender of Mr Richard Rice to convert present Infant School room into an Office for the Clerk of the Union and for that purpose to lay ceiling joists 4in by 1½in, and to lath, Cel. Plaster and Skirt it, to floor present landing place, to break out door way into Boarding room, and to provide, erect and paint a half glass panel door, to remove benches out of it, and to erect in it the Chimney piece, and gate at present in small room of Board room, and to build up fireplace in small room if necessary for the sum of £14-10-0 finding all materials is accepted, Also that his Tender for the providing erection, and painting of Shelves 10 feet long, and 9in by 6in wide, according to the Sketch which accompanied the Tender for the sum of £6-10-0 and at same rate for any additional portion the Board may order is accepted,

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Resolved that the Tender of Mr William Browne to supply the Workhouse till 3rd July 1858 with the Quantity of New Milk that may be required over and above 37½ Gallons per week at 9d per Gallon is accepted, and the Securities named in the Tender approved by the Board,

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Resolved that the Tender of Mr Shell

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That Keating of Davidstown be supplied till 3rd July 1858 from the following to the number of Gallons of Buttermilk for Poor at the rate of 2d per Gallon during the Summer half year and at 3½d per Gallon during the Winter half year is accepted and the Securities named in the Tender approved.

Resolved that Mr John Maher Ruckbine be appointed a Warden for the Parish of Ambrosetown and Mr Patrick Stafford of Maddingtown a Warden for the Parish of Ballycannick and that the Clerk give notice to each of the appointments.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 25th day of July 1857,—*continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 1849.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Crossabeg *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 that the Clerk send to Messrs P & J Leslie and Co a list of the Medicines required for Crossabeg Dispensary District with a request that they will supply them immediately.

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.)

Wexford *Dispensary District*

Account of Mr. Wm Trigg *for* a Brush : *Amount £* 0-2-9

Filed in Lefr 110	" T O'Leary Books &c	3-18-4
Filed in Lefr 13	Broadway Dispensary District	
Filed in Lefr 111	T. O'Leary Books &c	1-6-0
Filed in Lefr 13	Bridgetown Dispensary District	
Filed in Lefr 112	W. T. O'Leary Books &c	1-11-0
Filed in Lefr 13	Bannow Dispensary District	
Filed in Lefr 113	W. T. O'Leary Books	1-0-0
Filed in Lefr 13	Taghmon & Glynn Dispensary District	
Filed in Lefr 114	W. T. O'Leary Book	1-17-11
Filed in Lefr 13	Crossabeg Dispensary District	
Filed in Lefr 115	W. T. O'Leary Books	1-6-0
Filed in Lefr 13		

(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-years ended _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *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 Committees; namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ (*state subject*)

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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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 1st day of August 1857.

James M. Keane pro Ch.
William Davis
James Whitty

Thos Prendergast
Clk of Union

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851 .....52,503. Present Net Annual Value, ...£105 464 15s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of August 1857

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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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,	800	446										
Permanent Buildings,	180	"										
Additional Workhouse,	"	"										
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	12										
Fever Sheds,	40	"										
TOTAL,	1120	458										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			19	35	58	50	59	47	60	14	36	418
Admitted during the week.			1	7	"	1	"	"	"	"	1	10
TOTAL			20	42	58	51	59	47	60	14	37	428
Discharged during the week,			9	9	2	3	3	2	"	"	5	32
Died, - - - -			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total Discharged and Dead,			9	9	2	3	3	2	"	"	5	32
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			11	33	56	48	57	45	60	14	32	396

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	84	In separate Wards.	7
In Fever Hospital.	12	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total.	96	Total.	11

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856 558

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 25th day of July authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Car. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the First day of August 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, James N. Vicars Esq. J.P. and Thos. J. Flood Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians: Francis Leigh J.P. John Nash J.P. William Cousk. Patrick Furlong. Michael Murphy. William Davis. James Whitty. James R. Crosbie. James Murphy. & William Hamilton Esq. Poor Law Inspector was also present.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1908 to No. 1923 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 10 to No. 11, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had complied with the Orders given by the Board on the 25th Ultimo,

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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, ... £ 15 . 0 . 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 6 . 3 . 4

And that the Balance on the Account Against *the Guardians was* £ 198 . 11 . 16

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.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,...							
Folio in leger / Folio in leger	*Wexford,* - -	15	4	4	668	18	8¾
	TOTAL, -	15	=	=	668	18	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,.....							
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Ardcavan* - -	4	4	4	1	14	10
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Ardcolm,* - - -	4	4	4	4	7	7
Folio in Leger / Folio in Lege.	*Artramont,* - -	4	4	4	1	5	4
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Kilpatrick,* - -	4	4	4	4	11	6
	TOTAL, -	4	4	4	3	18	11
NICHOLAS ROCHE.....							
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Aughwilliam,* - -	4	4	4	4	9	1½
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Ballymitty,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Carrig,* - - -	4	4	4	2	12	0½
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Forth,* - - -	4	4	4	4	8	2½
Folio in leger / Folio in Leger	*Glynn,* - - -	4	4	4	1	2	3½
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Harperstown,* - -	4	4	4	2	15	6
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Killurin,* - - -	4	4	4	4	11	4½
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Kilbride,* - - -	4	4	4	4	11	4½
Folio in leger / Folio in Leger	*Taghmon,* - - -	4	4	4	4	3	4½
Folio in Leger / folio in Leger	*Whitechurch,* - -	4	4	4	4	5	=
	TOTAL, -	4	4	4	14	8	3½
JAMES REA ,.....							
Folio in leger / Folio in Leger	*Drinagh,* - - -	4	4	4	1	4	4
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Killinick,* - - -	4	4	4	1	5	9½
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Kilscoran,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	3½
Folio in leger / folio in leger	*Lady's Island,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	3½
Folio in Leger / Folio in leger	*Mayglass,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger / folio in leger	*Rosslare,* - - -	4	4	4	1	5	4
Folio in leger / Folio in leger	*Rathaspeck,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in leger / folio in leger	*St. Helen's,* - -	4	4	4	2	16	6½
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Tacumshane,* - -	4	4	4	4	5	7½
	TOTAL, -	4	4	4	6	2	10
THOMAS SHARPE...							
Folio in leger / Folio in leger	*Bridgetown,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	6
Folio in Leger / Folio in leger	*Kilmore,* - - -	4	4	4	4	9	4
Folio in leger / folio in leger	*Kilcowan,* -	4	4	4	4	9	4
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Newcastle,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger / folio in leger	*Tomhaggard,* - -	4	4	4	4	5	4
Folio in Leger / folio in Leger	*Bannow,* - - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger / folio in leger	*Duncormack,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	8½
Folio in Leger / folio in Leger	*Harristown,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	8½
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	*Killag,* - - -	4	4	4	4	5	4
	TOTAL, -	4	4	4	4	4	8½
	TOTAL.....	[illegible]			[illegible]		

RATE RETURN.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8¾	2168	3	4	668	18	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	575	15	8	3	18	11
NICHOLAS ROCHE.	do	1,053	19	6¼	1039	11	3	14	8	3¼
JAMES REA, ...	do	982	12	4½	976	9	6	6	2	10½
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2½	771	3	6	4	16	8½
	TOTAL.....	6,055	4	5	5345	11	11	691	4	8

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 38 s. 14 d. 7

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	38	14	7
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	54	0	3¼
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	4	2	0
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	4	2	11½

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:—

5 Bags of	Flour	4 lbs	Candles
3 Sacks	Wholemeal	4 lbs	Mould Candles
1120 lbs	Meat	1 Cwt	Soap
1 Ton	Oatmeat	4 lbs	Soda
4 Ton	Indian Meal	2 lbs	Starch
210 Gallons	Buttermilk	4 lbs	Malt
380 Gallons	New Milk	4 lb	Hops
4 Cwt	Salt		
1 lbs	Tea		
20 lbs	Sugar		
3 lbs	Lump Sugar		
4 lb	Pepper		
4 lb	Ginger		
4 Cwt	Rice		
4 Quarts	Whiskey		
4 Doz	Wine		
4 Doz of	Large Porter		
4 Doz	Small Porter		
4 Tons	Coal		

