Board of Guardians minute book
Wexford Union

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of April 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse,	731	482										
Permanent Buildings,	4	4										
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	30										
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL,	812	512										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			6	16	127	176	50	31	48	24	33	511
Admitted during the week.			10	3	11	2	-	-	-	-	1	27
Born - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,			16	19	138	178	50	31	48	24	34	538
Discharged during the week,			5	5	8	2	-	-	-	1	1	22
Died, - - - - -			-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	4
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	5	8	5	-	-	-	1	2	26
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			11	14	130	173	50	31	48	23	32	512

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS.
Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital. 136 — In separate Wards.		
In Fever Hospital. 30 — In Wards with other Inmates. 14		
Total. 166	Total. 14	

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1872 459

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 26th day of April 1873 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.	195	456				
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 665

Cost, £32.12.6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 26th day of April 1873

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* John Walsh Esq & Peter Tyrrell Esq P.L.

Other Guardians:

Chas A. Peacocke J.P. Thos Cooke Esq
Jno Sym. H. Jno Roche Esq Jas Barker Edw. Good J.P.
James M. Veary Edw. Sinnott James Hayes Edw. Cody
Cas. Leacy John Maddock Jas Murphy Thos Walsh
Wm Tobe J.P. & William Cash

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 31.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3387 to No. 4018 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. 262 to No. 346 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 19th 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, ... £ - - -

Paid during the week, ... £ 32 - 15 - 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 228 - 6 - 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:—

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the War Rate 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 each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	9	3550	3	9	503	9	9
John Stafford.....	do.	925	8	1	820	1	3	104	6	10
James Murphy,.....	do.	1521	16	8	1400	13	8	120	3	0
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1410	19	7	2	16	9
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1453	3	7	1453	7	10			
Total.....		9368	18	5	8634	15	5	733	16	4

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Wexford, - -	4	-	-	104	10	9
	Total, -	4	-	-	104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcavan - -	4	-	-	4	16	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - -	4	-	-	-	6	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Lege.	Artramont, - -	4	-	-	3	11	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -	4	-	-	3	12	1
	Total, -	4	-	-	3	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Aughwilliam, - -	4	-	-	6	9	5
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -	4	-	-	6	10	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - -	4	-	-	13	1	7
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - -	4	-	-	2	6	10
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - -	4	-	-	3	13	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	4	-	-	28	15	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - -	4	-	-	6	12	11
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - -	4	-	-	-	16	1
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - -	4	-	-	35	10	8
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	4	-	-	17	2	8
	Total, -	4	-	-	24	3	4
MARTIN CHAMBERS,							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - -	4	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - -	4	-	-	2	10	5
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -	4	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	4	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -	4	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - -	4	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -	4	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -	4	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -	4	-	-	-	-	-
	Total, -	4	-	-	2	10	5
THOMAS SHARPE....							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -	4	-	-	-	-	9
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - -	4	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan, - -	4	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -	4	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -	4	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Bannow, - -	4	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Duncormack, - -	4	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Harristown, - -	4	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killag, - -	4	-	-	-	-	-
	Total, -	4	-	-	-	-	9
	TOTAL.....	-	-	-	234	1	10

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the amounts collected and 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 £ 95 s. 1 d. 3

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	95	1	3
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	100	1	3
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		3	8½
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		4	8½

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:—

328	lbs of Meat	7	lbs of Ginger
12	Bags of Flour	1	lbs of Pepper
4	Sacks of Wholemeal	8	quarts of Whiskey
4	Ton of Indian Meal	1	doz of Wine
4	Ton of Oatmeal	10	doz. of Porter
4	Potatoes	60	Eggs
50	Gallons Buttermilk	30	lbs of Candles
532	Gallons Newmilk	14	lbs of Malt
1	cwt of Split	1	lbs of Hops
1	cwt of Tea	4	cwt of Soda
100	lbs of Sugar	4	lbs of Starch
10	lbs of Lump Sugar		
4	cwt of Rice		

2 Doz Scotch Brushes
2 Doz Cheeking Brushes
2 Doz Blacklead Brushes
4 Whitewash Brushes
2 Paint Brushes
4 Large Coffins

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 19 day of August whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	37	12	6
In Kind, ...			
Total	37	12	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
	No. I.	Fleming	50-0-0		
Folio in Leger .. 19	No. II.	Smith	30-0-0		
Folio in Leger .. 20	No. III.				
	Total,		80-0-0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks: Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correc 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.
24	P. Shallow	Tea	3	13	0
25	A. Furlong	do	4	8	0

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

			£	s	d.
23	M. Penrose	Brushes	5	11	6

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
21	Thos Hayes	Meat	14	12	6
22	R. & Sears	Flour	45	19	8

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

4. *Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.*

			£	s.	d.
Clerks	Petty Sessions				
24	T. Pendergast	Sundries	10	2	1

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

I have to report with regret the death of Miss Harpur the Matron of the Workhouse which melancholy event took place on Tuesday morning last.

Ordered that we have heard with regret of the death of Miss Harpur who satisfactorily discharged the duties of Matron of this Workhouse for so many years that the Clerk is hereby directed to advertise in the local newspapers for a competent person to fill the office at a Salary of £25 per year with Emoluments and rations, the election to take place on the 10th inst and the person appointed not to be over 40 years of age and if she has a family none of its members to be permitted to live in this House that Mrs Williams Nurse be appointed to discharge the duties of Matron till a successor to Miss Harpur will have been appointed and that she be paid at the rate of £30 per year

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

Local Government 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 11999/73 dated 25th April 1873 stating that under the circumstances detailed in Guardians Minutes of 19th instant that John Hayes be chargeable to the Union at Large

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Moved by Mr John Walsh and Seconded by Mr Pat Codd

That the Petition just read praying that all kinds of property may be taxed for the relief of the poor be adopted by this Board that it be engrossed by the Clerk, sealed with the Union Seal and Signed by the Chairman that a Copy of it be forwarded to Lord Kenmare for presentation to the House of Lords and a Copy of it be sent to Mr Patten M.P. for presentation to the House of Commons that Messrs Power Redmond and M'Kechnie be requested to support the prayer of the petition and that a Copy of it be sent to every Board of Guardians in Ireland

respectively their concurrence

Moved as an Amendment by Mr William Gaffney and Seconded by Mr James Hayes.

That the further consideration of the Petition be deferred till next Set a Copy of the Petition on the same subject adopted by the Board of Guardians of Waterford Union

10 voted for the original Motion and 7 for the Amendment

The Chairman declared the original Motion carried by a Majority of three

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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	... ...	18
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	... ...	640
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	... ...	

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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 26th day of April 1873,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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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 Local Government Board dated on
No 85 M/73 22nd April 1873 subject Dispensary Districts

No 1184 M/73 dated 22nd April 1873 subject appointment of Committees under Sanitary Acts

Ordered that the Elected Guardians of the Divisions comprising the respective Dispensary Districts and the Justices residing therein are hereby appointed Nuisance Authorities for the several Dispensary Districts of the Union the portion of the Electoral Division of Wexford within the Borough of Wexford in the Wexford Dispensary District being excepted,

No 10579/73 dated 23 April 1873 stating that as the appointment of a Midwife for Wexford Dispensary District is a matter of much importance they request that the Guardians will be good enough to take it again into their consideration

Moved by Mr Peadd and Seconded by Mr John Walsh

That the question of the appointment of a Midwife be referred back to the Wexford Dispensary Committee for further consideration and that the Clerk write to the Committee to request that the several members of the Committee may be summoned to attend the Meeting at which the reconsideration of the subject will take place and that a Copy of the above letter be sent to the Committee by the Clerk

This Motion was negatived

(Signed),

& voted against it and lost 6 for it

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday the 3rd May 1873

Charles H. Pearson
Present Chairman

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3 day of May 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse,	31	466
Permanent Buildings,	"	"
Additional Workhouse,	"	"
Permanent Fever Hospital	"	"
Fever Sheds.	81	34
TOTAL,	82	500

	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	4	14	130	173	50	31	48	23	32	512
Admitted during the week.	5	6	4	4	2	-	1	1	3	24
Born - - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	1
TOTAL,	9	20	134	177	52	31	49	24	36	537
Discharged during the week,	10	5	13	6	"	1	1	1	1	38
Died, - - - - -	"	"	3	"	"	"	"	"	1	4
Total Discharged and Dead,	10	5	16	6	"	1	1	1	2	42
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	9	15	118	171	52	30	48	23	34	500

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. 30	In separate Wards. "
In Fever Hospital. 30	In Wards with other Inmates 4
Total, 30	Total, 4

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 18 72 452

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 187 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	195	456				
No. II.	122	184				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 656

Cost, £37 14 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the Three day of May 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, Chas H Peacocke Esq J. P. Vice Chairman Esq D.L.

Other Guardians: Jno Walsh Daniel Redmond John Maddock
Walsh Harper James McEvoy Richard Furlong
Pat Hayden Nich Murphy and Wm Day

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. 1[illegible] to No. 1[illegible] 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. 262 to No. 334 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 26th 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, ... £ — — —

Paid during the week, ... £ 480 - 11 - 4

And that the Balance on the Account is in favour of the Guardians was £ 1047 - 15 - 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:—

RATE RETURNS.

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 each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	9	3950	3	9	104	10	4
John Stafford.....	do.	925	8	1	920	1	1	4	7	0
James Murphy.....	do.	1321	16	8	1307	13	8	13	2	4
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1392	16	4	20	19	8
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1453	3	7	1443	2	10	9	10	9
Total.....		9368	18	5	9134	17	8	234	1	10

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Wexford,* - -				104	10	4
	TOTAL, -				104	10	4
JOHN STAFFORD.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ardcavan* - -					16	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ardcolm,* - -					6	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Lege.	*Artramont,* - -				3	11	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilpatrick,* - -					12	1
	TOTAL, -				5	6	1
JAMES MURPHY.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Aughwilliam,* - -				6	9	5
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ballynaitty,* - -				6	10	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Carrig,* - -				13	1	7
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Forth,* - -				2	6	4
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Glynn,* - -				3	17	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Harperstown,* - -				28	5	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Killurin,* - -				6	12	11
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilbride,* - -					16	1
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Taghmon,* - -				35	10	8
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	*Whitechurch,* - -				17	2	8
	TOTAL, -				121	3	11
MARTIN CHAMBERS,							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Drinagh,* - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Killinick,* - -				2	10	5
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilscoran,* - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	*Lady's Island,* - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	*Mayglass,* - -						
Folio in Leger folio in leger	*Rosslare,* - -						
Folio in leger Folio in leger	*Rathaspeck,* - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	*St. Helen's,* - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Tacumshane,* - -						
	TOTAL, -				2	10	5
THOMAS SHARPE....							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	*Bridgetown,* - -						4
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	*Kilmore,* - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	*Kilcowan,* - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Newcastle,* - -						
Folio in Leger folio in leger	*Tomhaggard,* - -						
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,* - -						
	TOTAL, -						4
	TOTAL.....				234	1	10

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks: Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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.* 12 *d.* 4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	61	12	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	79	14	8
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	79	14	8
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	4	8½	
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	5	1½	
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	3	10½	

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:—

379	lbs of Meat	—	lbs of Ginger
12	Bags of Flour	1	lbs of Pepper
1	Sacks of Wholemeal	8	quarts of Whiskey
.	Ton of Indian Meal	1	doz of Wine
.	Ton of Oatmeal	12	doz. of Porter
.	Potatoes	480	Eggs
60	Gallons Buttermilk	30	lbs of Candles
556	Gallons Newmilk	14	lbs of Malt
1	cwt of Salt	1	lbs of Hops
.	lbs of Tea	½	cwt of Soda
180	lbs of Sugar		lbs of Starch
10	lbs of Lump Sugar	2	Bottles Gin
.	cwt of Price	7	lbs Arrow Root
		12	Mix Cheney Spread
		200	yrs Blue Cahir
		100	yrs Linen
		2	Cask Oil Cup
		1	Pr 3 Point Brushes

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 26 *day of* April *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	37	12	6
In Kind, ...			
Total	37	12	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
	No. I.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. II.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. III.				
	Total,				

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On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correc 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.
27 Mrs Johns Rent & Workhouse sds to 1st May	29	8	=
28 J. Doyle Tuning &c	2	13	6

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.
29 J. Doyle Groceries	30	1	9
30 M. Hawes Meat	56	15	7
31 E. Maddock Skimmilk	9	14	11
32 J. Gill do	11	8	1

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

4. *Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.*

	£	s.	d.
Clerks Salty do			
33 J. Rendlesnott Sundries	11	17	11

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Elec'ion, Law, &c., Account with the several sums as above.

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

We visited the House this day and Hospital we found the latter most Carefully attended to We recommend the able bodied Male and female be discharged to seek employment

30th April 1873

Wm Walsh

(Signed) Patrick Codd

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

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

Local Government 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 11746/73 dated 2nd May 1873 transmitting Questions to be answered by the Clerk and the Person who may be appointed Master of the Workhouse, &c. &c.

A letter dated 1st May 1873 from the Commissioner of Valuation stating that he has appointed Mr John Farmer, to make the Annual Revision of the Valuation of this Union &c

A letter dated 29th April 1873 from Mr D Steyn M.P. stating that he had presented to the House of Commons the Petition from this Union against Union Rating,

A letter dated 22nd April 1873 from the Clerk of Ballinrobe Union forwarding Copy of a Petition addressed by the Board of Guardians of that Union in favor of the Permissive Prohibitory Liquor Bill &c &c

The Board made the orders

on this Letter

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	20
Ditto, disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	11

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	666
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 3. day of May, 1851—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. *for* *: Amount £*

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

[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.]

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the 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 John Walsh & seconded by Mr Bartholemew Furlong and passed
That Mr Nicholas Furlong of Tassinan be appointed a member of the Committee of Management of Bridgetown Dispensary district in the room of Mr Patrick Hayes deceased and that the Clerk notify to Mr Furlong his appointment.

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 10th May 1873,

John Roche Esq.

Thos. Whitty
Clerk of Union

(Signed), _____

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10 day of May 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse,	331	447
Permanent Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse,	81	48
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds.		
TOTAL,	412	495

	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males.	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	9	15	118	111	32	30	16	23	34	330
Admitted during the week.	9	7	7	2	3	2	1	0	2	36
Born - - - -										
TOTAL,	18	22	125	113	35	32	17	23	36	366
Discharged during the week,	10	12	6	6	2	2	1	"	"	37
Died, - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	4
Total Discharged and Dead,	10	12	6	6	2	2	1	2	2	41
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	8	10	119	107	33	30	16	21	34	325

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital.	13	In Separate Wards.	11
In Fever Hospital.	48	In Wards with other Inmates	"
Total,	173	Total,	11

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 18 72 457

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 187 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	135	356				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 665

Cost, £37 : 7 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 10th day of May 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Roche Esqr Perse Ryan Esqr D.L.

Other Guardians: John Walsh. Patk Byrne. Patk Murphy. David Redmond. Patk Cardiff. Charles M. Peacocke M. John Hunter. Richard Shunsby. Walter Harpur. Patk Cadd. Willm Poole. C. A. Redmond Esqr. Patrick Broad. Robert Lambert. William Day. Robert Stephenson. Richard Codd. James Hayes. Walter Furlong. Edwd Sinnott. Patk Hayden. John Barden M. Thomas Walsh D.L. Nicholas Byrne. R. A. Caulfield M. Bartle Furlong. John H. Barden M. James Shunsby. John Greene M. Thos Walsh. John Sinnott. Patrick Deacon. William Gaffney and Charles Cole.

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 31.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4074 to No. 4376 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. 212 to No. 234 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 3rd 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, ... £ 37 17 3

Paid during the week, ... £ 151 19 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 1896 5 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.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.	Wexford, - -	"	"	"	104	10	9
Folio in leger Folio in leger	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcavan - -				"	16	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -				"	6	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Artramont, - -				3	11	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -				"	12	1
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Aughwilliam, - -	1	4	6	6	9	5
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -	2	17	11	6	12	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -	1	18	4	11	3	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	"	"	"	2	6	4
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -	"	"	"	3	17	7
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	16	1	7	12	14	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	1	10	7	5	2	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	"	"	16	1
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	1	1	3	31	3	5
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	9	17	1	2	5	7
	TOTAL, -	37	17	3	83	6	1
MARTIN CHAMBERS,							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -				"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -				2	10	5
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -						
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - -						
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -						
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	2	10	5
THOMAS SHARPE....							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -				"	"	9
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -						
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -						
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, - - -						
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	"	"	9
	TOTAL.....	37	17	3	196	4	2

RATE RETURNS.

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 each Week. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4034	13	9	3930	3	3	104	10	6
JOHN STAFFORD....	do.	925	8	1	920	1	3	5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY,.....	do.	1521	16	8	1438	10	4	83	6	1
MARTIN CHAMBERS, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1410	13	0	3	2	4
THOMAS SHARPE	do.	1453	3	7	1443	2	10	9	0	9
TOTAL.....		9368	18	5	9142	13	10	196	4	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 amounts collected.

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 £ 60 s 12 d 4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	60	12	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	78	16	8
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	78	16	8
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		2	10½
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		4	6½
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	9

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:—

368 lbs of Meat	" lbs of Ginger	60 lbs Butt Leather
12 Bags of Flour	" lbs of Pepper	6 Dozen Plates.
" Sacks of Wholemeal	12 quarts of Whiskey	2 Dozen Besins
" Ton of Indian Meal	1 doz of Wine	4 Dozen Chamber
" Ton of Oatmeal	10 doz. of Porter	4 Dozen Pans
" Potatoes	480 Eggs	3 Dozen Knives & Forks
50 Gallons Buttermilk	30 lbs of Candles	2 Carving Knives & Forks
550 Gallons Newmilk	" lbs of Malt	30 lbs Worsted
1 cwt of Salt	" lbs of Hops	10 lbs Cord
" lbs of Tea	" cwt of Soda	2 Large Coffins
100 lbs of Sugar	" lbs of Starch	
10 lbs of Lump Sugar		
" cwt of Rice		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 3 day of Sept whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	30	10	0
In Kind, ...			
Total	30	10	0

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
Folio in Leger .. 34	No. I.	D. Keating	60 0 0		
Folio in Leger .. 35	No. II.	D. Whitty	30 0 0		
	No. III.				
	Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks: Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

		£	s.	d.
Burial				
Le 8	M. Neile Coffins	5	7	
Burial				

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

2. Establishment Account.

		£	s	d.
37	T. Sheffield Ringing	4	8	3

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
36	P. Maddock Sundries	19	10	5

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

4. Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.

		£	s.	d.
Clerk Petty a/c				
41	T. Prendergast Sundries	14	6	1
Clerk Petty a/c				

Credit Treasurer and Debit ~~Funerals, Election, Law~~, &c., Account with the several sums as above.

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

I visited all the departments of the House and find everything in proper order.

There is an offensive smell from the sewer in the yard for the Healthy Female — and I recommend that a patent trap be provided for the opening to sewer.

10th May 1873.

(Signed) Charles H. Peacocke.

Ordered that the recommendation contained in this report be carried into effect by the Master.

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

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

Local Government 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 90 L/73 dated 6th May 1873. Subject "Grant for Medical & Educational purposes".

No 12429/73 dated 1st May 1873. approving of the rate of remuneration proposed to be allowed to Mrs Williams for discharging the duties of Matron till a Successor to Miss Harper will have been appointed. viz £30 per annum.

Ordered that a Sum of £3 be paid to Mr John Kenselah for raising the ceilings of the Dormitories 18 inches higher than he agreed to do in his written Contract with this Board.

Proposed by Mr W. C. Redmond M.P. and Seconded by Mr David Redmond:—

That Mrs Mary Anne Furlong be elected to the Office of Matron of this Workhouse at a Salary of £26 per year with apartments and rations, and that her duties commence from the date of her appointment receiving the Sanction of the Local Government Board and the Sureties named in her proposal be approved by this Board.

Proposed by Mr Pierce Ryan V.C. and Seconded by Mr Patrick Codd Ballyregan

That Miss Cecila Kavanagh be elected to the office of Matron on the same terms.

Proposed by Mr John Tennett and seconded by Mr Patrick Cardiff.

That Miss Bridget Scallan be appointed Matron of the Workhouse on the same terms.

On a poll being taken there voted for Mrs Furlong 17. for Miss Kavanagh 17. for Miss Scallan 2.

On the second poll the two Guardians who had voted for Miss Scallan. voted for Mrs Furlong. giving Mrs Furlong 19 votes as against 17 for Miss Kavanagh.

The Chairman declared Mrs Furlong elected by a Majority of two to the office of Matron of the Workhouse at a Salary of £26 per year with rations and apartments; that her duties would Commence when her appointment would be Sanctioned by the Local Government Board and that the Guardians were Satisfied with her Sureties viz: Mr Nicholas Roche. of Stad Farmer. and Mr John Roche. of Ballygomaw Farmer.

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	32
Ditto, disallowed	4
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	
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	566
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 10th day of May 1873—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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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 £*
38	Bridgetown Mrs Mary Barnwell 1/4 yrs Salary	£5.0.0
	Tagheen & Ryans Dispensary District	
39	A. Kehoe 1/4 yrs Salary	£3.15.0

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

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

District,	. .	£
District,	. .	£
District,	. .	£
District,	. .	£
District,	. .	£
District,	.	£

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the 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 Local Gr Board *dated* 4th May 1873 *stating that* No 1200/73 expressing their approval of the appointment of Dr John P. Waddy to discharge the duties of Medical Officer of Bridgetown Dispensary District during the absence through illness of Dr Tilney at a Salary of £3-3-0 per week.

Extract from Minutes of Proceedings of the Weston Dispensary Committee at their Meeting held on Friday the 9th May 1873.

Proposed by Francis Boxwell M.D.W. and Seconded by Alderman John Joseph Walsh.

That we recommend a properly qualified Midwife be appointed for the Weston Dispensary District at a Salary of £30 per annum.

Passed unanimously.

Resolved unanimously by Board of Guardians that we approve of the appointment of a midwife for the Weston Dispensary District at a Salary of £30 per year, and hereby request the Local Government Board to give their Sanction to same.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday the 17th May 1873.

Pierce Ryan V.C.

(Signed), [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of May 1873

Number of Inmates for whom accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse,	331	430										
Permanent Buildings,	"	"										
Additional Workhouse,	81	68										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL,	412	498										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			8	15	117	170	53	30	48	22	32	495
Admitted during the week.			11	5	4	3	"	2	-	1	2	28
Born - - - -											1	1
TOTAL,			19	20	121	173	53	32	48	23	35	524
Discharged during the week,			4	5	3	4	-	1	"	1	2	20
Died, - - - - -			-	"	2	1	-	-	-	-	3	6
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	5	5	5	"	1	-	1	5	26
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			15	15	116	168	53	31	48	22	30	498

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS. Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital. 116	In separate Wards.	
In Fever Hospital. 68	In Wards with other Inmates 14	
Total, 184	Total, 14	

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1872 456

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 187 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.	135	356				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 553

Cost, £37: 15: 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the 17th day of May 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pierce Ryan Esq J.P.

Other Guardians:

James M. Deary, Patrick Murphy, Patrick Codd, John Sinnott, Walter Harper, Charles H. Peacocke Esq J.P., John Walsh,

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. 3475 to No. 3511 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. 2163 to No. 2346 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 10th 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, ... £

Paid during the week, ... £ 309.3.5

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 1776.9.0

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:—

RATE RETURNS.

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.	Amoun of Rate uncollected at close of each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	9	3950			104		
John Stafford.....	do.	925	8	1	920			5		
James Murphy,.....	do.	1521	16	8	1438	10		83	6	
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1410	16		3		
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1453	3	7	1453	2				
Total.....		9368	18	5	9172	13	10	196	14	7

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Wexford,				104	10	9
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Total,				104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcavan					16	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm,					6	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Lege.	Artramont,				3	11	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick,					12	1
	Total,				5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Aughwilliam,				5	4	11
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty,				3	12	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig,				11	3	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth,				2	6	4
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn,				3	17	7
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown,				12	14	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin,				5	2	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride,					16	1
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon,				31	3	5
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch,				7	5	7
	Total,				83	6	1
MARTIN CHAMBERS,							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh,						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick,				2	10	5
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran,						
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island,						
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass,						
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare,						
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck,						
Folio in leger folio in Leger	St. Helen's,						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Taeumshane,						
	Total,				3	0	2
THOMAS SHARPE....							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown,						
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore,						
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan,						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle,						
Folio in Leger also in leger	Tomhaggard,						
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,						
	Total,						9
	TOTAL.....				196	4	7

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 £ 67 s. 6 d. 6

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	67.	6.	6
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	80.	14.	2
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	80.	14.	2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		3.	0¾
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		4.	6¾
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5.	1¾

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:—

370 lbs of Meat	1 lbs of Ginger	2 pcs Colored Calico
12 Bags of Flour	1 lbs of Pepper	8 yds Print
" Sacks of Wholemeal	12 quarts of Whiskey	1½ yds Print (Damask Pattern)
1 Ton of Indian Meal	2 doz of Wine	3 Doz Knives & Forks
1 Ton of Oatmeal	6 doz. of Porter	2 Large Coffins
" Potatoes	480 Eggs	2 Infants Do
60 Gallons Buttermilk	30 lbs of Candles	8 Blds Twine
384 Gallons Newmilk	" lbs of Malt	
1 cwt of Salt	" lbs of Hops	
1 ~~Chest~~ lbs of Tea	½ cwt of Soda	
100 lbs of Sugar	" lbs of Starch	
10 lbs of Lump Sugar	2 Bottles Gin	
" cwt of Price		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 10 day of Mar*, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	31.	12.	6
In Kind, ...			
Total	31.	12.	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
Folio in Leger ..	No. I.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. II.				
	No. III.				
	Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks: Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correc 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.
42	Cullen & Farrell Calico	7	11	11
43	F. Nolan Calico	7	18	4

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

2. Establishment Account.

		£	s	d.
44	M. Kearns for Suit of Clothes	5	"	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
45	F. Cosgrave Flour	133	11	8

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

4. Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.

		£	s.	d.
47	Clerk Petty Disbs T. Prendergast Funerals	6	3	6
	Clerk Petty			

Credit Treasurer and Debit ~~Funerals, Election, Law~~, &c., Account with the several sums as above.

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

Visited the several departments of the House to day, and found them clean and well ventilated. Several of the Female Children are in Hospital with Measles. In both Schools I found the children much improved.

May 14th 1873 (Signed) John Walsh.

I visited the House this day and have found all its departments in proper order.

17th May 1873. (Signed) Charles H. Peacocke.

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

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

Local Government 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 13033/73 dated 14th May 1873. Subject Return of Nurses engaged as Nurses in Workhouses.

No 13401/73 dated 15 May 1873. forwarding for the information of the Board of Guardians Copy of a Report of the Workhouse School which they received from the Secretaries of the Board of National Education, & C & C.

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	18
Ditto, disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	11

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	566
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	

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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 17th day of May 1851,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

Budgetstown Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. John P. Waddy *for* Heads Salary : *Amount £*

46 Oh=3.3.0 per week 18 7=12.12.0

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

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

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the 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*
16th May 1873	No 13008/73	Stating that they have given directions for the issue of an order under Seal authorizing the Committee to proceed to the appointment of a Dispensary for the Wexford Dispensary District at a Salary £30 per year.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday the 24th May 1873.

John Simcott
Presiding Chairman

Thos Rudkin
Clerk of Union

(Signed), _____

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24 day of May 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	733	414
Additional Workhouse,	81	76
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds.		
TOTAL,	814	490

	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	15	15	116	168	53	31	48	22	30	498
Admitted during the week.	9	2	9	2	"	"	1	4	"	27
Born - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	24	17	125	170	53	31	49	26	30	525
Discharged during the week,	12	3	13	4	1	-	-	-	-	33
Died, - - - - -	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Total Discharged and Dead,	12	3	14	4	1	-	-	-	1	35
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	12	14	111	166	52	31	49	26	29	490

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.	18	In separate Wards.	-
In Fever Hospital.	76	In Wards with other Inmates	14
Total,	194	Total,	14

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 18 72 468

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 187 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	145	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 665

Cost, £28:12 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 24 day of May 1873

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Pierce Ryan Esq V.C.

Other Guardians:

Patrick Codd. Gregory Pigeon Patrick Murphy. John Sinnott. Robert Lambert. Arthur Walsh. John Sullivan. Walter Harper. James Sinnott. Thomas Walsh. William Daly. James M. Vicars Patrick Codd. Bartholmew Furlong and Richard Codd.

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. 252 *to No.* 340 *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. 262 *to No.* 346 *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 17th 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, ... £ 196.4.11

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 580.4.1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

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 each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	9	3950	3	0	104	10	9
John Stafford.....	do.	925	8	1	920	1	3	5	6	10
James Murphy,.....	do.	1521	16	8	1438	10	2	83	6	6
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1410	16	10	3		
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1453	3	7	1453	2	10			
	Total.....	9368	18	5	9172	13	10	196	4	4

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Folio in leger Folio in leger Wexford, - -				104	10	9
	Total, -				104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Ardcavan - -					76	10
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Ardcolm, - -					6	3
	Folio in Leger Folio in Lege- Artramont, - -				3	11	8
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Kilpatrick, - -					12	1
	Total, -				5	6	0
JAMES MURPHY.....	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Aughwilliam, - -				5	4	11
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Ballymitty, - -				3	12	4
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Carrig, - -				11	3	3
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Forth, - -				2	6	4
	Folio in leger Folio in Leger Glynn, - -				3	17	7
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Harperstown, - -				12	14	3
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Killurin, - -				5	2	4
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Kilbride, - -					16	1
	Folio in leger Folio in Leger Taghmon, - -				31	3	5
	Folio in Leger folio in Leger Whitechurch, - -				7	5	7
	Total, -				83	6	1
MARTIN CHAMBERS,	Folio in leger Folio in Leger Drinagh, - -						
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Killinick, - -				2	10	5
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Kilscoran, - -						
	Folio in leger folio in leger Lady's Island, - -						
	Folio in Leger Folio in leger Mayglass, - -						
	Folio in Leger folio in leger Rosslare, - -						
	Folio in leger Folio in leger Rathaspeck, - -						
	Folio in leger folio in leger St. Helen's, - -						
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Tacumshane, - -						
	Total, -				2	10	5
THOMAS SHARPE....	Folio in leger Folio in leger Bridgetown, - -						9
	Folio in Leger Folio in leger Kilmore, - -						
	Folio in leger folio in leger Kilcowan, - -						
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Newcastle, - -						
	Folio in Leger also in leger Tomhaggard, - -						
	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, - -						
	Total, -						9
	TOTAL.....				196	4	11

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

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

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 £ 65 s. 9 d. 5

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 65.9.5

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account. 78.11.0

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 78.11.9

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 2.11.4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 4.5.4

5.2.4

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:—

417 lbs of Meat	lbs of Ginger	20 lbs Split Leather
90 Bags of Flour	1 lbs of Pepper	2000 Shoe Nails
2 Sacks of Wholemeal	12 quarts of Whiskey	100 yds Wincey
" Ton of Indian Meal	1 doz of Wine	3 Large Toffees
" Ton of Oatmeal	doz. of Porter	4 Small Do
" Potatoes	600 Eggs	2 lbs Snuff
50 Gallons Buttermilk	30 lbs of Candles	1 Gal Lamp Oil
522 Gallons Newmilk	14 lbs of Malt	1 Box Lamp Lights
1 cwt of Salt	1 lbs of Hops	3 Doz Pack Cords
" lbs of Tea	cwt of Soda	3 Do Line Do
100 lbs of Sugar	lbs of Starch	2 Do Yards Thread
6 lbs of Lump Sugar		
cwt of Price		

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	31.	12.	6.
In Kind, ...			
Total	31.	12.	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
Folio in Leger .. 48	No. I.	P. Keating	40.0.0		
Folio in Leger .. 49	No. II.	S. Whitty	30.0.0		
	No. III.				
	Total,.		70.0.0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks: Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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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.
50	D. Murphy Straw	10	2	4

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

		£	s.	d.
51	D. Carroll Ware	18	11	"
54	D. Flanelah on acc of Contract	50	"	

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
52	S. Doyle Groceries	20	4	6

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

4. *Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.*

		£	s.	d.
Clerks Petty a/c				
53	T. Prendergast Smalle	12	6	2
Clerks Petty a/c				

Credit Treasurer and Debit ~~Funerals,~~ Election, Law, &c., Account with the several sums as above.