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

4 Bags of	Flour
50 lbs	Meat
4 Cwts	Oatmeal
4 Cwt	Salt
24 Gallons	New Milk
3 lbs	Tea
18 lbs	Sugar
4 Cwt	Rice
4 Doz	Wine
4 Quarts	Whiskey
4 lb	Pepper
4 Tons	Coal
4 lbs	Candles
4 Cwt	Soap
4 lbs	Starch

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 25 *day of* July *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	[illegible]		
In Kind, ...	[illegible]		
Total	[illegible]		

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Jacquish	[illegible]			Bt. forwd.				
No. II.					No. IV.				
No. III.					No. V.				
Carried forwd.					No. VI.				
					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast Shearing	1	4	4

Folio in Ledger 62
Folio in Ledger 14

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

M. Morris Matron of Hospital Quarter's Salary	1	15	-
E. Roche Nurse do do	1	5	-
J. Doyle Sugar (Lump) for Hospital	"	10	11
T. Prendergast Grocries	4	17	3

Folio in Ledger 75
Folio in Ledger 13 & 14

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.
J. Doyle Groceries	42	17	7
R. Kavanagh do	6	"	5
R. Leared Flour &	180	"	1
J. H. Fortune Oatmeal	17	10	-
E. Maddock Skimmilk	7	9	4
E. Maddock do	7	9	5
J. Hayden Buttermilk	18	12	4
T. Prendergast Bakers bags	"	15	-

Folio in Ledger 49
Folio in Ledger 13 & 14

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

Electrics, ~~Out-Door Relief Invoice~~ *Account.*

Eileen & J. Farrell. Clothes for F. Rowlin Deaf mute Electrics	1	7	4

Folio in Ledger 107
Folio in Ledger 13

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

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

No Report from the Visiting Committee this week.

Report of Protestant Chaplain read,

Rev William Cooke desires to express himself as highly satisfied with the progress of the protestant Children under the Care of Miss Harper, in regard to their secular education,
31st July 1857.

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

The Masters Estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and orders were duly made for the several articles specified viz- 5 Cl Lump Sugar - 200 Hand Cards, 100 Slates, 5 Barrels Lime for White-washing, 2 Dz Fire Sticks - 1 Cask Tenpent, 3 Cl Lard, 7 Cl Cabbage seeds, & 20 Barrels Lime for Lands,

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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. 19890/57 dated 31st July 1857 requesting the Guardians to fix upon the outstations, and the days and hours at which the Relieving Officer is to visit them, at an earlier date than that specified in Minute of 25th Ultimo,

Ordered that Dillinick and Taghmon are hereby fixed upon as outstations, and the Relieving Officer directed to visit the Dillinick station every Tuesday at 12 O'Clock noon, and the Taghmon station every Thursday at same hour for the purpose of receiving applications for relief - that the Clerk be instructed to have Notices for the information of the poor printed and posted throughout the Union, setting forth the hours and places at which the Relieving Officer will attend, and also the names and residence of the persons who have been appointed for the Parishes and portions of Parishes comprising this Union.

No 19574/57

No 19574/57 dated 31st July 1857 suggesting to the Guardians the propriety of renewing their application to the Sureties of Matthew Colfer for payment of the balance still due by them,

The Clerk reported that agreeably with the order given to him by the Board on Saturday last, he wrote to the sureties of Colfer on the 28th Ultimo requesting them to inform the Board the earliest period at which they could pay the balance due by them to the Board on account of Colfer's default, and that he received no reply.

Ordered that the Clerk write again to the sureties of Colfer to inform them that if they do not answer on or before the 15th Instant the letter addressed to them by the Clerk on the 28th Ultimo, the Board will put their Bond in suit against them without delay.

A letter dated 31st July 1857 from John Rowe Esq. Proprietor of Ballymony Flax Mills stating that he would be glad to get from this House 10 industrious girls willing to work that he will supply them with House and bedding - and that he expects the Guardians

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	0
Ditto, disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	24

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	2
Ditto, ditto, 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	1
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	4

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~~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).~~

Guardians will provide them with Clothes, Ordered that the Clerk write to Mr Rowe to inform him that there are 77 able bodied females in this House who have expressed their willingness to hire with him - and that in the event of his not requiring that number that himself or his Agent. can come here and select those who are best adapted for the work which they will be required to execute, and that when engaged by him the Board will supply each with Clothes.

Resolved that the following persons are appointed Nurses for the several Parishes and portions of Parishes comprising Bryanstown Dispensary District, and that the Clerk give notice to each of the appointment, Mrs Doyle for Percy Stradbally & Ballyfin, Mr Patrick Lambert of Ballycushlane & Mr John Rose Ballaghro, Mr Matthew Greene of Milltown and Rev Hyacinth Twomey of Duncannon Glebe,

That Mr John Callan of Duncannon & and Mr John Neill of Pearsonstown are appointed Wardens for the several Parishes and portions of Parishes comprising Bannow Dispensary District, and Mr Darby Lyons of Bishopstown a Warden for the Parish of Whitechurch Glynn, and that the Clerk give notice to each of the appointment,

~~Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the~~

~~day of~~ ~~18~~

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~~Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Wexford Union, on Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 185 . —continued.~~

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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:~~

There was no business under the above acts transacted by the Board of Guardians at their Meeting held on Saturday the 1st August 1857.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday the 8th August 1857.

James M. Neary Pro Ch.n
James Whitty
Pat. Reynolds

~~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.)

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *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-years ended _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *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 Committees; namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ (*state subject*)

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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

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,.....£105,464 15s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of August 1857

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,	800	426
Permanent Buildings,	180	"
Additional Workhouse,	"	
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	13
Fever Sheds,	40	"
TOTAL,	1120	439

	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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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.
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	11	133	56	48	57	45	60	14	32	456
Admitted during the week.	2	4	1	2	2	1	"	"	3	15
TOTAL	13	137	57	50	59	46	60	14	35	471
Discharged during the week,	3	12	3	2	4	1	3	"	3	32
Died, - - - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	1
Total Discharged and Dead,	3	12	3	2	4	1	3	"	4	33
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	10	125	54	48	55	45	57	14	31	438

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
In Workhouse Hospital.	76	In separate Wards. 7
In Fever Hospital.	13	In Wards with other Inmates 4
	Total, 89	Total, 11

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856 557

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 1st day of August authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Car. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a meeting held on Saturday, the Eighth day of August 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, James N. Vicars Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians: John Walsh J.P. Frederick J. Floyd J.P. John Poole Esq. John Forster, Nicholas Fulong, John Barry, Robt. Chiffey, Patk. Fulong, Patk. Roche, James Poole, James Whitty, Patk. Murphy, Thos. Wm. Jas. Crabie and Patrick Frayne,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4,924 to No. 4,933, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 10 to No. 21, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had complied with the Orders given him by the Board on 1st Inst.

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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, ... £ 305 - 3 - 4

And that the Balance on the Account Against *the Guardians was £ 503 - 14 - 10*

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,...							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Wexford, - -	—	—	—	665	17	8¾
	TOTAL, -	—	—	—	665	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcavan - -	—	—	—	1	24	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -	—	—	—	—	7	7
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Artramont, - -	—	—	—	1	5	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -	—	—	—	—	11	2
	TOTAL, -	—	—	—	3	18	11
NICHOLAS ROCHE.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Anghwilliam, - -	—	—	—	—	9	1¾
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -	—	—	—	—	—	—
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -	—	—	—	—	—	—
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	—	—	—	2	12	2
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -	—	—	—	—	8	2¾
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	—	—	—	1	7	3¼
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	—	—	—	2	15	6
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	—	—	—	—	7	7¼
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	—	—	—	—	11	11¼
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	—	—	—	4	3	7¼
	TOTAL, -	—	—	—	14	8	3¾
JAMES REA ,.....							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -	—	—	—	1	—	—
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -	—	—	—	1	3	9¾
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -	—	—	—	—	4	5¾
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	—	—	—	—	—	—
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -	—	—	—	1	5	—
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -	—	—	—	—	—	—
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -	—	—	—	2	16	6
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -	—	—	—	—	—	—
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -	—	—	—	—	5	9½
	TOTAL, -	—	—	—	6	2	10
THOMAS SHARPE...							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -	—	—	—	—	4	6
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -	—	—	—	—	9	—
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan, -	—	—	—	—	—	—
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -	—	—	—	—	—	—
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -	—	—	—	—	5	4
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Bannow, - - -	—	—	—	—	—	9¾
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Duncormack, - -	—	—	—	—	—	8¼
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Harristown, - -	—	—	—	—	—	6¼
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -	—	—	—	—	—	1½
	TOTAL, -	—	—	—	—	16	8¼
	TOTAL.....						