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

I visited the House, Schools and Infirmary & found all in perfect order. particularly the Hospital where I found the number of patients are considerably diminished by the unremitting Care and great attention of the Nuns.

21st May 1873 (Signed) John Walsh.

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

Report of the Visiting Committee on the workhouse and infirmary, 24 May 1873

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

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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 12922 dated 17 May 1873 expressing their approval of the appointment of Miss Mary Anne Fields to the Office of Matron of the Workhouse at a Salary of £25 per annum, and rations.

A letter dated 23rd May 1873. from Sir D. Seey M.P. stating that he had presented to the House of Commons the two Petitions from the Board of Guardians of this Union forwarded to him by the Clerk of the Union

A letter dated 23 May 1873. from D. J. Power M.P. stating that the Petitions forwarded to Sir D. Seey for presentation to the House of Commons from the Board of Guardians of Wexford Union. will have his best Consideration.

Moved by Sir Thos Walsh and Seconded by Sir Patrick Murphy and passed—

That a Committee of the following Gentlemen Bartholmew Furlong. Patrick [illegible]

Thomas Walsh. James Sinnott. John Walsh and Patrick Murphy. be appointed to visit and report to day to the Board of Guardians upon the necessary plastering and ceiling required to be done in the apartments intended for the occupation of the Nuns and that the plan and Specification be laid before the Board.

We your Committee appointed to visit and report as to the quantity of extra ceiling required for the Hall. Kitchen and Sitting Room of the apartments fitting up for the occupation of the Infirmarian Nuns are unanimous in recommending that the work be executed, and we believe the Sum asked Ten Pounds. Ten Shillings a fair Sum for the proper performance of the work.

Signed Thos Walsh
Chairman of Committee.

Ordered That Sir Thos Kenealy the Contractor for the alterations at present making in the Workhouse for the accommodation of the Nuns be paid a Sum of Ten Pounds. ten Shillings for plastering and ceiling the Hall. Kitchen. and Sitting Room proposed to be appropriated to their use he having agreed with the Board to do the work specified for that amount.

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	23
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	
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	566
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	

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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 24 day of May 18 53,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

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 25 March 18 73, *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half year ended* 25 March 1873. 18

Wexford	District,	£160.8.2
Broadway	District,	£96.3.0
Bridgetown	District,	£73.0.4
Bannow	District,	£79.11.6
Taghmon & Clan	District,	£81.18.6
Crossabeg	District,	£76.12.5

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. *of*

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

Order dated, 19th May 1873, (state subject), to appoint a Midwife for the Wexford Dispensary District

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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 31st May 1873.

D. Kearsdale D.L.C.

Thos. Meadows Clerk of Union

(Signed),

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 31 day of May 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse,	331	407
Permanent Buildings,	"	"
Additional Workhouse,	81	83
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds.		
TOTAL,	412	484

	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	12	14	111	166	52	31	49	26	29	490
Admitted during the week.	8	4	8	"	"	1	"	"	"	21
Born - - - -										
TOTAL,	20	18	119	166	52	32	49	26	29	511
Discharged during the week,	5	5	8	4	3	1	1	"	"	27
Died, - - - -				1				1		2
Total Discharged and Dead,	5	5	8	5	3	1	1	1	"	29
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	15	13	111	161	49	31	48	25	29	482

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.	
In Fever Hospital.	83	In Wards with other Inmates	14
Total,	194	Total,	14

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1872..... 477

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 187 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	145	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 547

Cost, £ 28:17:6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 31 day of May 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pierce Ryan Esq V.C.

Other Guardians:

Charles H. Peacocke P. George Lee Hunter P.
Thos Shaddock. Patrick Codd, Thomas Walsh,
John Kehoe. Richard Murphy, & James Hayes.

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. 3541 to No. 3564 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. 2162 to No. 2346 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 25th 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, ... £ s. d.

Paid during the week, ... £116 4 0

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £1464 0 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

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 each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	9	3950			104	10	9
John Stafford.....	do.	925	8	1	822	6	3	103	3	10
James Murphy,.....	do.	1321	16	8	1218	12	7	103	3	1
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1310	12	10	103	3	6
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1453	3	7	1345	12	10	107	10	9
Total.....		9368	18	5	8646	13	10	721	11	7

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Folio in leger Folio in leger Wexford, - -				104	10	9
	Total, -				104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Ardcavan - -					16	10
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Ardcolm, - - -				4	6	3
	Folio in Lege- Folio in Lege- Artramont, - -				3	11	8
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Kilpatrick, - -					12	1
	Total, -				5	6	0
JAMES MURPHY.....	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Aughwilliam, - -				5	4	11
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Ballymaitty, - -				3	12	4
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Carrig, - - -				11	3	3
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Forth, - - -				2	6	11
	Folio in leger Folio in Leger Glynn, - - -				3	17	3
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Harperstown, - -				12	14	3
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Killurin, - - -				5	2	4
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Kilbride, - - -					16	1
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Taghmon, - - -				3	5	5
	Folio in Leger folio in Leger Whitechurch, - -				2	5	7
	Total, -				83	6	1
MARTIN CHAMBERS,	Folio in leger Folio in Leger Drinagh, - - -						
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Killinick, - - -				2	10	5
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Kilscoran, - -						
	Folio in leger folio in leger Lady's Island, - -						
	Folio in Leger Folio in leger Mayglass, - - -						
	Folio in Leger folio in leger Rosslare, - - -						
	Folio in leger Folio in leger Rathaspeck, - -						
	Folio in leger folio in leger St. Helen's, - -						
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Tacumshane, - -						
	Total, -				2	10	5
THOMAS SHARPE....	Folio in leger Folio in leger Bridgetown, - -						
	Folio in Leger Folio in leger Kilmore, - - -						
	Folio in leger folio in leger Kilcowan, - -						
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Newcastle, - -						
	Folio in Leger olio in leger Tomhaggard, - -						
	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, - - -						
	Total, -						
	TOTAL.....				146	4	11

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the Lodgments made by them. *Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.*

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.5 d.7

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	105	5	7
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	79	11	2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	79	11	2
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		3	0¼
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		4	6¼

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:—

447	lbs of Meat	5	lbs of Ginger
12	Bags of Flour	1	lbs of Pepper
2	Sacks of Wholemeal	8	quarts of Whiskey
	Ton of Indian Meal	2	doz of Wine
	Ton of Oatmeal	2	doz. of Porter
	Potatoes	4	Eggs
57	Gallons Buttermilk	20	lbs of Candles
542	Gallons Newmilk	14	lbs of Malt
1	cwt of Salt	1	lbs of Hops
7	lbs of Tea	4	cwt of Soda
100	lbs of Sugar	14	lbs of Starch
18	lbs of Lump Sugar		
2	cwt of Rice		

1 Mutton Suet Lard
1 Salt Beef
1 Pr Sparerib
2 Calves Head
30 Lbs Potatoes
2 Cwt Coal
8 Loaves Bread
1 Dz Cabbages

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

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

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

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

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

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
	No. I.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. II.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. III.				
	Total,				

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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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. *Clothing Account.*

		£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

		£	s.	d.
55	M. Bent Rent	3	14	6
56	A. Mackey advertising	5	-	-
57	E. Walsh Do	5	-	-
58	Freeman Do	5	-	-

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
59	W. Harvey Meat	52	6	0

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

4. *Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.*

		£	s.	d.
	Deaf & Dumb &c			
59	P. O'Brien Burying & Coffin	7	10	-
	Debit Deaf & Dumb &c and Credit Treasurer with above sum			
	Clerk of Peace &c			
60	J. Henderson Sundries	12	9	3

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Election, Law, &c., 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 this day and found the different departments in good order

31st May 1873 (Signed) John Walsh

The Chapel is reported by Chaplain very uncomfortable that the Master ascertain by this day week the best and most economical way of remedying it

31st May 1873 (Signed) George Hunt
Edward Peacocke

Ordered that this recommendation be carried out by the Master,

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

A supply of Tweed is required

Ordered that the Clerk advertise in the local newspapers for Tenders for the supply of 100 yds of Tweed @ 3/- per yard Tenders to be considered on the 14th Proxo.

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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 14427/73, dated 28th May 1873 subject Amendment of jurors lists,

Letter dated 24th May 1873 from Mr Rowan Hy P. stating in reply to the Clerks letter of the 19th inst. that he will give his best support to the Petitions presented to the House of Commons on behalf of the Board of Guardians of Wexford against Mr Darcy praying that all property may be rated for the relief of the Poor and that the Compulsory removal of poor persons from England Wales & Scotland to Ireland may be prohibited

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	18
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 was	576
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	

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

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

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

There was no business under the above Acts transacted by the Board of Guardians at their Meeting held on Saturday 31st May 1873

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 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 7th June 1873.

Peirce Ryan
P.C.

(Signed), _____
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of June 1873.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse,	231	113
Permanent Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse,	81	31
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds.		
TOTAL,	312	173

	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	15	13	111	161	40	31	48	25	31	484
Admitted during the week.	11	4	10	1	1	"	2	3	3	35
Born - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	26	17	121	162	50	31	50	28	34	519
Discharged during the week,	11	9	13	"	"	1	11	11	3	45
Died, - - - - -	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1
Total Discharged and Dead,	11	9	13	1	"	1	11	11	3	46
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	15	8	108	161	50	30	46	21	31	473

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.	113	In separate Wards. 1
		In Wards with other Inmates 15
In Fever Hospital.	31	
	Total, 154	Total, 73

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 18 72 460

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 187 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	145	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 594

Cost, £29. 2. 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 14th day of June 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pierse Ryan Esq D.L.

Other Guardians:

Walter Harpur, John Walsh, Pat. Codd, Charles A. Pearce P. Patrick Hayden, Walter Furlong, Richard Codd, Thos Doran, James M. Dean, William Day, Patrick Murphy, Daniel Shiers Furlong, Thomas Walsh, & Wm. Maddock D.

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. 536 to No. 539 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. 312 to No. 346 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 31st 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, ... £ ~ ~

Paid during the week, ... £162 0 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £1301 19 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:—

RATE RETURNS.

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.	Amoun of Rate uncollected at close of each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4034	13	9	3950	3	3	104	10	2
John Stafford.....	do.	925	8	1	920	1	1	5	6	10
James Murphy,.....	do.	1521	16	8	1438	16	2	83	3	6
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1410	5	10	3	0	6
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1453	3	7	1453	3	3	~	~	~
Total.....		9368	18	5	9172	13	10	196	0	4

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Wexford, - -	~	~	~	104	10	9
	TOTAL, -	~	~	~	104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcavan - -				"	16	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -				"	6	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Artramont, - -				3	11	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -				"	12	1
	TOTAL, -	~	~	~	5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Aughwilliam, - -				5	4	11
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -				3	12	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -				11	3	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -				2	6	4
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -				3	17	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -				12	14	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -				5	2	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -				"	16	1
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -				31	3	5
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -				2	5	11
	TOTAL, -	~	~	~	83	6	1
MARTIN CHAMBERS,							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -				"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -				2	10	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - - -						
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -						
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -						
	TOTAL, -	~	~	~	2	10	3
THOMAS SHARPE....							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -						9
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -						
Folio in Leger olio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -						
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, - - -						
	TOTAL, -						9
	TOTAL.....				196	4	11

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the amounts collected.

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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. 17 d. 3

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d. 62.17.3

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 80.1.5

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account. 80.1.5

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 3.1.6½

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 4.6½

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 5.5½

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:—

358 lbs of Meat	" lbs of Ginger	40½ lbs Blue Table
12 Bags of Flour	1 lbs of Pepper	10 lbs Candles
" Sacks of Wholemeal	½ quarts of Whiskey	1 Large Coffin.
" Ton of Indian Meal	1 doz of Wine	
" Ton of Oatmeal	10 doz. of Porter	
" Potatoes	600 Eggs	
50 Gallons Buttermilk	30 lbs of Candles	
342 Gallons Newmilk	" lbs of Malt	
1 cwt of Salt	" lbs of Hops	
" lbs of Tea	" cwt of Soda	
100 lbs of Sugar	" lbs of Starch	
6 lbs of Lump Sugar	2 Bottles Gin	
1 cwt of Rice	1 lb Blue	

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	31	14	6
In Kind, ...			
Total	31	14	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
Folio in Leger .. 61	No. I.	E. Keating	40 0 0		
Folio in Leger .. 62	No. II.	E. Kelly	50 0 0		
	No. III.				
	Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correc 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.
63	D. Murphy. Straw	5	12	8

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.
64	P. Maddock.	Stewmt 15	23	8	3
65	Do	Do	10	11	3
66	P. Ryan.	Do	58	4	1
67	D. Ogle	Do	12	10	0

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

4. *Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.*

			£	s.	d.
	Clerks Petty &c				
68	T. Prendergast	Sundries	12	14	1
	Clerks Petty &c				

Credit Treasurer and ~~Debit~~ Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account with the several sums as above.

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

Found the Several Apartments of the House this day in excellent order.

(4th June 1873) John Walsh.

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

Ord to request that a Committee may be appointed to examine the Cloths named in the Condemned Clothing Book which D considers unfit for further use.

Ordered that the following Articles having been inspected by Guardian appointed for the purpose are on their recommendation hereby Condemned, viz 240 Pair Shoes 29 Aprons 90 Rugs 137 Sheets 64 Blankets 170 Aprons 207 Bibs 71 Flannel Petticoats 60 Cotton Petticoats 114 Handkerchiefs 188 Shirts 70 Frocks 50 Wrappers 49 Bodies 28 Towels 167 Shifts 50 Ticks 28 Bolsters 13 Flannel Petticoats 69 Flannel waistcoats 92 Caps 160 Pair Stockings 97 Trowsers 50 Drawers 80 Caps 34 Dozen Jacketts 27 Pairs Cuffs 62 Sweeping Brushes 5 Whitewash Brushes.

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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 101 R/13 dated 4th June 1873. Requesting Particulars respecting Rates made &c &c.

A letter dated 2nd June 1873. from the Clerk of Gorey Union, stating that he had placed the Petition from this Board before the Board of Guardians of Gorey Union by whom they were unanimously adopted.

A letter dated 4th June 1873. from Sir Th. Williams Manager of the Wexford Central Ireland Railway enclosing Circular in reference to the Waterford New Ross, and Wexford Railway, Junction Bill and requesting the Clerk to send him a list of the elected Guardians of this Union &c &c.

Ordered that the Clerk send to Sir Williams a List of the Elected Guardians for this Union,

Ordered that the Master get the damp side Wall of the Chapel weather Slated.

Ordered that the Clerk take the necessary measures for the striking of a new Rate.

Moved by Thr John Walsh and Seconded by Thr Patrick Codd. & passed nem Con.

That the Petition now read against the Valuation Bill now before Parliament be adopted by this Board that it be engrossed by the Clerk, sealed with the Union Seal and signed by the Chairman and then forwarded to Sir Redmond M.P. for presentation to the House of Commons and that the Clerk write to the other Members of the County to support its Prayer.

Moved by Thr Patrick Codd and Seconded by Thr John Walsh & passed nem Con.

That the thanks of this Board be conveyed by our Clerk to William Archer Redmond Esq M.P. for the close attention and Care paid by him to his Parliamentary duties especially when measures of importance to Ireland were under discussion in the Imperial Parliament.

Notice of Motion.

I hereby give notice that I will move on this day Week that Michael Furlong be removed from Lady Island Division and placed on his proper Electoral Boundary

7th June 1873, (Signed) Bartholomew Furlong.

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	9	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was		
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	576	
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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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the ~~BOARD~~ of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 7th day of June 1873,—*continued.*

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

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

There was no business under the above heading transacted by the Board of Guardians at their Meeting held on Saturday the 14th June 1873.

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 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 14th June 1873.

Thos Russell
Presiding Chair

Thos Rudkin
Clerk of Union

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of June 1873.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse,	331	417										
Permanent Buildings,	"	"										
Additional Workhouse,	81	98										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL,	812	445										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			15	8	108	161	50	30	46	24	31	473
Admitted during the week.			6	4	4	3	"	"	"	"	2	19
Born - - - - -			"	"	"	"					2	2
TOTAL,			21	12	112	164	50	30	46	24	35	494
Discharged during the week,			10	10	14	1	3	1	2	1	5	47
Died, - - - - -			"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			10	10	15	2	3	1	2	1	5	49
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			11	2	97	162	47	29	44	23	30	445

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS. Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital. 94	In separate Wards. "	
In Fever Hospital. 28	In Wards with other Inmates 45	
Total, 122	Total, 75	

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1872..... 458

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 187 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.	144	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 545

Cost, £24: 2: 6.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 14th day of June 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, Thomas Walsh, J.P.

Other Guardians:

Patrick Joyce, Patrick Codd, David Redmond, James Hayes, Charles H. Peacocke J.P., Robert Lambert, John Sinnott, Walter Harpur, Patrick Fitzhenry, Gregory Forster, John Nolan, James Sinnott, & Richard Codd.

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. 331 to No. 445 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. 212 to No. 346 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 7th 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, ... £

Paid during the week, ... £ 200-12-0

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 1101-9-0

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:—

RATE RETURNS.

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.			Amount of Rate uncollected at close of each Week.		
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	9	3950			103	12	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....	do.	925	8	1	920			5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1321	16	8	1238	10		83	6	0
MARTIN CHAMBERS, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1410	16		3	0	0
THOMAS SHARPE	do.	1453	3	7	1453	2	10			
TOTAL.....		9368	18	5	9372	13	10	196	4	9

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Folio in leger Folio in leger Wexford, - -	"	"	"	103	12	9
	TOTAL, -				103	12	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....							
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Ardcavan - -	"	"	"	"	16	10
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Ardcolm, - -	"	"	"	"	6	3
	Folio in Leger Folio in Lege- Artramont, - -	"	"	"	3	11	8
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Kilpatrick, - -	"	"	"	"	12	1
	TOTAL, -				5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....							
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Aughwilliam, - -	"	"	"	5	7	11
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Ballynaitty, - -	"	"	"	3	12	4
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Carrig, - -	"	"	"	11	3	3
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Forth, - -	"	"	"	2	6	4
	Folio in leger Folio in Leger Glynn, - -	"	"	"	3	17	7
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	12	14	3
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Killurin, - -	"	"	"	5	2	4
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Kilbride, - -	"	"	"	"	16	1
	Folio in leger Folio in Leger Taghmon, - -	"	"	"	31	3	5
	Folio in Leger folio in Leger Whitechurch, - -	"	"	"	1	5	2
	TOTAL, -				83	6	1
MARTIN CHAMBERS,							
	Folio in leger Folio in Leger Drinagh, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Killinick, - -	"	"	"	2	10	3
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Kilscoran, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Folio in leger folio in leger Lady's Island, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Folio in Leger Folio in leger Mayglass, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Folio in Leger folio in leger Rosslare, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Folio in leger Folio in leger Rathaspeck, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Folio in leger folio in leger St. Helen's, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Tacumshane, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	TOTAL, -				2	10	3
THOMAS SHARPE....							
	Folio in leger Folio in leger Bridgetown, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Folio in Leger Folio in leger Kilmore, - -	"	"	"			
	Folio in leger folio in leger Kilcowan, - -	"	"	"			
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Newcastle, - -	"	"	"			
	Folio in Leger ohio in leger Tomhaggard, - -	"	"	"			
	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, - -	"	"	"			
	TOTAL, -						
	TOTAL.....				196	4	11

NOTE—A total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot of *each* Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the Rate 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 £ 67 s. 17 d. 9

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. £ 67-17-9

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 77-19-0

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account. 77-19-0

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 3-0¾

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 4-4¾d

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 5-11

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:—

332 lbs of Meat	" lbs of Ginger
12 Bags of Flour	1 lbs of Pepper
2 ~~Sacks of Wholemeal~~	" quarts of Whiskey
" Ton of Indian Meal	1 doz of Wine
" Ton of Oatmeal	10 doz. of Porter
" Potatoes	600 Eggs
60 Gallons Buttermilk	20 lbs of Candles
342 Gallons Newmilk	" lbs of Malt
1 cwt of Salt	" lbs of Hops
1 ~~Chest~~ lbs of Tea	" cwt of Soda
100 lbs of Sugar	14 lbs of Starch
6 lbs of Lump Sugar	28 lbs Soap
" cwt of Rice	

200 yds Navy Blue
200 yds Shrunduy Calico
60 yds Print.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of June whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	31	14	6
In Kind, ...			
Total	31	14	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
	No. I.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. II.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. III.				
	Total				

Credit Treasurer with Checks: Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
69 T. Prendergast Sundries	9	18	11

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. Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.

	£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Election, Law, &c., 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:—

I visited the House this day and find it in every respect in good order. and recommend that the Boys & the Girls School rooms be painted & whitewashed; and also recommend that the departments of the Matron and the Nurse should be papered and painted,

14th June 1875 (Signed) Charles A. Pearce.

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

A Schoolboy named Philip Holmes absconded on Monday last. He was arrested by the Constabulary and brought before the Magistrates at Petty Sessions who sentenced him to five years imprisonment in Glencree Reformatory.

I have received a box of soap and have to request that a Committee may compare it with the sample.

It is now three years since the Workhouse was painted.

Ordered that the Soap has been inspected and found equal to Sample; that the internal and external wood and Iron work of the Workhouse be painted; that the Local Government Board are hereby requested to send a Copy of the Specification for painting usually issued by them to Boards of Guardians; and that the Clerk on receipt of Specification is hereby directed to advertise for Proposals for the work.

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 15578 dated 9th June 1873.
Subject "Duvras Lists."

A letter from the Clerk of Cahirciveen Union dated 7th June 1873. Stating that the Board of Guardians of that Union had adopted the Petition forwarded from this Union that all property may be liable to payment of Rates for the Relief of the Poor.

A letter dated 12th June 1873 from Mr W.A Redmond M.P. Stating that he had presented the Petition from the Board against the Revaluation Ireland Bill and that he felt grateful to the Board for their kind appreciation of his public efforts to discharge his duties in Parliament as efficiently as he was able.

Ordered that the Contractor for the alterations at present making in the Workhouse be directed to complete them as early as possible. the progress he has made in the work up to this not being at

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to the Board.

Moved by Mr John Walsh and Seconded by Mr David Redmond and passed:—

That the Petition just read against the Guarantee Clause contained in the Waterford, New Ross and Wexford Junction Railway at present before the House of Lords be adopted by this Board and that when engrossed by the Clerk and Sealed with the Union Seals and Signed by the Chairman on behalf of the Board that it be forwarded by the Clerk for presentation to the House of Lords to the Right Honble the Earl of Granard K.P. with a request that his Lordship will give its prayers his warmest support.

Moved by Mr John Walsh and Seconded by Mr James Hayes:—

That the Union Advertisements be inserted in the three Local Newspapers and the "County Wexford Express" and that each Newspaper be paid for the year a Sum of £5.0.0.

Moved as an Amendment by Mr David Redmond and Seconded by Mr James Sinnott

That the Clerk advertise for Tenders for Advertisements for the Union for one Year.

The Amendment was carried 13 having voted for. and but 3 for the original Motion.

Ordered that the Clerk in each of the following Newspapers for Tenders for advertising for the Union for 12 Months viz "Wexford Independent."

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 2
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 ... ...
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 576
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered ... ...

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

"Wexford People" "Wexford Constitution" and County "Wexford Express" and that the Tenders be considered by the Board on the 28th Instant.

Resolved that the Tender of Mr John Ryan to Supply 100 yards Tweed Same as Sample @ 3/= per Yard is accepted.

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

day of 18

Signed,

... ...

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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 14th day of June 1873,—*continued.*

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 procure from the Apothecaries Hall Dublin the Medicines &c required for Crossabeg Dispensary District.

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 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 21st June 1873.—

Thos. Walsh
Presiding Chair

Wm. Rudkin
Clerk of Union

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21 day of June 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	731	442
Additional Workhouse,		
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	23
Fever Sheds.		
TOTAL,	812	465

	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.	11	2	97	162	17	29	44	23	30	445
Admitted during the week.	9	6	14	6	"	3	4	1	2	45
Born - - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	—
TOTAL,	20	8	111	168	17	32	48	24	32	490
Discharged during the week,	2	3	3	10	1	2	2	"	2	25
Died, - - - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	—
Total Discharged and Dead,	2	3	3	10	1	2	2	-	2	25
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	18	5	108	158	16	30	46	24	30	465

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,	97	In separate Wards.	
In Fever Hospital,	23	In Wards with other Inmates	74
Total,	120	Total,	74

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 18 72 466

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 21 day of June 1873 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.	144	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 564

Cost, £9:18:6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 21 day of June 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, Thos Walsh Esq D.L. & Patrick Ryan Esq V.C.

Other Guardians:

John Walsh, Patk Codd, (B.) Thos Walsh, James Cleary, Barth Furlong, and James M'Keary also.

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 3626 to No 3646 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 2162 to No 2346 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 served him by the Board on the 14 Instant.

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WEXFORD UNION.

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Admitted during the week.			9	6	4	6	"	3	4	1	2	45
Born - - - -			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	—
TOTAL,			20	8	111	168	47	32	48	24	32	490
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Died, - - - - -			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	—
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	3	3	10	1	2	2	-	2	25
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			18	5	108	158	46	30	46	24	30	465

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In Fever Hospital, 23	In Wards with other Inmates 44	
Total, 120	Total, 74	

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1872 466

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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 14 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, ... £ [illegible]

Paid during the week, ... £ 9. 18. 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 1091. 10. 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Wexford, - -	[illegible]			104	10	9
	TOTAL, -	.	.	.	104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....	Ardcavan - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	16	10
	Ardcolm, - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	6	3
	Artramont, - -	[illegible]			3	11	8
	Kilpatrick, - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	12	1
	TOTAL, -	.	.	.	5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....	Aughwilliam, - -	[illegible]			3	4	11
	Ballymitty, - -	[illegible]			3	12	4
	Carrig, - - -	[illegible]			11	3	3
	Forth, - - -	[illegible]			2	6	4
	Glynn, - - -	[illegible]			3	7	3
	Harperstown, - -	[illegible]			12	14	3
	Killurin, - - -	[illegible]			5	2	4
	Kilbride, - - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	16	1
	Taghmon, - - -	[illegible]			31	3	5
	Whitechurch, - -	[illegible]			7	5	7
	TOTAL, -	[illegible]	-	.	83	6	1
MARTIN CHAMBERS,	Drinagh, - - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Killinick, - -	[illegible]			2	10	3
	Kilscoran, - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Lady's Island, - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Mayglass, - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Rosslare, - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Rathaspeck, - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	St. Helen's, - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Tacumshane, - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	TOTAL, -	[illegible]	-	.	2	10	3
THOMAS SHARPE....	Bridgetown, - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Kilmore, - - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	9
	Kilcowan, - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Newcastle, - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Tomhaggard, - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Bannow, - - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Duncormack, - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Harristown, - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Killag, - - -	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	TOTAL, -	.	-	-	.	.	9
	TOTAL.....	[illegible]	-	-	196	4	11

RATE RETURNS.

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.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of each Week. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	3750	3	9	104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....	do.	925	8	920	1	1	5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1521	16	1438	12	8	83	6	1
MARTIN CHAMBERS, ...	do.	1413	16	1410	16	4	2	10	3
THOMAS SHARPE	do.	1453	3	1453	12	7	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
TOTAL.....		9368	18	8972	13	5	196	4	11

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

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

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1. *The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.*
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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 60 s. 19 d. 3

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The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 72. 5. 4

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account. 72. 5. 4

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 2. 11. 4

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 4. 4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 5. 35

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 lbs of Meat	1 lbs of Ginger	200 yds Jules Calico
10 Bags of Flour	1 lbs of Pepper	100 yds Linen
Sacks of Wholemeal	4 quarts of Whiskey	100 yds Flannel
Ton of Indian Meal	2 doz of Wine	30 lbs Worsted
Ton of Oatmeal	doz. of Porter	12 lbs Sewing Thread
Potatoes	180 Eggs	500 yds Drapery
60 Gallons Buttermilk	20 lbs of Candles	600 lbs Butt Leather
192 Gallons Newmilk	14 lbs of Malt	2 Doz Cut Blades
1 cwt of Salt	1 lbs of Hops	2 Hay Stones
lbs of Tea	cwt of Soda	1 lb Sewing Silk
100 lbs of Sugar	4 lbs of Starch	1 Gal Lamp Oil
10 lbs of Lump Sugar		1 Box Lamp Lights
cwt of Rice		

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	31.	14.	6
In Kind, ...			
Total	31	14	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
Folio in Leger .. 7	No. I.	P. Keating	40		
Folio in Leger .. 72	No. II.	J. O'Rattle	30		
	No. III.				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

			£	s.	d.
73	Cullen & Farrell	Clothing Contract	16	7	4

Establishment &c

74	M. Devlin	Insurance	8	.	.
75	Rev. Jas Kehoe	Salary	7	10	-
76	Rev. Jas Roche	do	7	10	-
77	T. Prendergast	do	25	-	-
78	P. J. Dean	do	31	5	-
79	P. Kavanagh	do	15	-	-
80					
81	M. Tyrrell	do	3	15	0
82	J. Devine	do	9	7	6
83	M. Dunne	do	5	-	-
84	M. Furlong	do	6	10	-
85	Mrs. C. Leary	do	10	5	-
86	M. & P. Byrne	do	10	5	-
87	E. Williams	do	4	-	-
88	M. Kearns	do	3	15	-
89	P. Keating	do	10	-	-
	P. Whitty	do	8	15	-

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

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
90	L. Doyle	Grocers	57	8	3

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

4. Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.