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8¾	2168	3	—	665	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	575	15	8	3	18	11
NICHOLAS ROCHE.	do	1,053	19	6¼	1059	11	3	14	8	3¾
JAMES REA, ...	do	982	12	4¾	976	9	6	6	2	10¾
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2¾	771	13	3	—	16	8¼
	TOTAL.....	6,055	4	5	5345	19	1	709	4	4

RATE RETURN.

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ — — — 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 £ 50 s. 10 d. 6½

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	50	10	6½
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	50	16	0¾
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	1	11¾
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	3	0
	"	3	2¾

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:—

5	Bags of	Flour	— lbs	Candles	
2	Sacks	Wholemeal	— lbs	Mould Candles	
200	lbs	Meat	— Cwt	Soap	
—	Ton	Oatmeal	2 lbs	Soda	
—	Ton	Indian Meal	2 lbs	Starch	
200	Gallons	Buttermilk	— lbs	Malt	
370	Gallons	New Milk	— lb	Hops	
—	Cwt	Salt			
16	lbs	Tea			
64	lbs	Sugar			
4½	lbs	Lump Sugar			
—	lb	Pepper			
—	lb	Ginger			
1	Cwt	Rice			
—	Quarts	Whiskey			
1	Doz	Wine			
—	Doz of	Large Porter			
—	Doz	Small Porter			
—	Tons	Coal			

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

1	Bags of	Flour
60	lbs	Meat
—	Cwts	Oatmeal
—	Cwt	Salt
14	Gallons	New Milk
3	lbs	Tea
16	lbs	Sugar
—	Cwt	Rice
—	Doz	Wine
2	Quarts	Whiskey
—	lb	Pepper
—	Tons	Coal
—	lbs	Candles
—	Cwt	Soap
—	lbs	Starch

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 9th day of August whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
In Kind, ...	—	—	—
Total	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Jas Rourke	53			Bt. forwd.				
No. II.					No. IV.				
No. III.					No. V.				
Bt. forwd.					No. VI.				
					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

Compensation ~~Clothing~~ Account.

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast & Grievers & Compensation to Montreal & Margaret Doyle and four Children. Charge Paid & Receipt Given	90	=	=

Folio in Ledger 60 Compensation
Folio in Ledger 14

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Harvey & Co Butcher part of Fever Hospital Account to 1st May 1857	3	13	8
T. Prendergast & Sundries	2	13	11

Folio in Ledger 95
Folio in Ledger 14

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast & Baker's salary	4	15	=

Folio in Ledger 49
Folio in Ledger 14

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

4. Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

No Report from the Visiting Committee this week

The Master's estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and orders were duly made for the several articles specified viz:- 500 Sixpenny nails, 1 Cask green paint, 18 lbs Whiting - 5 Padlock Keys - Brushes Oil &c, 5 Cwt Prepared Flax.

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

On Saturday last I received an order from the Board to Mr Harper for 7 Cwt Cabbage Seed at 3/- per lb - he sent up the seed but will charge 4/6 per lb for it, if kept, in consequence none of the seed is ~~unused~~ I wish to know am I to keep the seed at the price or return it,

Part of the Fever Hospital and its boundary wall require to be whitewashed - there is no one in the House at present capable of doing it,

Ordered that the seed sent here by Mr Harper at 4/6 per lb be retained, and that the Master employ a person to whitewash in the cheapest terms such portions of the Hospital and premises as may be pointed out to him by Mr Crosbie,

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

No. 19936/57 dated 4th August 1857 Consenting to a sum of £20 being allowed out of the Rates for the purpose of assisting to defray the expenses of the emigration to Montreal of Martha Doyle and her four children, inmates of this Union chargeable to the Electoral Division of Wexford,

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. 17706/57 dated 1st August, 1857 requesting to be furnished with the required particulars respecting the Rate made and any new Rate agreed upon in the Union,

No. 18106/57 dated 6th August 1857 stating that their attention has been drawn to the circumstance that a practice prevails in many Unions of admitting a class of persons to the Workhouse termed "Nightly Lodgers" the admission being avoided by for one night only before being discharged and Resolved that it is the desire of this Board to carry out the instructions contained in this letter and hereby direct that a copy of it be furnished by the Clerk to the Master of the Workhouse, and also to the Relieving Officer of the Union for their information and future guidance,

No. 20413/57 dated 7th August 1857 notifying their approval of the arrangements entered into by the Board on Saturday last respecting the Outstations to be visited by the Relieving Officer,

A letter dated 7th August 1857 from Mr James Corish Relieving Officer stating that he is quite satisfied to perform the additional duties imposed on him but requests that the Board will defray the expenses which must necessarily be incurred in visiting the Outstations,

No order made on this letter by the Board of Guardians,

A letter dated 7th August 1857 from Mr Patrick Lambert of Ballymoklane stating that he will not accept the appointment of Warden &c &c

No order made on this letter by the Board of Guardians.

Resolved that the following sums assessed on premises unoccupied at the time the Rate was made are hereby cancelled viz on Premises in Ballinglass Division £1-0-0
do " Ballycrannon do 4-6
do " Mayglass do 10¾

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	9
Ditto, disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	6
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	
The number of the Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians	2
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	4

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

Ordered that with the view of having the arrears of Rates entered in the new Rate Books the Clerk is hereby directed to take up the Collector's Warrants in the ensuing week excepting the Warrant of Collector Rossiter which is at present undergoing examination,

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Mr Gideon Devereux one of the Sureties of Colfer defaulting Poor Rate Collector having come before the Board respecting the balance due on account of Colfer's default it was Resolved that the securities are hereby allowed till 1st September next to pay to the Union Treasurer the balance £13-1-1 now due, and that unless the amount be lodged on or before that day it is hereby Ordered that their Bond be put in suit against them,

Mr Devereux stated that he would lodge the amount on or before the day specified,

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Resolved that the following persons are appointed Wardens for the Parishes, and portions of Parishes, comprising Bannow Dispensary District, and that the Clerk give notice to each of the appointees viz Mr Michael Kavanagh Ballycullane
" Mr Thomas Sparks Harristown
" Mr Charles Richard Ballymitty

~~Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the~~

~~day of 18~~

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Mr Richard Devereux of Ballymitty and Mr Henry Crosh of Coolrahee,

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Notice of Motion

I hereby give notice that I will on this day fortnight move that Mark Murphy be removed from the Electoral Division of Harperstown and placed in the Electoral Division of Taghmon.

Board room Workhouse
8th August 1857

(Signed) Patrick Roche.

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

~~Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Wexford Union, on Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 185 , continued.~~

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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:—

There was no business under the above Acts transacted by the Board of Guardians at their Meeting held on Saturday the 8th day of August 1857.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 15th August 1857

George L Hurst Chairman
James M. Neale
Rob. Clifford
Wm Roche
Wm Pierce

~~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.)

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *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-years ended _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *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 Committees; namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ (*state subject*)

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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

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,....£105,464 15s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of August 1857

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,	800	419
Permanent Buildings,	180	
Additional Workhouse,	"	
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	7
Fever Sheds,	40	
TOTAL.	1120	426

	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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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.
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	10	12	5	4	5	4	5	4	3	49
Admitted during the week.	5	2	2	"	"	1	"	"	"	10
TOTAL	15	14	5	4	5	4	5	4	3	49
Discharged during the week,	4	11	2	3	"	"	"	"	2	22
Died, - - - - -	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1
Total Discharged and Dead,	5	11	2	3	"	"	"	"	2	23
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	10	11	5	4	5	5	4	4	1	26

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
In Workhouse Hospital.	16	In separate Wards.	7
In Fever Hospital.	9	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total,	25	Total,	11

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856 519

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Car. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 15th day of August 1857.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Jenkin Athenis Esq. J.P. and Richard Alexander J.P.