			£	s.	d.
77	T. Prendergast	Allowance & Salary	2	10	-
91	D. J. Carey	Maintenance of Blind Boy	7	10	-
		Clerk Petty Sessions			
98	T. Prendergast	Expenses & Petty	14	11	7

Credit Treasurer and Debit ~~Funerals, Election, Law, &c.,~~ Account with the several sums as above.

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

We have visited the several departments of the House this day, and were much gratified to find all in good order, owing to the Care of the Master, we find but 89 patients in the Hospital being a decrease of 61 since the 14th Instant. In all the Schools the Children answering with efficiency, and are remarkably neat and clean. We find there is no progress made by the Contractor during the past week with the Apartments intended for the occupation of the Supernumerary Nurses.

31st June 1873

(Signed) John Walsh
Patk. Codd

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

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

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

N°76522/73 dated 20 June 1873 forwarding specification for painting the inside, and outside of the Workhouse &c &c

Resolved that the Clerk advertise for Tenders for painting the Workhouse according to the Specification forwarded by the Local Government Board - that the Tender be received and Considered on Saturday the 12th Prox. and that a period of two Months be allowed to complete the painting of

Moved Cycl. John Walsh and seconded by Mr Bartle Furlong & passed, That a Copy of the Petition adopted by this Board against the Guarantee Clause contained in the Waterford New Ross & Wexford Railway Bill be forwarded by our Clerk to the Board of Guardians of Enniscorthy Union in the hope that a similar one may be adopted by them and forwarded to the House of Lords for presentation, without delay

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	34
Ditto, disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	11

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	596
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 21st day of June 1873—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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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 M. J. Sheridan for 4th qrs salary: Amount £ 30

92	Broadway Distr.	Dest Mr R. Whitaker for do	25
93	Bridgetown Distr.	Mr T Sterling for do	25
95	Bannow Distr.	Dr J Boyd for do	25
96	Tacumshane Glynn Distr.	Dr W. D. Sinnott for do	25
97	Crossabeg Distr.	Mr J Prendergast for do	20

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

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

District, £

District, £

District, £

District, £

District, £

District, £

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the 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 28th June 1873

John Roche
Presiding Chairman.

Thos Redmond
Clerk of Union

(Signed),

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28 day of June 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied. 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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS. Number in Hospital on the above date.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS. No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	731	469													
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	22													
TOTAL,	812	484													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			18	5	108	158	46	30	7	6	24	302	465		
Admitted during the week.			5	9	10	6	4	-	2	1	3	40			
Born - - - -											1	1			
TOTAL,			23	14	118	164	50	30	9	7	28	343			
Discharged during the week,			6	2	9	2	1	1	-	-	1	22			
Died, - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	2	9	2	1	1	-	-	1	22			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			17	12	109	162	49	29	9	7	27	321			

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS: In Workhouse Hospital 112; In Separate Wards. In Fever Hospital 22; To Wards with other Inmates 16. Total, 134. Total, 16.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1872 474

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 28 day of June 1873 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.	144	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 564

Cost, £29:18:6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the day of June 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Roche Esq.

Other Guardians:

Pat. Murphy. John Walsh. Walter Harpur. Robt. Lambert. John Sinnott. Chas. Pedcocke JP. James Hore. David Redmond. Patrick Codd. Richd. Murphy. John Maddock. Bartle Furlong. Pat. Codd. 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.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No 3647 to No 3691 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 2169 to No 2346 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 21 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, ... £ —

Paid during the week, ... £ 339. 4. 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 752. 5. 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:—

RATE RETURNS.

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.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of each Week.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4034	13	9	3650	104 10 9
John Stafford.....	do.	925	8	1	820	5 10 1
James Murphy,.....	do.	1521	16	8	1438	83 6 1
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1410	3 0
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1453	3	7	1453	
Total.....		9368	18	5		

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Wexford, - -				104	10	9
	Total, -						
JOHN STAFFORD.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcavan - -					16	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -					6	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Lege-	Artramont, - -				3	11	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -					12	1
	Total, -						
JAMES MURPHY.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Aughwilliam, - -				5	4	11
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -				3	12	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -				11	3	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -				2	6	4
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -				3	17	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -				12	4	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -				5	2	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -					16	1
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -				31	3	5
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -				7	5	7
	Total, -						
MARTIN CHAMBERS,							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -				2	10	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -						
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -						
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -						
	Total, -						
THOMAS SHARPE....							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -						
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 also in leger	Tomhaggard, - -						
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, - - -						
	Total, -						
	TOTAL.....						

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 lodged amounts thereof.

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 £ 71 s. 6 d. 2

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	71	6	2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	71	15	8
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	71	15	8
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		2	11½
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		4	4
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	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:—

420	lbs of Meat	1	lbs of Ginger
12	Bags of Flour	1	lbs of Pepper
4	Sacks of Wholemeal	4	quarts of Whiskey
1	Ton of Indian Meal	2	doz of Wine
4	Ton of Oatmeal	4	doz. of Porter
4	Potatoes	480	Eggs
60	Gallons Buttermilk	20	lbs of Candles
192	Gallons Newmilk	14	lbs of Malt
1	cwt of Salt	1	lbs of Hops
100	lbs of Tea	4	cwt of Soda
10	lbs of Sugar	1	lbs of Starch
4	lbs of Lump Sugar		
4	cwt of Rice		

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	31	14	6
In Kind, ...			
Total	31	14	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
	No. I.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. II.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. III.				
	Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks: Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correc 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.
100	D. Ryan Tweed	19	1	=

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

Mrs Pettit Debt ~~2. Establishment Account.~~

		£	s	d.
103	T Prendergast Sundries	7	0	5

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
99	F. Cosgrave Flour	134	15	6

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

4. Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.

		£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Elec'ion, Law, &c., Account with the several sums as above.

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

We have visited the House and the several Apartments this day; we feel bound to state we found the Hospital so Clean and neat that it is most creditable to the Nuns in Charge. The Contractor has made Considerable progress since this day week.

28th June 1873

(Signed) John Walsh
Walter Harpur

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

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

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

No 16738/73 dated 25th June 1873 requesting Return of Indoor & Outdoor Notice dated 22nd June 1873 from Wm Dennett Poor Law Auditor stating that he would attend at the Workhouse on the 4th July & audit the accounts of the Union for the half year ended 25th March last &c &c

Letter dated 21st June 1873 from the Clerk of Kenturk Union stating that the Board of Guardians of that Union had adopted the Petition sent from this Union against a revaluation of Irish rateable property &c &c

Order that Ellen Conners be admitted into the Hospital of this Workhouse. and that the relief which will be afforded her be by way of loan to her husband John Conners. that Laurence Atkinson be admitted into Hospital. and that the relief which will be afforded him be by way of loan. and that Mary Murphy and her two Children be admitted into the Workhouse. and that the relief &c &c

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	39
Ditto, disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	2

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	6
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	6

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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).

be by proxy. Joan to her husband
Patrick Murphy.

Moved by Mr. John Walsh & seconded
by Mr Danl. Murphy & passed.

That the Petition now read for the closing
of Public houses in Ireland on Sundays
be adopted by this Board. that
it be signed by the Chairman - sealed
with the Union Seal. and countersigned
by the Clerk - and then transmitted by
the Clerk to Mr Redmond M.P. for presentation
to the House of Commons, with a request
that he will support its prayer.

Ordered that the Master be also directed
to have a stench Trap placed in the
Women's yard, without delay.

Moved by Mr. Bartholomew Furlong &
seconded by Mr Richard Murphy & passed:

That the Tender of Mr Edward Walsh
to erect in the Rifle Range for
the accommodation of the Union for
12 months for £5 be accepted.

Ordered that the Clerk advertise for the
yearly supply in the usual
manner, except that the Porter
to be supplied in Barrels instead of
in Bottles: and that the Tenders
be received and considered on the
19th & 26th July. respectively.

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

day of 18

Signed,

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 28th day of June 1873—*continued.*

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 Clk procure from the Apothecaries Hall Dublin the Medicines required for Broadway Dispensary District.

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.

101 *Account of Mr.* J. H. Harden *for* ¼rs *salary*: *Amount £* 10 —

Bramay Disp^r District

102 Mrs M. Walker 2 months visits 3=6=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 18 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half year ended* 18

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the 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 5th July 1873

Pierce Ryan. V: C

(Signed),

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of July 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied. 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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS. Number in Hospital on the above date.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS. No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	331	454													
	81	24													
TOTAL,	412	478													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			17	12	109	162	49	29	48	25	33	484			
Admitted during the week.			7	4	8	4	1	1	-	2	2	29			
Born - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
TOTAL,			24	16	117	166	50	30	48	27	35	513			
Discharged during the week,			8	4	11	2	2	1	1	-	2	31			
Died, - - - - -			-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	4			
Total Discharged and Dead,			8	4	13	3	2	1	1	-	3	35			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			16	12	104	163	48	29	47	26	32	478			

In Workhouse Hospital: 102 (In separate Wards: -; In Wards with other Inmates: 74) Total 176
In Fever Hospital: 24 (In separate Wards: -; In Wards with other Inmates: -) Total 24
Total: 176 Total: 74

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 18 72 470

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 5th day of July 1873 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.	144	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year. 72 563
Cost, £29-18-6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 5th day of July 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, Fence Ryan Esq

Other Guardians:
John Walsh Pat Murphy
James M Keogh Edw Maddock
John Roche Pierce Murphy and
Edw Sinnott.

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. 67 to No. 73 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. 3164 to No. 3346 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 28th ultimo

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of July 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse,	731	454										
Permanent Buildings,	"	"										
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds.	81	24										
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Admitted during the week.			7	4	8	4	1	1	-	2	2	29
Born - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,			24	16	117	166	50	30	48	27	35	513
Discharged during the week,			8	4	11	2	2	1	1	-	2	31
Died, - - - - -			-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	4
Total Discharged and Dead,			8	4	13	3	2	1	1	1	3	35
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RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS		
Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital. 102	In separate Wards.	
In Fever Hospital. 24	In Wards with other Inmates 74	
Total 126	Total, 74	

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 18 72 470

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The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 3167 *to No.* 3346 *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 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, ... £ ~ ~ ~

Paid during the week, ... £ 246 · 13 · 7

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 505 · 11 · 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:—

RATE RETURNS.

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 each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	9	3958	12	5	104	10	9
John Stafford.....	do.	925	8	1	820	1	3	104	6	10
James Murphy,.....	do.	1521	16	8	1458	12	7	83	3	5
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1410	16	12	2	10	3
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1453	3	7	1453	12	14	2	10	3
Total....		9368	18	5	9101	3	10	296	1	10

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR, Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Wexford, - -				104	10	9
	Total, -				104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcavan - -					16	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - -					6	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Artramont, - -				3	11	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -					14	1
	Total, -				5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Aughwilliam, - -				5	4	11
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -				3	12	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - -				11	3	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - -				2	6	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - -				3	14	2
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -				12	14	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - -				5	2	14
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - -					16	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - -				31	35	
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -				2	5	7
	Total, -				83	6	1
MARTIN CHAMBERS, Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - -				2	10	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -						
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - -						
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -						
	Total, -				2	10	3
THOMAS SHARPE.... Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -						
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 also in leger	Tomhaggard, - -						
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, - -						
	Total, -						9
	TOTAL.....				96	4	9

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

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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 £ 87 s. 11 d. 0

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	87	11	08
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	75	14	8
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		4	3½
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		5	3
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		2	11¾

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:—

412	lbs of Meat	1	lbs of Ginger
12	Bags of Flour	1	lbs of Pepper
	Sacks of Wholemeal	4	quarts of Whiskey
	Ton of Indian Meal	1	doz of Wine
	Ton of Oatmeal		doz. of Porter
	Potatoes	48	Eggs
60	Gallons Buttermilk	11	lbs of Candles
492	Gallons Newmilk		lbs of Malt
1	cwt of Salt		lbs of Hops
160	lbs of Tea		cwt of Soda
110	lbs of Sugar		lbs of Starch
10	lbs of Lump Sugar		
	cwt of Rice		

401 qrs Calico
30 lbs Waste
4 lbs Snuff
3 Snuff Boxes

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 29th day of June whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	31	14	6
In Kind, ...			
Total	31	14	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
102 Folio in Leger ..	No. I.	P Cahill	40-0-0		
105 Folio in Leger ..	No. II.	J McKeefry	30-0-0		
	No. III.				
	Total		70-0-0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

		£	s.	d.
106	C. Smith Leather	23	10	.
107	F. Wilson Calico	11	5	..
108	Wm Cornett	10	16	8

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

2. Establishment Account.

		£	s	d.
109	J. Prendergast Sundries	22	5	11

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. Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.

		£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Election, Law, &c., 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 favourably

Visited all departments of the House & day, and found them in good order 52 Boys in the Male School and 102 Patients in Hospital,

Ordered that the boys in the Infant School have a separate Sleeping Apartment from the female Children,

3 July 1873 (Signed) John Walsh,

Ordered that the Master is hereby directed to Partition off a portion of the Infants School Dormitory for the male Children the height of the Partition not Exceed six feet.

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

Stock of Turf is reported,

Ordered that the Clerk advertise for the supply of 300 yds Sticken, and that the Tenders be considered by the Board on the 26th Instant,

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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 13 Ins 73 dated 3 July 1873,
requesting Return of Current Rents,

A letter dated 4th July 1873 from
Rev Robert H. Jane Rector of Templemichael
stating that it is utterly out of his power to
repair the fences of Templemichael Church Yard,

The Clerk reports that the accounts
of the Union for the half year ended
25th March last were audited during
the week by Mr M.c Dermott, and found
correct,

The abstracts of the accounts were
laid before the Board approved and signed by
the Chairman,

Ordered that the Clerk advertise for the
supply for 3 months of Best Second Flour Best
Wheaten Meal, Best Oatmeal, Best Yellow Indian Meal,
Sifted, and Best Beef without bone, and Mutton,
for Officers Quarters, and that the Tenders be examined
on 26th Inst at 1.

Moved by Mr John Walsh and Seconded by
Mr John Roche, and passed unanimously,
That we coincide with the Lord Chief Justice of
the Queens Bench in his charge to the Jury in the
case just terminated Rev James Rorke and Rev Isabella Sanders
versus Charlotte Byrne, made a most unwarrantable
attack upon the Officers of this Institution, and
by insinuation and implication made a false charge
against the character of the Institution itself by
suggesting that its Official Staff, had some sinister
proselytising purpose in view. From our own intimate knowledge of the
working of this Institution, and from the evidence of our
Officers and others reported in the Newspapers, we
feel fully convinced that there were no grounds for
the accusation contained in the Judicial charge
referred 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	18
Ditto, disallowed	11
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	
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	576
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	

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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 5th day of July 18 73—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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The following 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

Extract from Minutes of Proceedings of Committee of Management of Wexford Dispensary District at their Meeting held on Tuesday 4th July 1873,

Proposed by Mr Alexr Kelly J.P. and Seconded by James Mc Creary Esq and passed unanimously.

That Mrs Anne Connolly of Edward street, be appointed Midwife for the Wexford Dispensary District at a Salary of £31 per annum duties to commence on Friday 11th July 1873.

Report Form P from the Medical Officer of Wexford Dispensary District was laid before the Board from which it appeared there are 35 Children in the District born since 1st January 1864, and over 6 months old who have not been vaccinated,

Ordered that Mr Keating Relieving Officer serve notice on the Parents of these Children respectively, that if they do not get their Children vaccinated immediately proceedings will be instituted against them by the Board of Guardians under the Provisions of the Compulsory Vaccination act, and that a sum of £2 be allowed him for serving the Notices.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday the 12th July 1873,

(Signed), John Rossiter [illegible]

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Workhouse,	731	445										
Permanent Buildings,	"	"										
Additional Workhouse,	"	"										
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	13										
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL,	812	458										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			16	12	104	163	48	29	47	27	32	478
Admitted during the week.			3	5	7	4	2	1	"	1	1	24
Born - - - - -			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	1
TOTAL,			19	17	111	167	50	30	47	28	34	503
Discharged during the week,			7	11	6	3	2	4	1	3	6	43
Died, - - - - -			"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	11	7	4	2	4	1	3	6	45
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			12	6	104	163	48	26	46	25	28	458

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS. Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital. 102	In separate Wards. "	
In Fever Hospital. 13	In Wards with other Inmates 14	
Total, 125	Total, 14	

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1872 469

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 12 day of July 1873 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.
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No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 563

Cost, £29: 18: 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 12th day of July 1873

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* John Roche Esq. & Peirce Ryan Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians:

Michael Kavanagh John Walsh John Roche
Patrick Byrne John Sinnott Patrick Codd
James Hayes Robert Lambert Thomas Walsh R-
Richd Codd George Le Hunt Wm. William Day
James Murphy John Nolan John Maddock and
Patrick Hayden

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. 3735 to No. 3761 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. 2169 to No. 2346 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 5th 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, ... £

Paid during the week, ... £ 146 . 17 . 7

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 358 - 14 . 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:—

RATE RETURNS.

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 each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	0	3950	3	0	104	10	0
John Stafford.....	do.	925	8	1	926	1	3	5	6	10
James Murphy,.....	do.	1521	16	8	1438	10	7	83	6	1
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1410	16	2	3	0	0
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1453	3	7	1453	2	10	.	.	9
Total....		9368	18	5	9172	3	10	196	4	7

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Wexford, - -	"	"	"	104	10	9
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Total, -	"	"	"	104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....	Ardcavan - -	"	"	"	"	10	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - -	"	"	"	-	6	5
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Artramont, - -	"	"	"	3	11	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -	"	"	"	-	12	1
	Total, -	"	"	"	5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....	Aughwilliam, - -	"	"	"	5	4	11
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -	"	"	"	3	12	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -	"	"	"	11	3	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	"	"	"	2	6	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -	"	"	"	3	17	7
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	12	14	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	"	"	"	5	2	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	"	-	16	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	"	"	"	31	3	5
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	"	"	"	7	5	7
	Total, -	"	"	"	83	6	1
MARTIN CHAMBERS,							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -	"	"	"	2	10	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Total, -	"	"	"	2	10	3
THOMAS SHARPE....							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
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, - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
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, - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Total, -	"	"	"	"	"	9
	TOTAL.....	"	"	"	196	4	9

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ *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 £ 87 s. 11 d. 0

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	87	11	0
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	75	14	8
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	75	14	8
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	=	2	11¾
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	=	4	3½
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	=	5	3

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:—

311	lbs of Meat	"	lbs of Ginger	30	lbs Jam
6	Bags of Flour	1	lbs of Pepper	1	Gross Linen Buttons
2	Sacks of Wholemeal Flour	4	quarts of Whiskey	4	Doz. Cards
"	Ton of Indian Meal	1	doz of Wine	20	lbs Kip Leather
.	Ton of Oatmeal	6	doz. of Porter	100	Yards Linsey
.	Potatoes	480	Eggs	20	Yards Corduroy
50	Gallons Buttermilk	.	lbs of Candles	2	Sets Coffins
495	Gallons Newmilk	.	lbs of Malt	1	Dozen Bonnetts
1	cwt of Salt	.	lbs of Hops		
.	lbs of Tea	"	cwt of Soda		
100	lbs of Sugar	.	lbs of Starch		
6	lbs of Lump Sugar	2	Bottles Gin		
.	cwt of Price	6	Bottles Brandy		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 5 day of July whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	31	14	6
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
Total	31	14	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
	No. I.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. II.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. III.				
	Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correc 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.
110	Cullen & O'Farrell Cloths	20	16	8
111	M. Walsh Shoe Findings	6	2	10
112	Walsh & Co. Wool	22	19	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

		£	s	d.
111	M. Walsh Mattrass	11	9	11
112	Walsh & Co. Spoons	6	2	5

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
113	R. H. Leared.	Flour	48	6	4
114	W. Harney.	Meat	69	7	4
115	M. Clarke	New-milk	29	13	9
116	J. Maddock	do	22	14	0
117	E. Maddock.	do	8	9	0

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

4. Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.

		£	s.	d.
	Registration			
118	J. Boyd. Registration Fees	3	0	6
119	Jno. Stafford do	2	6	3
	Credit Treasurer & Debit Registration acct. with above sums	"	"	"
	Clerks Petty Debits	"	"	"
120	J. Brendefort Sundries	12	18	0

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Election, Law, &c., 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:—

Medical Officer

At present only one ounce of Tea to the Gallon of Water is used in the Hospital I would advise one ounce and a half to each Gallon.

The drying of Clothes particularly in Summer in the womens Yard is prejudicial to the health of the Patients in Hospital and I would recommend it to be discontinued there

12 July 1873

Signed Robert J. Cream.

Ordered that the recommendation of the Medical officer in reference to the Tea be carried out. and that the Master report to the Board on Saturday next whether the portion of the Doctors report having reference to the drying of clothes could be carried into effect without great inconvenience & expence

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

Resolved that a Committee consisting of Messrs Geo. Le Hunt. J. P. John Walsh. John Roche Denis Ryan James Hayes and Patrick Codd is hereby appointed to investigate the circumstances connected with the admission into and discharge from this Workhouse of a child named Mary Cullen whose mother stated to the Bench of Magistrates in Wexford on the 25th Ultimo was sent from here to the Industrial School without her Knowledge and Consent. that the Committee meet on Saturday at 11 Oclock and report to the Board on the matter on same day.

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

Local Government Board

Dated 7th July 1873. providing against the introduction of Cholera and for the treatment of Cholera Patients arriving in any Vessels.

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. 17.950/73. Dated 7th July 1873. Subject. "Cholera"

"Ordered that the Clerk write to the Medical officers of the respective Dispensary Districts of the Union to examine and report to the Board on the Sanitary Condition of their Districts and to inform them that if Cholera should appear to take measures for the immediate transmission if advisable of those affected with Cholera or if treated at their houses or in Vessels to see that the clothes of those affected are destroyed and the places in which they may be treated properly disinfected and that the Board will fairly remunerate them for any services they may render that the Relieving officers inspect and report on the Sanitary State of the Union that the Beds in the Fever Hospital ground be appropriated if required to the use of persons who may be attacked with Cholera and that the Master have prepared a sufficient quantity of clothing. Bedding and such other requisites as the Medical officer of the Workhouse may consider necessary for the use of such patients and that the

the Clerk acquaint him that he will also be paid for any trouble that may be imposed on him by the introduction of Cholera.

A letter dated

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	6	
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		
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	576	
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).

A letter dated 11th July 1873 from Henry Robinson Esq Poor Law Inspector requesting to be informed what steps the Board of Guardians propose to take in reference to the order of the Local Government Board providing against the introduction of Cholera

Orders that the clerk Communicate to Mr Robinson the Substance of the above order

Pierce Ryan V.C

Thos Rudkin

Clk of Peace

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

day of ... 18

Signed,

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of July 1873.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	731	445										
Additional Workhouse,	"	"										
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	16										
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL,	812	161										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			12	6	104	163	48	26	46	25	28	458
Admitted during the week.			5	"	8	1	"	5	"	"	1	20
Born - - - -			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	1
TOTAL,			17	6	112	164	48	31	46	25	304	479
Discharged during the week.			4	4	4	1	1	1	"	"	2	17
Died, - - - - -			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	4	4	2	1	1	"	"	2	18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			13	2	108	162	47	30	46	25	28	461

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.	102	In separate Wards. 14
In Fever Hospital.	16	In Wards with other Inmates 74
Total,	118	Total, 74

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 18 ..... 469.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 19 day of July 1873 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.	144	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 563.

Cost, £29 : 18 : 6.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 19th day of July 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians: Pierce Ryan Esq. V.C. Chairman
John Walsh Patrick Codd Jas. Hayes
John Roche Robert Lambert Patrick Murphy
Gregory Rossiter Patrick Codd Walter Furlong
David Redmond William Day John Nolan
Edward Sinnott Bartholemew Furlong
Richard Murphy Richard Codd Thos. Walsh

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. 3762 to No. 3786 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. 2169 to No. 2346 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 12 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, ... £

Paid during the week, ... £ 310. 17. 0

And that the Balance on the Account In favour *the Guardians was* £ 47. 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:—

RATE RETURNS.

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 each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	9	1958	3	-	104	10	2
John Stafford.....	do.	925	8	1	936	1	3	5	6	10
James Murphy,.....	do.	1521	16	8	1438	10	7	83	6	1
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1410	16	2	3	0	-
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1453	3	7	1453	2	10	-	-	-
TOTAL.....		9368	18	5	9172	4	7	196	4	9

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	*Wexford,* - -	—	—	—	104	10	9
	TOTAL, -	—	—	—	104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ardcavan* - -	—	—	—	.	10	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ardcolm,* - - -	—	—	—	.	6	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Lege-	*Artramont,* - -	—	—	—	3	11	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilpatrick,* - -	—	—	—	.	12	1
	TOTAL, -	—	—	—	5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Anghwilliam,* - -	—	—	—	5	4	11
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ballymitty,* - -	—	—	—	3	12	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Carrig,* - - -	—	—	—	11	3	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Forth,* - - -	—	—	—	2	6	4
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Glynn,* - - -	—	—	—	3	17	7
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Harperstown,* - -	—	—	—	12	14	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Killurin,* - - -	—	—	—	5	2	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilbride,* - - -	—	—	—	.	16	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Taghmon,* - - -	—	—	—	31	3	5
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	*Whitechurch,* - -	—	—	—	7	5	7
	TOTAL, -	—	—	—	83	6	1
MARTIN CHAMBERS,							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Drinagh,* - - -	—	—	—	.	.	.
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Killinick,* - - -	—	—	—	2	10	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilscoran,* - -	—	—	—	.	.	.
Folio in leger folio in leger	*Lady's Island,* - -	—	—	—	.	.	.
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	*Mayglass,* - -	—	—	—	.	.	.
Folio in Leger folio in leger	*Rosslare,* - - -	—	—	—	.	.	.
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	*Rathaspeck,* - -	—	—	—	.	.	.
Folio in Leger folio in leger	*St. Helen's,* - -	—	—	—	.	.	.
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Tacumshane,* - -	—	—	—	.	.	.
	TOTAL, -	—	—	—	2	10	3
THOMAS SHARPE...							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	*Bridgetown,* - -	—	—	—	.	.	.
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 olio in leger	*Tomhaggard,* - -	—	—	—	.	.	.
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,* - - -	—	—	—	.	.	.
	TOTAL, -	—	—	—	.	.	9
	TOTAL.....	—	—	—	196	4	.

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 amounts shewn above.

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	60	6	9
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	74	3	2
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	74	3	2
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		3	"
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		4	4
		5	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:—

300	lbs of Meat		lbs of Ginger
12	Bags of Flour	1	lbs of Pepper
"	Sacks of Wholemeal		quarts of Whiskey
"	Ton of Indian Meal		doz of Wine
"	Ton of Oatmeal		doz. of Porter
"	Potatoes	480	Eggs
40	Gallons Buttermilk	21	lbs of Candles
445	Gallons Newmilk	14	lbs of Malt
1	cwt of Salt	1	lbs of Hops
"	lbs of Tea		cwt of Soda
100	lbs of Sugar		lbs of Starch
10	lbs of Lamp Sugar		
"	cwt of Rice		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 12th day of July 1873. whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	32	0	0
In Kind, ...			
Total	32	0	0

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
Folio in Leger .. 121	No. I.	Patrick Keating	40 " "		
Folio in Leger .. 122	No. II.	James Whitty	30 " "		
	No. III.				
	Total,		70 " "		

Credit Treasurer with Checks: Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correc 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.
123	William Connick Vincent	5	2	6

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

		£	s.	d.
124	Joseph Harney Rent of Fever Hospital to 1st May 1873	4	10	-

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
	Clerks Petty Disbursements	-	-	-
125	Thomas Prendergast Sundries	9	15	1

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

4. *Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.*

	£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account with the several sums as above.

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

We visited the several departments of the House this day which we found in a very satisfactory condition

12th July 1873

(Signed) John Walsh
Patrick Codd
John Roche

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

Report of Doctor Hatchell

"I have this day inspected the Idiot Wards of this Union and have every reason to be satisfied with the care and attention the Inmates receive and the extreme cleanliness and order that prevail throughout the several Dormitories and Day Rooms" "The Dietary is very liberal I saw some of the articles of Food which were good."

"Signed"
G. H. Hatchell

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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 11th July 1873 From Mr. William A. Redmond. M.P. Stating that he had presented the Petition of the Board of Guardians of Wexford Union in favour of the Sale of Liquors on Sundays Ireland, Bill

A Letter Dated 19th July 1873 From Mr James Whitty Relieving Officer Stating that he had travelled a large part of his District during the week and found it free from nuisance with the exception of three cases which he had noticed and which the parties noticed promised to remove.

— Resolved

Resolved

That the following Tenders are accepted for 12 months and the securities named in each approved by the Board

Mrs Anne Hayes to supply Buttermilk @ 3 per Gallon

Mr. David Foris to supply Rice @ 16- per cwt
Do to supply Good Congou Tea @ 2/4 per lb.
Do to supply Soft Sugar @ 6d per lb
Do to supply Lump Sugar @ 4½ per lb.
Do to supply Bottled Port Wine @ 28/ per Dozen
Do to supply Dipt Candles @ 8½ per lb
Do to supply Starch @ 3/6 per Stone
Do to supply Snuff @ 4/6 per lb
Do to supply and Washing Soda @ 8/ per Cwt.

Mr Stephen Doyle to supply Salt @ 2/6 per Cwt.
Do to supply Ginger @ 8d per lb
Do to supply Brandy @ 40/ per Dozen
Do to supply Munden X X X Porter @ 42/ per barrell
Do to supply Brown Soap @ 3/6 per Cwt
Do to supply Wax candles @ 1/6 per lb.
Do to supply Black Pepper @ 10d per lb.
Do to supply and Mustard @ 8d per lb.

Mr William Devereux to supply Whiskey at proff @ 15/6 per Gallon

Mr Geo. Sheffield to Glaze the Windows of the Fever Hospital @ 1/9 per pane and the Windows of the Workhouse @ 4/ per Dozen panes.

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	18
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 Relievng Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	596
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).

Mr Matthew Harpur to supply nails assorted at the prices specified in his Tender

Mr Thomas F Leary to supply Book Forms and Stationery at the prices specified in his proposal of Last Year.