Other Guardians: Walter Hanrahan, Robert Clifford, William Davis, James McCann, James Rochford, and James R. Cobbe.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4,934 to No. 4,968 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 10 to No. 11, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had complied with the Orders given him by the Board on the 8th Inst.

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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, ... £ 18 - 1 - 4

Paid during the week, ... £ 37 - 2 - 0

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £ 522 - 15 - 6

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.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,... Folio in leger / Folio in leger	Wexford, - -	"	"	"	665	7	8¾
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	665	7	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,..... Folio in Leger 11 / Folio in Leger 131	Ardcavan - -	1	4	10	"	10	"
Folio in Leger 11 / Folio in Leger 133	Ardcolm, - - -	"	2	2	"	"	"
Folio in Leger 11 / Folio in Leger 135	Artramont, - -	"	14	10	"	11	2
Folio in Leger 11 / Folio in Leger 137	Kilpatrick, - -	"	11	2	"	"	"
	TOTAL, -	2	11	2	1	12	2
NICHOLAS ROCHE..... Folio in Leger 12 / Folio in Leger 139	Aughwilliam, - -	"	4	11½	"	4	0
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger 12 / Folio in Leger 143	Carrig, - - -	1	14	9½	"	7	2½
Folio in Leger 12 / Folio in Leger 145	Forth, - - -	"	7	2½	"	7	"
Folio in leger 12 / Folio in Leger 147	Glynn, - - -	1	13	3	"	"	"
Folio in Leger 12 / Folio in Leger 149	Harperstown, - -	2	15	6	"	"	"
Folio in Leger 12 / Folio in Leger 151	Killurin, - - -	"	17	7½	"	"	"
Folio in leger 12 / Folio in Leger 153	Kilbride, - - -	"	11	11	"	"	"
Folio in leger 12 / Folio in Leger 155	Taghmon, - - -	21	14	3	1	5	9
Folio in Leger 12 / Folio in Leger 157	Whitechurch, - -	1	3	4	"	"	"
	TOTAL, -	11	19	8	2	8	6½
JAMES REA ,..... Folio in leger / Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -	"	"	"	1	"	"
Folio in Leger 11 / Folio in Leger 169	Killinick, - - -	1	3	4	"	"	5¾
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - - -	"	"	"	"	4	5¾
Folio in leger / folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger 11 / Folio in leger 167	Mayglass, - - -	"	8	8	"	6	4½
Folio in Leger / folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in leger 11 / Folio in leger 171	Rathaspeck, - -	1	5	7	1	10	11½
Folio in leger / folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -	"	"	"	"	2	11½
	TOTAL, -	2	17	7	3	5	3½
THOMAS SHARPE... Folio in leger 12 / Folio in leger 173	Bridgetown, - -	"	"	9	"	3	9
Folio in Leger 12 / Folio in leger 175	Kilmore, - - -	"	1	1	"	"	11
Folio in leger / folio in leger	Kilcowan, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger 12 / Folio in Leger 179	Newcastle, - -	"	1	2	"	4	2
Folio in Leger 12 / folio in leger 181	Tomhaggard, - -	"	"	10	"	"	"
Folio in Leger 12 / folio in Leger 183	Bannow, - - -	"	"	8	"	"	"
Folio in Leger / folio in leger	Duncormack, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger 12 / folio in Leger 187	Harristown, - -	"	1	10	"	1	6
Folio in Leger / Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	TOTAL, -	"	6	4	"	10	4
	TOTAL.....	18	1	4	1	7	8¾

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the War rant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
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TOTAL.....		6,055	4	5	5382	1	3	673	3	0

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 54 s. 19 d. 0¾

Folio in Leger 48
Folio in Leger 54
Folio in Leger 58
Folio in Leger 54

	£	s.	d.
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And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	49	11	7¾
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	1	11¾
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	3	0
	"	3	7¾

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:—

5	Bags of	Flour	6 lbs	Candles	
2	Sacks	Wholemeal	" lbs	Mould Candles	
200 lbs		Meat	" Cwt	Soap	
" Ton		Oatmeat	" lbs	Soda	
" Ton		Indian Meal	2 lbs	Starch	
184	Gallons	Buttermilk	14 lbs	Malt	
370	Gallons	New Milk	1 lb	Hops	
" Cwt		Salt			
14 lbs		Tea			
70 lbs		Sugar			
3 lbs		Lump Sugar			
" lb		Pepper			
" lb		Ginger			
" Cwt		Rice			
4	Quarts	Whiskey			
	Doz	Wine			
4	Doz of	Large Porter			
	Doz	Small Porter			
" Tons		Coal			

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

1	Bag of	Flour
50 lbs		Meat
" Cwts		Oatmeal
" Cwt		Salt
24	Gallons	New Milk
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The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books for the several Relieving Officers, were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 8th *day of* August *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	"	5	3
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
Total	"	5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
No. II.	Jas Cowsh	5 3			No. IV.				
No. III.					No. V.				
					No. VI.				
Carried forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast Weaving	-	16	10
Folio in Ledger 62			
Folio in Ledger 14			

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.
W. Power 4 Yrs advertising in Irish Newspaper to 6th July 1857	2	10	-
J. Harper Feeds	2	17	11
T. Prendergast Funerals	3	4	5
Folio in Ledger 45			
Folio in Ledger 14			

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.
M. Cleary New Quilt	2	25	6
T. Prendergast Bakers bills	-	15	4
Folio in Ledger 49			
Folio in Ledger 14			

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

4. *Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.*

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

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

No Report from the Visiting Committee this week.

The Master's Estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified viz: 20 lbs Calf Leather, 4 lbs Shoemakers Ball Twine, 1 gross shoe laces, 4 Doz Ball Twine, 1 gross Lucifer and 12 Yards Tea Pipe for Clerks Office, 50 Yards Printers Ball co. 3 Reaping Hooks and 1 Large Coffin.

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

Beg to report that three female Inmates refused employment in the course of the week, also a Boy named Patrick Doyle. The Names of the 3 females are Betty Rourke, Anne McCarthy and Mary Walsh.

Ordered that the Master is hereby empowered and directed to discharge from this Workhouse except he sees some good reason for not so doing — any able bodied Inmate who will be offered employment out side this House, and will refuse to take it, and that the particulars of all such cases be reported to him in due course to the Board of Guardians.

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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 Articles were ordered for the use of the Infirmary: 8 Quires of White - Whity - and Whitybrown Jacket Paper - 10 Yards Blue Calico - 4 Yards White Calico - 6 Yards Flannel, 1 Sponge, and 3 Yards Gutta Percha.

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 19890/57 dated 13th August 1857 respecting their approval of the acceptance of Mr Pierces Tender for the executing of the work required at the Clerks Office.

No 20994/57 dated 14th August 1857 suggesting to the Guardians the propriety of appointing some other person to act as Warden in the room of Mr Patrick Lambert who has declined to accept the Office.

Ordered that the Clerk write to Mr James Doe Guardian of Lady Island Electoral Division to request that he will suggest to the Board of Guardians on Saturday next a person in the locality in which Mr Lambert resides who would fill the Office of Warden.

A letter dated 8th August 1857 from Mr John Cullen of Duncormack [illegible] that as the Rev. Abraham Goff of Duncormack is a Warden there is no necessity for him to act as such and therefore declines to accept the Office.

Resolved that the sum of £1-5-10½ assessed on unoccupied Premises in the Electoral Division of Taghmon are hereby Cancelled.

Resolved that the Commissioners are requested to alter their sealed Order dated 4th Instant relative to the Emigration of Margaret Doyle and family which charges the expense to Wexford Electoral Division whereas the family in question were chargeable to the Union - The family had been changed upon inquiry by the Board from Wexford to the Union sometime previously as appears by Guardians Minutes of 28th February last. but the Register was not altered at the time. and hence the error which misled the Commissioners arose.