Mr Francis Morris to supply Best Newport Coal C 29/9 per Ton

Proposed by Mr John Walsh and seconded by Mr Patrick Codd and passed

That Messers Ryan. J. Walsh P. Codd Jas Roche Patrick Codd Edward Kinsella and James Hayes be appointed a committee to report if a suitable place in the Workhouse ground could be made for the drying of Clothes the present drying ground being reported by the Doctor to be most injurious to the health of the Inmates. The Committee to meet this day week at half past eleven o-Clock.

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

day of 18

Signed,

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 18 ,—*continued.*

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

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

There was no business under the above acts transacted by the Board of Guardians at their meeting held on Saturday the 19th July 1873.

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 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 26th July 1873

Pierce Ryan V.C

(Signed) James Rudkin

Clerk of the Union

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of July 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse,	331	441
Permanent Buildings,	-	-
Additional Workhouse,	81	16
Permanent Fever Hospital	-	-
Fever Sheds.	-	-
TOTAL,	412	457

	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	13	2	108	162	47	30	46	25	28	461
Admitted during the week.	-	3	10	3	2	1	2	-	3	24
Born - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	13	5	118	165	49	31	48	25	31	485
Discharged during the week,	3	3	3	5	3	1	1	-	4	23
Died, - - - - -	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total Discharged and Dead,	3	3	3	6	3	1	1	-	4	24
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	10	2	111	159	46	30	47	25	27	457

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS		
Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital. 10	In separate Wards. -	
In Fever Hospital. 16	In Wards with other Inmates 14	
Total, 26	Total, 14	

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 18 72 445

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 187 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	44	366				
No. III.	116	216				
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 523

Cost, £3 1 3 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 26th day of July 1873

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Peter Ryan Esq J.P.

Other Guardians: Patrick Lord, Pat. Roche, Robt. Lambert, John Sinnott, Thos. Walsh, D. V. Roche, Richd. Humphrey, Walter Harpur, John Roche, Pat. Byrne, Edw. Thomas, Pat. Hayden, Thos. Walsh, Barth. Furlong, and James Hayes.

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. 75 to No. 80 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. 269 to No. 334 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 19th 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, ... £ - - -

Paid during the week, ... £ 116-16-7

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 68-19-4

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:—

RATE RETURNS.

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.	Amoun of Rate uncollected at close of each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	9	3950	5	0	104	10	2
John Stafford.....	do.	925	8	1	536	1	3	5	6	10
James Murphy,.....	do.	1521	16	8	1438	10	7	83	6	1
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1410	16	2	3	0	2
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1453	3	7	1453	2	10	-	-	9
Total.....		9368	18	5	8791	16	0	196	4	4

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR, Folio in leger Folio in leger	*Wexford,* - -	-	-	-	104	10	9
	TOTAL, -	-	-	-	104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ardcavan* - -	-	-	-	-	10	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ardcolm,* - -	-	-	-	4	6	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Artramont,* - -	-	-	-	3	11	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilpatrick,* - -	-	-	-	-	12	1
	TOTAL, -	-	-	-	5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Aughwilliam,* - -	-	-	-	3	4	11
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Ballymitty,* - -	-	-	-	3	12	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Carrig,* - -	-	-	-	11	3	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Forth,* - -	-	-	-	2	6	4
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Glynn,* - -	-	-	-	3	17	2
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Harperstown,* - -	-	-	-	12	14	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Killurin,* - -	-	-	-	5	2	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilbride,* - -	-	-	-	4	16	1
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Taghmon,* - -	-	-	-	31	5	5
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	*Whitechurch,* - -	-	-	-	2	5	4
	TOTAL, -	-	-	-	83	6	1
MARTIN CHAMBERS, Folio in leger Folio in Leger	*Drinagh,* - -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Killinick,* - -	-	-	-	2	10	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Kilscoran,* - -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in leger folio in leger	*Lady's Island,* - -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	*Mayglass,* - -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in Leger folio in leger	*Rosslare,* - -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in leger Folio in leger	*Rathaspeck,* - -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in leger folio in leger	*St. Helen's,* - -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	*Tacumshane,* - -	-	-	-	-	-	-
	TOTAL, -	-	-	-	2	10	3
THOMAS SHARPE.... Folio in leger Folio in leger	*Bridgetown,* - -	-	-	-	-	-	-
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 ollo in leger	*Tomhaggard,* - -	-	-	-	-	-	-
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	-	-
	TOTAL, -	-	-	-	-	-	9
	TOTAL.....	-	-	-	196	4	-

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 Amounts collected.

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 £ 48 s. 4 d. 7

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	48	4	7
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	73	19	5
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	73	19	5
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		2	11¾
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		4	3½
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	2¼

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:—

300	lbs of Meat	-	lbs of Ginger
12	Bags of Flour	1	lbs of Pepper
	Sacks of Wholemeal	4	quarts of Whiskey
	Ton of Indian Meal	9	doz of Wine
	Ton of Oatmeal		doz. of Porter
	Potatoes		Eggs
40	Gallons Buttermilk		lbs of Candles
493	Gallons Newmilk	14	lbs of Malt
1	cwt of Salt	1	lbs of Hops
-	lbs of Tea		cwt of Soda
100	lbs of Sugar	14	lbs of Starch
10	lbs of Lump Sugar		
-	cwt of Price		

2 Lbs Snuff
1 Gal Lamp Oil
1 Box Lamp Lights
50 yds Grey Cloth
300 yds Ticken
1 Large Coffin

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 19 day of July whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	32	0	0
In Kind, ...			
Total	32	0	0

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
	No. I.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. II.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. III.				
	Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks: Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correc 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.
126	J. Clooney Shaw	3	4	=

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

		£	s	d.
	Clerks Petty Disbs			
130	J. Rendapost Sundries	11	5	7
	Clerks Petty Disbs.			

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
127	F. Cosgrave Flour	80	7	9

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

4. *Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.*

		£	s.	d.
	Registration			
128	M. D. Sheridan Reg Fees	14	18	4

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Elec'ion, Law, &c., Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

The alterations making in the House for the accommodation of the Nuns are not progressing. Ordered that the Master inform the Contractor, that unless the work is completed by him without further delay, Serious notice of his Neglect will be taken by the Board.

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

Local Government 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 13609/73 dated 23 July 1873, forwarding Amount of Parliamentary Grant for Educational and Medical purposes for half year ended 25th March last, £ s. d.

A letter dated 25th July 1873, from Mr. William Stafford of Baldwinstown requesting his name to be inserted in the Rate Book of Kilcowan as occupier of Premises in Townland of Baldwinstown in said Electoral Division.

Ordered that the Clerk comply with Mr Stafford's request.

Ordered that the Clerk lay before the Board on Saturday the 9th Prox. an Estimate of the Rate which will be required to defray the expenses of the Union for 12 months from 29th September next.

Proposed by Mr John Roche and Seconded by Mr Richard Murphy and passed

That in the recommendation of the Committee appointed on Saturday last "Thirty feet Square of the Workhouse ground outside the Yard be appropriated to the drying of the Cloths, that a wooden paling be erected thereon and that the work be executed under the Superintendence of the Master who is hereby directed to have it done as economically as possible.

Proposed by Mr Richard Murphy and Seconded by Mr. Bartholomew Furlong, and passed.

That the Report now read of the Committee appointed by the Board on the 12th instant shewing that the Child Mary Fitzpatrick was not sent down here to an Industrial School without her mothers knowledge and also that the Sister Eliza Fitzpatrick was admitted into this House in a State of destitution is approved and adopted by this Board.

Resolved that the following Tenders are accepted for three months and the Securities named in each approved by the Board viz:

Mrs Sarah Godkin to supply Best Second Flour @ 38/4 per Bag of 16 Stone, and Best Oatmeal @ £18 per Ton.

Mr John Hayes to supply Best Beef and Mutton @ 8 per lb.

Resolved that the following Tenders are accepted for 12 months and the Securities named in each approved by the Board

Mr John Ryan to supply Blue Cakes @ 7 per yard, and Whitey @ 6 per yard.

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	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	576
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).

Mr Thos. O. Keeley to supply Blue Calico @ 7 per yard and Thread @ 2/6 per lb.

Misses Cullen and Farrell to supply Blue Calico @ 7 per yard.

Mr William Comerford to supply Blue Calico @ 7 per yard, Twilled Calico @ 8 per yd Hand Kerchiefs @ 6 each, and Navy Blue @ 11 per yard.

Mr Murphy to supply Shrouding Calico @ 3 per yard,

Mr James Grace to supply Nuts @ 10 per doz.

Mrs Anne Coffalan to supply Linen @ 7 per yard, and Navy Cloth @ 8 per yard.

Mrs Frances Wilson to supply Linsey @ 7 per yard, and 300 yds Ticken @ 1/2 per yard.

Messrs Walsh Her to supply hand & Stumbles Sworn Tapes & at prices specified in his Tender.

Mr Severens to supply Brushes of various descriptions and Sizes at prices mentioned in his Tender.

Mr Matthew Harpur to supply Quart Jars @ 3/6 per Doz, and Pint Jars @ 2/6 per Doz,

Mr John Cullen to supply White Lead, Oils Bath Brick, Lampwood Copper as per at prices mentioned in his Tender,

Mrs Smith to supply Butt Leather @ 1/5 per lb Kip Leather @ 2/6 per lb Skiver Leather @ 1/10 per lb

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

day of 18

Signed,

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Mr Michael Walsh to supply Shoemakers Findings at Same prices as charged last year.

Mr Michael Walsh to supply Coffins @ 8/= 5/= and 3/= each.

Mr Denis Byrne to sweep the Chimneys of the Workhouse and Fever Hospital for £6-0-0

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 26th day of July 1873,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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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:)

129 Thurles Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. M. J. Sheridan *for* Vac Fees : *Amount* £6-1-0

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

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

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the 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

Report from Dr. James Boyd Medical officer of Bannow Dispensary District stating that there are five cases not vaccinated but that there is no necessity for taking proceedings against the parents.

A letter dated 25th July 1873 from Doctor M. Sheridan Medical officer of Wexford Dispensary District stating for the information of the Guardians that there are portions of the town not cleansed as they should be that the state of the Stone Bridge Pool filled as the river is with offals and decomposing matter, is so bad as even in a normal condition of the air, to superinduce disease, that the rivulet in Grogans Road emits a most offensive smell and that there are some of the lanes in a filthy state,

Ordered that the Clerk send a copy of this letter to the Town Council of the Borough of Wexford, and also a copy of it to the Harbour Corporation with a request from this Board that these Bodies respectively will take immediate measures for the abatement of the nuisance of which Doctor Sheridan reports,

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Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday the 2nd August 1873,

John Rossiter

(Signed) James Murphy

Chairman.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of August 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse,	731	443
Permanent Buildings,	"	"
Additional Workhouse,	81	14
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds.	"	"
TOTAL,	812	457

	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	10	12	111	159	46	30	47	25	47	457
Admitted during the week.	6	4	5	7	2	1	1	"	1	30
Born - - - -										
TOTAL,	16	9	116	166	48	31	48	25	48	487
Discharged during the week,	3	4	2	5	7	"	"	2	4	27
Died, - - - - -	"	"	"	1	"	1	"	"	1	3
Total Discharged and Dead,	3	4	2	6	7	1	"	2	5	30
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	13	5	114	160	41	30	48	23	43	457

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.	10	In separate Wards.	
In Fever Hospital.	14	In Wards with other Inmates	14
Total,	24	Total,	14

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1872 436

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of August 1873 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						
No. II.	144	366				
No. III.	116	210				
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 561

Cost, £31. 1s. 10d.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 2nd day of August 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Roche Esq.

Other Guardians:

John Walsh Robert Lambert Patrick Codd. James Sinnott and Walter Harpur.

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. 3901 to No. 3931 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. 2069 to No. 2346, 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 26th 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, ... £ 365 . 9 . 10

Paid during the week, ... £ 94 . 17 . 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour *the Guardians was* £ 201 . 13 . 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:—

RATE RETURNS.

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 each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	9	3950			104		
John Stafford.....	do.	925	8	1	936			32		
James Murphy,.....	do.	1521	16	8	1469			52		
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1413					
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1453	3	7	1453					
Total.....		9368	18	5	9221			147		

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Wexford,				104	10	9
	TOTAL,				104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....	Ardcavan					10	11
	Ardcolm,					6	3
	Artramont,				3	11	8
	Kilpatrick,					12	1
	TOTAL,				5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....	Aughwilliam,	2	19	3	2	5	8
	Ballymitty,	2	0	3	1	12	1
	Carrig,	6	4	3	4	19	
	Forth,	1	4	2	1	2	2
	Glynn,	2	9	3	1	8	4
	Harperstown,	3	14	5	8	19	10
	Killurin,	3	18		1	14	4
	Kilbride,		13	1		3	
	Taghmon,	22	5	9	8	17	8
	Whitechurch,	5	2	1	2	3	6
	TOTAL,	50	10	6	32	15	7
MARTIN CHAMBERS,	Drinagh,						
	Killinick,	3	0	5			
	Kilscoran,						
	Lady's Island,						
	Mayglass,						
	Rosslare,						
	Rathaspeck,						
	St. Helen's,						
	Taghmshane,						
	TOTAL,						
THOMAS SHARPE....	Bridgetown,						
	Kilmore,						9
	Kilcowan,						
	Newcastle,						
	Tomhaggard,						
	Bannow,						
	Duncormack,						
	Harristown,						
	Killag,						
	TOTAL,						9
TOTAL.....		53	10	11	142	13	11

Debit Treasurer and Credit Medical and Educational grant with £311 . 18 . 11 - lodged with Clerk of Union -

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 amount collected.

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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 £ 73 s. 3 d. 2

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	73	3	2
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	73	16	9
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	73	16	9
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	2	11¼
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	4	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:—

331	lbs of Meat	1	lbs of Ginger
12	Bags of Flour	1	lbs of Pepper
"	Sacks of Wholemeal	12	quarts of Whiskey
"	Ton of Indian Meal	2	doz of Wine
"	Ton of Oatmeal	1	Barrel doz of Porter
"	Potatoes	480	Eggs
40	Gallons Buttermilk	10	lbs of Candles
492	Gallons Newmilk	14	lbs of Malt
1	cwt of Salt	1	lbs of Hops
1	chests of Tea	½	cwt of Soda
100	lbs of Sugar		lbs of Starch
10	lbs of Lump Sugar	7	lbs of Arrow Root
"	cwt of Rice		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 26th day of July 1873 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	32	"	"
In Kind, ...			
Total	32	"	"

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.
131 Folio in Leger ..	No. I.	Patrick Keating	40 . "		
	No. II.	James Whitty	30 . "		
132 Folio in Leger ..	No. III.				
	Total,		70 . "		

Credit Treasurer with Checks: Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correc 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.
133	F. Wilson	Calico	1	13	4

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

2. Establishment Account.

			£	s.	d.
134	S. Doyle	Snuff	5	7	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
135	S.	Doyle Groceries	23	10	5
136	C.	Maddock	8	9	"

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

4. Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.

			£	s.	d.
Registration					
138	Denis	O'Connor Fees	2	8	"
137	William	Whittaker Fees	3	6	"
	Debit Registration & Credit Treasurer with above		"	"	"
	Clerks Petty	Disbursements	"	"	"
139	Thomas	Prendergast Sundries	12	18	9
	Clerks Petty	Disbursements	"	"	"

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Elec'ion, Law, &c., 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 favourably.

Visited the House Several wards and Schools this day and found all in good order The children in the schools fairly improving The Contractor, Kinsella has done nothing this week with the alterations for the Nuns

30th July 1873. "Signed" John Walsh

Ordered that the Clerk write to Kinsella to inform him that if he does not proceed with the alterations without further delay the Guardians will get them completed and charge him with the cost.