Pam Lambert was entered in Offence and Punishment Book as having refused to sweep a Dormitory.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	3
Ditto, disallowed	"
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	7

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	2
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians	4
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	2

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~~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).~~

and giving impertinent language to the Master when desired by him to do so. The punishment awarded by the Master for the offence was 3 hours solitary confinement,

Ordered that the punishment is approved by the Board, and that no further punishment be given Jane Lambert she having promised to obey the Master in future,

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the

day of 18

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 WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 185 , —*continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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:—

There was no business under the above Acts transacted by the Board of Guardians at their Meeting held on Saturday the 15th day of August 1857.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday the 22nd August 1857.

George Hunt: Chairman

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

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

(This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 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-years ended _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *District* . . . . . £

_____ *District* . . . . . £

(This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and in 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 Committees; namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ (*state subject*)

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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

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,....£105,464 15s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of August 1857

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,	800	409
Permanent Buildings,	180	"
Additional Workhouse,	"	"
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	10
Fever Sheds,	40	"
TOTAL,	1120	419

	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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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.
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	10	116	54	45	55	46	57	14	29	426
Admitted during the week.	10	3	"	"	"	"	1	"	1	15
TOTAL	20	119	54	45	55	46	58	14	30	441
Discharged during the week,	8	6	2	"	2	"	"	1	2	21
Died, - - - - -	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1
Total Discharged and Dead,	8	6	3	"	2	"	"	1	2	22
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	12	113	51	45	53	46	58	13	28	419

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	75	In separate Wards.	7
In Fever Hospital.	10	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total,	85	Total,	11

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856..... 504

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Car. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 22nd day of August 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, George Le Hunte Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians: Francis Leigh J.P. John Walsh J.P. John Huddy J.P. John Rossiter Esq. Clifford, Michael Kehoe Patk. Roche. James M. Vicars and James Murphy.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4749 to No. 4951, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 10 to No. 11, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he has complied with the orders given him by the Board on 15th Inst.

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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, ... £ 15-0-0

Paid during the week, ... £ 4-16-3

And that the Balance on the Account Against *the Guardians was* £ 512-11-9

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,... Folio in leger 11 Folio in leger 128	Wexford, - -	15	=	=	650	17	8¾
	TOTAL, -	15	=	=	650	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcavan - -	=	=	=	=	10	=
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -	=	=	=	=	11	2
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Artramont, - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
	TOTAL, -	=	=		2	7	2
NICHOLAS ROCHE..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Anghwilliam, - -	=	=	=	=	4	2
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	=	=	=	=	7	7½
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -	=	=	=	=	2	=
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	=	=	=	1	5	9
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
	TOTAL, -	4	=	=	2	8	6½
JAMES REA,..... Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -	=	=	=	1	=	=
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -	=	=	=	=	=	5½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -	=	=	=	=	4	5½
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -	=	=	=	=	6	4½
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -	=	=	=	1	10	11½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
	TOTAL, -	=	=	=	2	11	3½
THOMAS SHARPE... Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -	=	=	=	3	5	3½
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -	=	=	=	=	3	9
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan, -	=	=	=	=	=	11
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -	=	=	=	=	4	9
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Bannow, - - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Duncormack, - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Harristown, - -	=	=	=	=	=	=
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -	=	=	=	=	1	6
	TOTAL, -	=	=	=	10	[illegible]	[illegible]
	TOTAL.....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,.....	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8¾	2076	=	=	650	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,.....	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	518	13	5	1	=	2
NICHOLAS ROCHE.....	do	1,053	19	6¼	1057	10	11	2	8	6½
JAMES REA,.....	do	982	12	4¼	979	7	1	3	5	3½
THOMAS SHARPE,.....	do	772	0	2¾	770	9	10	=	10	1½
	TOTAL.....	6,055	4	5	5397	1	3	657	3	2

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

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

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 s. 15 d. 3¾

Folio in Ledger 48
Folio in Ledger 54
Folio in Ledger 58
Folio in Ledger 54

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	39	15	3¾
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	48	17	7¾
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	=	0	0
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	=	3	0¾

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:—

5	Bags of	Flour	3	lbs	Candles
2	Sacks	Wholemeal	=	lbs	Mould Candles
200	lbs	Meat	=	Cwt	Soap
=	Ton	Oatmeat	=	lbs	Soda
=	Ton	Indian Meal	2	lbs	Starch
180	Gallons	Buttermilk	=	lbs	Malt
310	Gallons	New Milk	=	lb	Hops
1	Cwt	Salt			
14	lbs	Tea			
64	lbs	Sugar			
3	lbs	Lump Sugar			
=	lb	Pepper			
=	lb	Ginger			
=	Cwt	Rice			
=	Quarts	Whiskey			
1	Doz	Wine			
=	Doz of	Large Porter			
=	Doz	Small Porter			
=	Tons	Coal			

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

1	Bags of	Flour
50	lbs	Meat
=	Cwts	Oatmeal
=	Cwt	Salt
20	Gallons	New Milk
3	lbs	Tea
34	lbs	Sugar
1	Cwt	Rice
=	Doz	Wine
=	Quarts	Whiskey
1	lb	Pepper
=	Tons	Coal
=	lbs	Candles
=	Cwt	Soap
=	lbs	Starch

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 15 *day of* August *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	=	5	3
In Kind, ...	=	=	=
Total	=	5	3

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
No. II.	J. Lonsh	= 5 3			No. IV.				
No. III.					No. V.				
					No. VI.				
Carried forward					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

		£	s.	d.
	T. Prendergast & Sewing	2	8	
Folio in Ledger C.B.				
Folio in Ledger 124				

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	M. Carle Surgeon	7	8	6
	T. Prendergast & Sundries	12	19	3
Folio in Ledger 95				
Folio in Ledger 124				

Debit Establishment A/c and Credit Treasurer with the above sums.

	Wm. Henricks A/c			
	Per T. Cripps Esq. for Maintenance of Wm. Henricks in Catholic Institution for the Deaf & Dumb	5	0	0
Folio in Ledger 95				
Folio in Ledger 124				
	Payable to advance Mrs. Henricks			

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

		£	s.	d.
	Collectors Poundage ~~Workhouse Invoice~~ Account.			
	J. Rea Poundage	9	9	8
	M. Roche do	6	5	9
	M. Devereux do in Sums			
	Credited Them on account of	3	9	4
Folio in Ledger 99	Collectors defalcations			
Folio in Ledger 124	T. Prendergast Poundage due Therefor and M. Lehoe	1	11	1
	Debit Collectors Poundage A/c and Credit Treasurer with the above sum.			
	Workhouse Invoice A/c			
Folio in Ledger 99	T. Prendergast Bills Stamps for Mark		15	0
Folio in Ledger 124				

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

4. *Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.*

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

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

The Queries were all answered favorably except No 1 to which the following Answer was Given. No. 1. Yes there are some trifling repairs wanted. Outside woodwork requires paint. 29th August 1857

Signed George L. Hunt

Ordered that the Master get the repairs alluded to done without delay and that he take steps to have the outside Woodwork of the House painted forthwith.

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

The Masters estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified viz:- 300 Yards Black Calico @ 5 per Yard. 50 Yards Black Calico @ 5 per Yard. Baize Coffin 1 yd 6 Yard for Infirmary and 6 Lump of Sugar for Fever Hospital.

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The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, 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 19890/57 dated 19th August 1857 stating that if the Guardians Know where the father of Simon Murphy is there is nothing to prevent Proceedings being taken against him for the desertion of his Child, &c &c

Ordered that the Commrs be informed that the Guardians do not Know the Locus in Quo of the father of the Child referred to & if they did it is probable they would incur the expense of having him arrested for the desertion of his Child,

No 21414/57 dated 21st August 1857 stating that they have given directions for the issue of the required Consent to the expenditure incurred in the vaccination of Margaret Doyle and her four Children being charged to the Union at Large as requested

Ordered that the Clerk take up on Monday next the Warrant of Collector Ramsey, and enter in the new Rate Book of Wexford Electoral Division the arrears of Rates appearing due on said Warrant excepting those due on premises unoccupied at the time the last Rate was made, and that Notice of the Rate-Book being open for the inspection of Ratepayers be given by the Clerk on 26th Instant,

Ordered that the Clerk advertise in the Local Newspapers for persons to Collect the new Rate at a remuneration of Sixpence in the £ on all sums Collected and lodged with the Treasurer of the Union—that the Election take place in the 5th Box—and that the person who will be appointed Collector of Wexford Division be required to find two solvent persons willing to join in a Joint and Several Bond of £100, and that each person appointed for a rural District be required to find two solvent persons willing to join in a joint and several Bond of £50 for the due and faithful fulfilment of the duties of the Office,

Resolved that Mr Andrew Devereux has this day lodged with the Treasurer of the Union the balance due this

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	9
Ditto, disallowed	6
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	9
Ditto, ditto, 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	5
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	5

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~~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).~~

Board on account of Matthew Colfer default, the Clerk is here by directed to hand over to Mr. Doyle ex the Bond entered into with this Board by Colfer and his Sureties,

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On the Motion of Mr. Patrick Roche Mary, Murphy seconded, was discharged from the electoral Division of Farnerstown, and readmitted on the electoral Division of Taghmon,

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~~Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the~~

~~day of~~ 18

~~Clerk of the Union~~

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 22nd day of August 1857,—*continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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:—*

Resolved that the Honorary Secretary of the Committee of Management of Broadway Dispensary District is hereby empowered to incur the expense of advertising for a person to contract for the conveyance of the sick poor from said District to the Workhouse Hospital, and to keep the Cart for the purpose at his residence,

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.)

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *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 years ended _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *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 Committees; namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ (*state subject*)

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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

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday the 29th day of August 1857.

George Hurst, Chairman.
Wm. Lyd. Armstrong
James M. Ollard

Clerk of the Union

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,....£105,464 15s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of August 1857

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,	800	413
Permanent Buildings,	180	"
Additional Workhouse,	"	"
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	14
Fever Sheds,	40	"
TOTAL.	1120	427

	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.
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	12	113	51	45	53	46	58	13	28	419
Admitted during the week.	4	8	2	"	"	"	"	"	2	16
TOTAL	16	121	53	45	53	46	58	13	30	435
Discharged during the week,	4	3	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	8
Died, - - - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total Discharged and Dead,	4	3	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	8
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	12	118	53	45	53	45	58	13	30	427

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	76	In separate Wards.	7
In Fever Hospital.	14	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total.	90	Total.	11

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 185 ..... } 505

OBSERVATIONS.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 29th day of August authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. 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.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Car. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. 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 not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 29th day of August 185 7

PRESENT: In the Chair, Jacob S. Hunter Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians: Captain William A. Armstrong J.P. John Rowter, Patrick Lacy, John Lambert, James Stone, James Hatty, James Stone, Thomas Stone, and Thomas Vicary

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4959 to No. 4975 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 10 to No. 11, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had complied with the Orders given him by the Board in 2 Instant.

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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, ... £ 91- 1- 1

Paid during the week, ... £ 94- 6- 7

And that the Balance on the Account Against *the Guardians was* £ 515- 17- 3

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.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,...							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	*Wexford,* - -	4	4	4	650	17	8¾
	TOTAL, -	4	4	4	650	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE,.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ardcavan* - -	4	4	4	4	10	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ardcolm,* - - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Lego.	*Artramont,* - -	4	4	4	4	11	0
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilpatrick,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
	TOTAL, -	4	4	4	2	2	0
NICHOLAS ROCHE.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Aughwilliam,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	0
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ballymitty,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Carrig,* - - -	4	4	4	4	17	7½
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Forth,* - - -	4	4	4	4	1	4
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Glynn,* - - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Harperstown,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Killurin,* - - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilbride,* - - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Taghmon,* - - -	4	4	4	1	5	9
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	*Whitechurch,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
	TOTAL, -	4	4	4	2	8	6
JAMES REA ,.....							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Drinagh,* - - -	4	4	4	1	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Killinick,* - - -	4	4	4	4	4	5¾
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilscoran,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	5¾
Folio in leger folio in leger	*Lady's Island,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	*Mayglass,* - -	4	4	4	4	6	4½
Folio in Leger folio in leger	*Rosslare,* - - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in leger Folio in leger	*Rathaspeck,* - -	4	4	4	1	10	11¾
Folio in leger folio in leger	*St. Helen's,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Tacumshane,* - -	4	4	4	4	11	3¾
	TOTAL, -	4	4	4	3	5	3¼
THOMAS SHARPE...							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	*Bridgetown,* - -	4	4	4	4	3	9
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	*Kilmore,* - - -	4	4	4	4	4	11
Folio in leger folio in leger	*Kilcowan,* -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Newcastle,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	9
Folio in Leger folio in leger	*Tomhaggard,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	*Bannow,* - - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger folio in leger	*Duncormack,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	*Harristown,* - -	4	4	4	4	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Killag,* - - -	4	4	4	4	16	4
	TOTAL, -	4	4	4	4	10	4
	TOTAL.....	[illegible]			[illegible]		

RATE RETURN.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8¾	2076	13	5	650	17	8¾
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	518	3	5	1	11	0
NICHOLAS ROCHE.	do	1,053	19	6¼	1057	10	11	2	8	6¾
JAMES REA, ...	do	982	12	4½	979	7	1	3	5	3¼
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2¾	771	9	10	4	10	4
TOTAL.....		6,055	4	5	5377	1	3	658	3	10

Debit the Treasurer with Electoral Divisions Compriseing in the District which Matthew Colfer was Elected with £1-1-1. Lodged by Mr. A. Deane in account of Offer default.

Folios in Ledger 11
Folios in Ledger 177-179-181-183-185-187-189-191-193

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 35 s. 18 d. 7¾

Folios in Ledger 48
Folios in Ledger 54
Folios in Ledger 58
Folios in Ledger 54

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	35	18	7¾
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	48	17	8½
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	6	0¾
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	3	0

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:—

3	Bags of	Flour	4	lbs	Candles
1	Sack	Wholemeal	4	lbs	Mould Candles
250	lbs	Meat	4	Cwt	Soap
1	Ton	Oatmeal	4	lbs	Soda
1	Ton	Indian Meal	2	lbs	Starch
120	Gallons	Buttermilk	4	lbs	Malt
350	Gallons	New Milk	4	lb	Hops
4	Cwt	Salt			
16	lbs	Tea			
112	lbs	Sugar			
2	lbs	Lump Sugar			
4	lb	Pepper			
1	lb	Ginger			
4	Cwt	Rice			
4	Quarts	Whiskey			
4	Doz	Wine			
4	Doz of	Large Porter			
6	Doz	Small Porter			
4	Tons	Coal			

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

4	Bags of	Flour	
50	lbs	Meat	
4	Cwts	Oatmeal	
4	Cwt	Salt	
20	Gallons	New Milk	
2	lbs	Tea	
14	lbs	Sugar	
4	Cwt	Rice	
4	Doz	Wine	
4	Quarts	Whiskey	
4	lb	Pepper	
10	Tons	Coal	
4	lbs	Candles	
4	Cwt	Soap	
4	lbs	Starch	

10 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 for the several Relieving Officers, were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 23rd *day of* August *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	0	05	3
In Kind, ...			
Total		5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
No. II.	Jas Rush	53			No. IV.				
No. III.					No. V.				
Carried forwd.					No. VI.				
					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast. Wages of Innerpower Shoemaker Pro tem	3	2	5
D. H. Henrick. Schoolmaster Salary	2	10	=

Folio in Ledger 75
Folio in Ledger 124

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.
T. Prendergast Bakers Wages		15	=

Folio in Ledger 49
Folio in Ledger 124

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

4. *Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.*

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

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

The Queries were all answered favorably. Visited the House and found it generally clean and in good order, Paupers employed and all classes well and orderly provided for. Recommend that the Yard &c of the Infants be prepared for their use as that which they lately occupied. The floor apart of the Infants Dormitory should be oiled as has been done in both Dormitories for the use of small children who wet their beds.

28th August 1851.

(Signed) F. J. Le Hunte.

Ordered that the Master be hereby directed to have the recommendations contained in this Report carried out.

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

The Master reports that a School Boy named James Lambert absconded from the Land on Monday last & has not yet returned. He is at his Grandfathers at Clonard where I sent for him but he did not come back. Women suggest that it would be a saving to put Gas in the Teachers Apartments, they use candles at present. The corn is in stack & I am anxious to know the wish of the Board respecting it.

Ordered that the Master send the Clothes belonging to the boy referred to in his Report to his Grandfathers and take from him the Clothes belonging to the House, and then discharge him off the Books of the House. That he get Mr. Furney to put up as soon as possible the Fittings in the Apartments of the Teachers. And that he have

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

the Corn at present on the Workhouse Ground & threshed by Machine as quickly as possible the produce (except the quantity required for seed) to be sold, and the amount realized by the sale to be handed to the Clerk to be lodged to the Credit of the Union, and the Straw to be kept for the use of the House,

The Master's estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and they were duly made for the several Articles specified viz: 1 Gallon White Lead, 1 Quart Turpentine, Milk Measures - 1 Four Gallon Can - 2 Doz Black Lead Brushes, 1 Doz Dusting Brushes - 4 White-wash Brushes - 1 Stone Cuseed Meal - and 6 Bath bricks,

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. 21924/57 dated 28th August 1857 transmitting Forms, & questions to be answered by the Clerk and the persons who may be appointed Collectors of Poor Rate in the Union &c &c

No. 21924/57 dated 28th August 1857 forwarding a Specification prepared in their Office in accordance with which they recommend the Guardians to have the external painting of the Workhouse executed, Ordered that as the external Wood and Iron work of this House have been painted annually the Guardians consider that there is no necessity for giving them two Coats of paint this year, and they hereby direct their Clerk to advertise in the local papers for Tenders from persons to paint the external Wood [illegible]

The Clerk in accordance with the Specification transmitted by the Commissioners excepting that one Coat only will be required, and that Tenders will be considered by the Board on the 12th Inst,

Resolved that Mr James Roche Roche of Ballycurloane is hereby appointed Warden for the several Parishes and Portions of Parishes comprising the Broadway Dispensary District - and that notice of the appointment be given to him by the Clerk of the Union.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	8
Ditto, disallowed	7
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	8
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	7
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians	7
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	5

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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).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the

day of 18

Clerk of the Union.

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~~MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 185 ,—continued.~~

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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:—

There was no business under the above Acts transacted by the Board of Guardians at their Meeting held on Saturday the 29th day of August 1859.

Next Meeting of Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday the 5th day of September 1859.

James Whitty presiding Chairman
Pat. Rayne
Richard Armstrong

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.)

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *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-years ended _____ 185 , *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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 185 .

_____ *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 Committees; namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ (*state subject*)

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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

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1851.....52,503. Present Net Annual Value,....£105,464 15s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of Sept. 185

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,	800	407
Permanent Buildings,	180	"
Additional Workhouse,	"	"
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	18
Fever Sheds,	40	-
TOTAL,	1120	425

	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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	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.
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	12	118	53	45	53	45	58	13	30	424
Admitted during the week.	9	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	14
TOTAL	21	122	53	45	53	45	58	13	31	440
Discharged during the week,	7	3	1	"	2	1	"	"	2	16
Died, - - - - -	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=
Total Discharged and Dead,	7	3	1	=	2	1	"	"	2	16
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	14	119	52	45	51	44	58	13	29	425

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
In Workhouse Hospital.	75	In separate Wards.	7
In Fever Hospital.	18	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total,	93	Total,	11

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 185 ..... } 496

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 29th day of August authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	1	1	1	1	2	2
No. III.						
Car. forward						

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Persons.
Bt forward						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 5th day of September 185

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. James Whitty and George L. Hume Esq. D.L.

Other Guardians: Captain William A. Armstrong J.P. John Walsh J.P. Frederick S. Flood J.P. John Rossiter John Crish James Barry - Robert Clifford - Michael Rehoe - Patrick Roche James Howlin James Hore - Walter Furlong James M. Vicary Patrick Frayne Matthew Tracey and James Murphy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 497 to No. 498, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 10 to No. 11, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had Complied with the orders given him by the Board on the 29th Ultimo

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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, ... £32 = 1 = 10

Paid during the week, ... £11 = 2 = 11

And that the Balance on the Account Again *the Guardians was* £494 = 18 = 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.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER,...	Wexford, - -	32	1	10	618	15	10½
	TOTAL, -	32	1	10	618	15	10½
MARTIN KEHOE,.....	Ardcavan - -	"	"	"	"	10	"
	Ardcolm, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Artramont, - -	"	"	"	"	11	2
	Kilpatrick, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	1	1	2
NICHOLAS ROCHE.....	Aughwilliam, - -	"	"	"	"	4	2
	Ballymitty, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Carrig, - - -	"	"	"	"	17	7½
	Forth, - - -	"	"	"	"	1	"
	Glynn, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Killurin, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Taghmon, - - -	"	"	"	1	5	9
	Whitechurch, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	2	8	6
JAMES REA ,.....	Drinagh, - - -	"	"	"	1	"	"
	Killinick, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	5¾
	Kilscoran, - -	"	"	"	"	4	5¾
	Lady's Island, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Mayglass, - -	"	"	"	"	6	4½
	Rosslare, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Rathaspeck, - -	"	"	"	1	11	11¾
	St. Helen's, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Tacumshane, - -	"	"	"	"	2	11¾
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	3	5	3¾
THOMAS SHARPE...	Bridgetown, - -	"	"	"	"	3	9
	Kilmore, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	11
	Kilcowan, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Newcastle, - -	"	"	"	"	4	2
	Tomhaggard, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Bannow, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Duncormack, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Harristown, - -	"	"	"	"	1	6
	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	"	10	4
	TOTAL.....	32	1	10	621	16	10½

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of the Week. £	s.	d.
WILLIAM ROSSITER, ...	September 27th, 1856	2,726	17	8½	2108	1	10	618	15	10½
MARTIN KEHOE, ...	September 27th, 1856	519	14	7	518	13	5	1	1	2
NICHOLAS ROCHE.	do	1,053	19	6½	1051	10	11	2	8	7½
JAMES REA, ...	do	983	12	4½	979	7	1	3	5	3¾
THOMAS SHARPE, ...	do	772	0	2½	771	9	10	1	10	4½
TOTAL.....		6,055	4	5	5429	3	1	626	1	1½

RATE RETURN.

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ *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 *s.* 7 *d.* 4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	39	7	4
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	48	9	4½
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		2	0½
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		3	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:—

1 Bags of	Flour	" lbs	Candles
2 Sacks	Wholemeal	" lbs	Mould Candles
196 lbs	Meat	" Cwt	Soap
" Ton	Oatmeal	28 lbs	Soda
" Ton	Indian Meal	2 lbs	Starch
170 Gallons	Buttermilk	14 lbs	Malt
350 Gallons	New Milk	1 lb	Hops
1 Cwt	Salt		
15 lbs	Tea		
72 lbs	Sugar		
4 lbs	Lump Sugar		
" lb	Pepper		
" lb	Ginger		
" Cwt	Rice		
4 Quarts	Whiskey		
1 Doz	Wine		
" Doz of	Large Porter		
" Doz	Small Porter		
" Tons	Coal		

REQUIRED FOR THE FEVER HOSPITAL.

" Bags of	Flour
50 lbs	Meat
1 Cwts	Oatmeal
1 Cwt	Salt
24 Gallons	New Milk
" lbs	Tea
4 lbs	Sugar
½ Cwt	Rice
" Doz	Wine
" Quarts	Whiskey
" lb	Pepper
" Tons	Coal
" lbs	Candles
" Cwt	Soap
" lbs	Starch

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 29 *day of* August *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...		5	3
In Kind, ...			
Total		5	3

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	James Crisp	0 5 3			Bt. forwd.				
No. II.					No. IV.				
No. III.					No. V.				
					No. VI.				
Car. forwd					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Order

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

1. Clothing Account.

		£	s.	d.
Cullen & Cavell	Calico	3a	7	9
J. N. Fortune	Milling Frieze	1	7	1

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

2. Establishment Account.

J. Holbrook	Barber quarters Salary	1	11	6
J. Byrne	Glazing	1	13	7
R. Pierce	Making Clerks Office	21	-	-
M. Morris	Matron Fever Hospital 1 Month's Salary	1	15	-
J. Roche	Nurse do do	1	5	-
W. Heinrick	Masonary	3	10	-
S. Doyle	Linseed Meal	-	13	4
T. Prendergast	Sundries	4	2	5

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
J. N. Fortune	Oatmeal	32	-	-
M. Cleary	New Milk	2	6	10
S. Maddock	do	11	5	-
S. Doyle	Groceries	36	7	11
R. Linred	Meal	77	15	-
T. Prendergast	Bakers Wages	-	15	-

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

James Cashes ~~Out-Door Relief Invoice~~ Account.

J. Crish	out door Relief	1	6	3
Ja. Crish's a/c	Credit Treasurer with the above sum			
Electum & a/c				
T. Prendergast	Carriage Coffin		1	6

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

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

No Report from the Visiting Committee this week

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

Three Chimneys require to be repaired by taking off the stone caps and removing the bricks on the upper parts and rebuilding them on five others the stone caps only require to be secured the pot to be taken off a Chimney in which there is no fire place and put on one that smokes also five of the Infirmary Chimneys require pointing

Ordered that the Clerk advertise in the local Newspapers for Tenders from Competent persons to execute the work specified in foregoing report and that the Tenders be considered by the Board on the 19th Instant

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The Master's Estimate of requirements for the ensuing week was examined and orders were duly made for the several articles specified viz; 60. lbs Butt Leather - 10.000 Shoe Nails - 14 lb Pitch - 1 Gallon Sweet Oil - 2 quarts Train Oil - 2 ozs Lettuce Seed - 1 lb. Arrow Root - and 2 Barrels Lime

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. 21414/57 dated 1st September 1857 referring to the Resolution of the Board on the 15 Ultimo authorizing the Master to discharge from the Workhouse any ablebodied pauper who may be offered employment &c &c

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that from the indisposition manifested by many of the able-bodied female Inmates of this House to leave it when offered employment outside. the Board considered it most advisable to give the authority referred to. to the Master knowing that he would in each case exercise a wise discretion

That the Commissioners be further informed that the Guardians have had brought before them within the last month by the Master, of the Workhouse many healthy able bodied Inmates who refused to leave this House when offered good stations outside and that the Board with the view of precluding the possibility of such occurrences in future gave to the Master the power to discharge persons from the House under the circumstances already detailed

No 190 M/57 1 Sept. 1857 requesting to be furnished with the required particulars respecting the Rates made and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union

A letter dated 3 Sept. 1857 from Mess. Crosby and Kelly Secretaries to the Commissioners of National Education forwarding for the information of the Board of Guardians the following Extracts from the District Inspectors Report of the Visits made by him to the Workhouse schools on the 23rd and 25th July last—

The teachers. Hugh Herrick Anne Harpur and Margaret Carroll are good both as to their literary acquirements and their method of conducting the school business. The different departments are in some degree progressing

Proposals for the Office of Poor Rate Collector from Messrs Jas. Rea - Martin Kehoe - Thos. Sharpe - Nicholas Roche - and Wm. T. Rossiter - respectively read.

Proposed by Mr. Jas. Whitty and seconded by Mr. J. M. Vicary & passed

That Mr. Jas. Rea be reappointed Collector of No. 4 District of this Union comprising the Divisions of Drinagh - Killinick - Kilscoran - Ladys Island - Mayglass - Rosslare - Rathaspick - St. Helens & Tacumshane - at a remuneration of 6 in the £ on all sums collected & lodged with the Treasurer of the Union and the securities named in his Tender viz. Mr. John Boggan Milltown Farmer & Timoth of Tagoat Farmer & Grocer who are to be bound with Mr. Jas. Rea in a penal sum of £500 be approved by the Board

Proposed by Mr. Rossiter & seconded by Mr. Walter Furlong & passed

That Mr. Martin Kehoe be reelected to the Office of Poor Rate Collector of No. 2 District of this Union comprising the Divisions of Ardcavan, Ardcolm - Artramont - & Kilpatrick at a remuneration of 6 in the £ on all sums collected and lodged with the Treasurer of the Union, and that the securities named in his Tender viz; Mr. Philip Murphy Crofstown Farmer and Mr. James Hayes of Ardcavan Farmer who are to be bound with Mr. Kehoe in a penal sum of £500. be approved by this Board

Proposed by Mr. James Barry and seconded by Mr. Jas. M. Vicary and passed.

That Mr. Thos. Sharpe be reappointed Collector

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	8
Ditto, disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	6
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians	2
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ...	"

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of No. 5 District of this Union comprising the Electoral Divisions of Bridgetown - Kilmore - Kilcowan - Newcastle Tomhaggard - Bannow. Duncormack - Harristown & Killag at a remuneration of 6 in the £ on all sums collected and lodged with the Treasurer of the Union. and that the securities named in his proposal Viz. Mr. Nicholas Codd of Kilcowan Farmer & Miller and Mr. James Richards Youngstown Farmer who are to be bound with Mr. Sharpe in a Joint and Several Bond of £500 for the due fulfilment of the duties of the Office are approved by the Board

Proposed by Mr John Crish & seconded by Mr Mich. Kehoe & passed
That Mr Nicholas Roche be reelected Collector of No. 3 District comprising the Electoral Divisions of Aughwilliam Ballymitty - Carrig - Forth. Glym - Harpurstown - Killurin - Kilbride - Tagmon - and Whitechurch at a remuneration of 6 in the pound on all sums collected and lodged with the Treasurer of the Union - and that the securities named in his Proposal viz. Mr Pierce Ryan of Davidstown Farmer and Mr Richard Roche of Oulmark Farmer who are to be bound in a Joint and Several Bond of £500. for the due performance of the duties of his Office be approved by the Board

Proposed by Mr Matthew Peacy & seconded by Mr Rayne & passed
That Mr William T Rossiter be reappointed Collector of Wexford Electoral Division or District No 1 at a remuneration of 6 in the £ on all sums collected and lodged with the Treasurer of the Union and that the securities named in his Proposal viz. Mr Michael Ennis Timber Merchant and Mr Thomas Ennis Spanish Farmer who are to be bound with Mr Rossiter in a Joint and Several Bond of £1000 for the fulfilment of the duties of the Office be approved by the Board

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the day of 18

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Resolved that the Clerk lay the New Rate Books before the Guardians for signature on Saturday next

Resolved that Mr Nicholas Roche be appointed to ascertain and make a return to this Board on ~~Thursday and~~ next day of meeting of the premises in the Electoral Division of Wexford on Thursday & Friday next. which may be unoccupied in order that they may be exempted from the Rate, about to be struck on the said Division that the Return be verified on oath by him before a Magistrate and that he be allowed the same amount as was paid him last Year for similar services Viz. 2 guineas.

Resolved that Mr Peter Burn of Bannow and Mr John Cleary of Maxholey are hereby appointed Wardens for the several parishes & portions of Parishes comprising the Bannow Dispensary District and the Clerk directed to give notice to each of the appointment

John Madden pauper Inmate aged 15½ years was entered in offence and Punishment Book as having refused to work when desired to do so by the Master. The Punishment awarded by the Master was 3 hours solitary confinement and the stoppage of the Boys breakfast milk this Morning.
Ordered by Board of Guardians that the punishment given to John Madden for the offence of which he has acknowledged himself guilty is approved by the Board

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Ordered that Mr. Furlong Master is hereby permitted to absent himself from the House from this evening till Monday evening next he having promised to provide for the discharge of his duties during his absence

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 185 ,—*continued.*

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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:—

There was no business under the Medical Charities Act transacted by Board of Guardians at their Meeting held on Saturday the 5th Sept. 1857

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Saturday the~~ 12th day of September 1857

Mr. David Armstrong Chr
Patrick Leddy Esq
William Morris

Thos Sheridan Clk of Union

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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