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

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

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

Local Government Board.

No. 123. M./73. Dated 23rd July 1873.

Subject. "Annual Report"

A Letter dated 1st August 1873. from Dr. Andrew Furlong acknowledging receipt of the Clerk's letter of the 17th ultimo and stating that he had examined into the Sanitary condition of his District and found it very Satisfactory

Ordered That the Clerk advertise for Tenders for the Supply of New Milk for 12 Months and also Tenders for the Painting of the External and Internal wood and Frame work of the Workhouse to be Considered on the 23rd Instant.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	22	
Ditto, disallowed		
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	8	
	576	

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 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:)

Taghmon & Glynn Dispensary District.

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Account of Mr. Dr. O'Connor *for* 44 Cases Vaccinate *Amount £* 2. 4. 0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 10th December, 1853.]

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

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the 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 9th August 1873.

John Sinnott

James Rudkin
Chairman

(Signed),

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of August 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	731	438										
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	13										
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL,	812	451										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			10	2	111	159	46	30	47	25	27	457
Admitted during the week.			2	3	4	"	"	1	1	1	2	14
Born - - - -			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
TOTAL,			12	5	115	159	46	31	48	26	29	471
Discharged during the week,			3	"	4	6	"	2	"	"	2	17
Died, - - - -			"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	1	3
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	"	5	7	"	2	"	"	3	20
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			9	5	110	152	46	29	48	26	26	451

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS.
Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital. 99	In separate Wards. -	
In Fever Hospital. 13	In Wards with other Inmates 74	
Total, 112	Total, 74	

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1872..... 425

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 9th day of August 1873 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.	144	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 565

Cost, £31:9:8

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a meeting held on Saturday, the 9th day of August 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, The Rev. John Sinnott & Pierce Ryan Esq. P.P.

Other Guardians:

Walter Finlay, Gregory Rossiter, John Walsh, James Harpur, Patk Hayden, Daniel Redmond, Walter Harpur, Thos Walsh (Russelstown), John Maddock, Patk Murphy, Battle Finlay, John Boland, Geo. LeHunte, Edward Sinnott, Richard Murphy, John Roche.

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 3832 to No 3845 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 2069 to No 2346 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 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, ... £ . . .

Paid during the week, ... £ 148 . 10 - 6

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 53 - 2 . 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

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.	Amoun of Rate uncollected at close of each Week. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	9	3950	3	-	104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....	do.	925	8	1	936	1	3	5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1521	16	8	1489	1	-	32	15	7
MARTIN CHAMBERS, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1413	16	4	-	-	-
THOMAS SHARPE	do.	1453	3	7	1453	2	10	-	-	9
TOTAL.....		9368	18	5	9226	4	6	142	13	11

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Folio in leger Folio in leger Wexford, - -	.	-	.	104	10	9
	TOTAL, -				104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Ardcavan - -	.	.	.	..	10	11
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Ardcolm, - -	.	.	.	"	6	3
	Folio in Leger Folio in Lege. Artramont, - -	.	.	.	3	11	8
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Kilpatrick, - -	.	.	.	..	12	1
	TOTAL, -	-	-	-	5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Aughwilliam, - -	.	1	.	2	5	8
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Ballynaitty, - -	.	.	.	1	12	1
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Carrig, - -	.	.	.	4	19	.
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Forth, - -	.	.	.	1	2	2
	Folio in leger Folio in Leger Glynn, - -	.	.	.	1	8	4
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Harperstown, - -	.	.	.	8	19	10
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Killurin, - -	.	.	.	1	4	4
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Kilbride, - -	.	.	.	-	3	-
	Folio in leger Folio in Leger Taghmon, - -	.	.	.	8	17	8
	Folio in Leger folio in Leger Whitechurch, - -	.	.	.	2	3	6
	TOTAL, -	-	-	-	32	15	7
MARTIN CHAMBERS,	Folio in leger Folio in Leger Drinagh, - -	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Killinick, - -	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Kilscoran, - -	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Folio in leger folio in leger Lady's Island, - -	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Folio in Leger Folio in leger Mayglass, - -	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Folio in Leger folio in leger Rosslare, - -	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Folio in leger Folio in leger Rathaspeck, - -	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Folio in leger folio in leger St. Helen's, - -	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Folio in Leger Folio in Leger Tacumshane, - -	.	.	.	.	.	.
	TOTAL, -	-	-	-	-	-	-
THOMAS SHARPE....	Folio in leger Folio in leger Bridgetown, - -	.	.	.	.	.	.
	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 ollo in leger Tomhaggard, - -	.	.	.	.	.	.
	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, - -	.	.	.	.	.	.
	TOTAL, -	-	-	-	-	-	9
	TOTAL.....	-	-	-	142	13	11

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

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.* 0 *d.* 1

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	61	- 0	- 1
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	72	- 14	- 10
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	72	- 14	- 10
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	"	2	- 11 3/4
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	4	- 4
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	5	- 2 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:—

323 lbs of Meat
10 Bags of Flour
4 Sacks of Wholemeal
1 Ton of Indian Meal
1 Ton of Oatmeal
4 Potatoes
40 Gallons Buttermilk
529 Gallons Newmilk
1 cwt of Salt
4 lbs of Tea
100 lbs of Sugar
6 lbs of Lump Sugar
4 cwt of Rice

4 lbs of Ginger
1 lbs of Pepper
8 quarts of Whiskey
2 doz of Wine
4 doz. of Porter
480 Eggs
20 lbs of Candles
4 lbs of Malt
4 lbs of Hops
4 cwt of Soda
4 lbs of Starch

4 Doz Hemp Balls
1200 Shoe nails
20 yds Blue Calico
20 yds Twilled Calico
20 yds Navy Blue
2 lbs Snuff
3 lbs Worsted
2 Large Coffins
2 Infants Coffins

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	32	- 6	- 0
In Kind, ...			
Total	32	- 6	- 0

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
	No. I.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. II.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. III.				
	Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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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.
140 Wm Lynch Calico	5	2	6

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.
141 Wm Harvey Meat	31	16	8

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

4. ~~Funerals, Election, Law, &c.~~, Account.

	£	s.	d.
142 T Prendergast Junior	13	14	9

Credit Treasurer and Debit ~~Funerals, Election, Law, &c.~~ Account with the several sums as above.

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

Went through the House this day, and felt much pleasure in stating every department is very clean particularly the Hospital. No progress yet made in putting the Apartments intended for the Nuns by Rensalla.

9th August 1873

(Signed) John Walsh

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

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

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

No 1964/73 dated 5th August 1873 requesting Returns of Current Rates &c

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No 19914/73 dated 4th August 1873 requesting to be furnished with a Copy of the Estimate when the Rates shall have been agreed &c &c

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No 19768/73 dated 5th August 1873 subject Parliamentary order

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Order that Mary Delaney and her four Children be admitted into this House and that proper legal measures be taken by the Master for

apprehension of her husband John Delaney who has neglected to maintain her and his Children.

Moved by Mr John Noonan seconded by Mr Battle Fanning and passed unanimously.

That a sum of £30 be allowed to the Clerk for the performance of the duties ~~enforced~~ in the present year of the duties imposed upon him by the "Belfast Districts and Juries Amendment Acts" of last Session and that the Local Government Board is requested to sanction the payment.

Proposed by Mr John Sinnott and seconded by Mr John Walsh and passed unanimously

That it is the opinion of this Board that the Estimate of the Rate required to defray the expenses of the Union for Quarter ending 29th September can be reduced by the sum of £5 and that the balance will be sufficient for the purpose and we therefore direct that the following poundage Rates instead of those set forth in the Estimate be struck on the undermentioned Electoral Divisions.

Ditto

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	... ...	4
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	... ...	576
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).

			£	s	d
Ard	Ardcavan Electoral Division		2	2	in the £
"	Ardcolm	"	1	3	
"	Artramont	"	2	0	
"	Ashmillians	"	1	8	
"	Ballycurry	"	1	0	
"	Bannow	"	1	6	
"	Boolavogue	"	1	8	
"	Carnew	"	1	1	
"	Drumgoff	"	1	0	
"	Duncormuck	"	1	1	
"	Forth	"	1	0	
"	Glynn	"		11	
"	Harperstown	"	1	10	
"	Harristown	"	1	0	
"	Kilbride	"		10	
"	Kilcavan	"	1	0	
"	Killag	"		8	
"	Kilmuckridge	"	1	10	
"	Kilpatrick	"	1	5	
"	Kilscoran	"	1	3	
"	Kilpatrick	"	1	2	
"	Kilscoran	"	1	0	
"	Lady Island	"	1	3	
"	Mayglass	"	1	1	
"	Newtownbarry	"	1	0	
"	Rathaspick	"	1	2	
"	Rosbercon	"	1	0	
"	St Helens	"	1	3	
"	Tacumshane	"	1	3	
"	Tagoat	"	2	5	
"	Templeshannon	"		9	
"	Wexford	"	4	0	
"	Whitechurch	"		8	

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

day of 18

Signed,

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 18 ,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

143	*Account of* Mr. Caulfield	*for* repairs	: *Amount* £ 5-0-0
144	Mr Brunnle	Salary	5-0-0
145	A Tobin	do	3-15-0

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. *of*

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

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

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

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

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday the 16th Augt 1873

John Roche Clk

Wm Shillington
Clerk of Union

(*Signed*),

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of August 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	731	441
Additional Workhouse,		
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	17
Fever Sheds.		
TOTAL,	812	458

	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	9	5	110	152	46	29	4	8	26	451
Admitted during the week.	3	5	3	3	1	3	1	2	2	23
Born - - - -									1	1
TOTAL,	12	10	113	155	47	32	49	28	29	475
Discharged during the week,	3	2	7	2	"	1	.	.	.	15
Died, - - - - -	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2
Total Discharged and Dead,	3	2	8	3	.	1	.	.	.	17
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	9	8	105	152	47	31	49	28	29	458

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.	92	In separate Wards.	
In Fever Hospital.	77	In Wards with other Inmates	44
Total,	169	Total,	74

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1872..... 409

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 16th day of August 1873 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	144	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 579

Cost, £31:14:6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a meeting held on Saturday, the 16th day of August 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Roche Esq. V. Tho. Walsh Esq. D.L.

Other Guardians:

Robt Lambert. John Walsh. John Maddock

Chr Peacocke V.P. John Sinnott. Richd Murphy

Patk Codd. Bartle Furlong. John Nolan

and Richd Codd.

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 3860 to No 3883 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 2209 to No 2346 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 9 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, ... £ — — —

Paid during the week, ... £ 62 17 11

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 9 15 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:—

RATE RETURNS.

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 each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	9	3950	3	9	104	10	9
John Stafford.....	do.	925	8	1	936	1	3	5	6	10
James Murphy,.....	do.	1521	16	8	1489	1	1	32	15	7
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1413	16	14			
Thomas Sharpe.....	do.	1453	3	7	1453	2	6			
Total.....		9368	18	5	9226	4	6	142	13	11

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Wexford, - -				104	10	9
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Total, -				104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....	Ardcavan - -					10	11
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - -					6	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Artramont, - -				3	11	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -					12	1
	Total, -				5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....	Aughwilliam, - -				2	5	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -				1	12	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - -				4	19	.
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - -				1	2	2
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - -				1	8	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -				8	19	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - -				1	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - -					3	.
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - -				8	17	8
Folio in leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -				2	3	6
	Total, -				32	15	7
MARTIN CHAMBERS,							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -						
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - -						
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -						
	Total, -						
THOMAS SHARPE....							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -						
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -						
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, - -						
	Total, -						
	TOTAL.....				142	13	11

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with their respective Lodgments.

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 £210 s. 12 d. 0

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	210	12	0
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	73	19	6
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	73	19	6
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		3	0¼
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		4	4¼
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	2¼

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:—

288 lbs of Meat
8 Bags of Flour
1 Sacks of Wholemeal
1 Ton of Indian Meal
¼ Ton of Oatmeal
¼ Potatoes
40 Gallons Buttermilk
492 Gallons Newmilk
1 cwt of Salt
¼ lbs of Tea
107 lbs of Sugar
6 lbs of Lump Sugar
¼ cwt of Rice
¼ lbs of Ginger
¼ lbs of Pepper
4 quarts of Whiskey
¼ doz of Wine
¼ doz. of Porter
480 Eggs
20 lbs of Candles
¼ lbs of Malt
¼ lbs of Hops
¼ cwt of Soda
½ lbs of Starch
1 lbs Black Lead
½ lb Blue Paint
1 Gal Boiled Oil
1 Quart Turpentine
½ lb Pitch
½ lb Altar Candles

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	32	17	6
In Kind, ...			
Total	32	17	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
Folio in Leger .. 146	No. I.	P Keating	40		
Folio in Leger .. 147	No. II.	J Whitty	30		
	No. III.				
	Total,				

Credit the Treasurer with Checks: Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correo 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.
148	P. Joyce Thread	5	2	=

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

2. ~~Establishment~~ Account.

		£	s.	d.
149	M. Neill Offins	4	=	-

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

3. ~~Workhouse Invoice~~ Account.

		£	s.	d.
150	T Prendergast Sundries	8	4	8

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

4. Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.

		£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Elec'ion, Law, &c., Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

The bread has been sour for the past fortnight. I have frequently spoken to the Baker about it.

I have received the Tickets and wish a Committee to compare it with the sample.

Ordered that the Baker has been called before the Board and Cautioned as to the Quality of Bread which he will provide in future, and that the Tickets has been examined by Guardians and pronounced to be equal to Sample.

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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):—

№ 20721/73 dated 11th August 1873
subject. Parliamentary Rds"

№ 21025/73 dated 15th August 1873
addressed to the presiding Chairman.
stating with reference to the
Resolution of the Guardians to pay
the Clk a sum of £30 for his services
under the Polling Districts and Juries
Amendment Acts that it is desirable
that payments for the duties discharged
under the acts referred to should be
voted separately.

Ordered that a sum of £5 be allowed
the Clk for his services under
the Polling Districts Act

that a sum of £25 be allowed
him for his services under the
Juries Amendment acts. and
that the Local Government
Board be requested to sanction
these payments.

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	18
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 was	5
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	7

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

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

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

There was no business under the above acts transacted by the Board of Guardians at their Meeting held on Saturday the 16th August 1873

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 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 23rd August 1873.

John Walsh
presiding Chairman.

Wm Rossiter
Clerk of Union

(Signed),

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of August 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse,	731	442
Permanent Buildings,	"	"
Additional Workhouse,	"	"
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	21
Fever Sheds.	"	"
TOTAL,	812	463

	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	9	8	105	152	47	31	49	28	29	458
Admitted during the week.	2	3	2	7	1	1	3	2	1	22
Born - - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
TOTAL,	11	11	107	159	48	32	52	30	30	480
Discharged during the week,	2	"	3	8	"	2	"	"	1	16
Died, - - - - -	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1
Total Discharged and Dead,	2	"	3	9	"	2	"	"	1	17
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	9	11	104	150	48	30	52	30	29	463

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. 59	In separate Wards. "
In Fever Hospital. 51	In Wards with other Inmates 14
Total, 110	Total, 14

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1873..... 469

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 23 day of August 1873 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	144	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 528

Cost, £31:14:6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 23 day of August 1873

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Wm Walsh Esq Wm Walsh Esq D.L.

Other Guardians:

Capt Byrne, Wm Walsh, Thos Saunders, James Harpur, James Grean, John Roche, Pat Hayden, Edw Sinnott, Pat Murphy, Nich Murphy, James Murphy, Thos Walsh, John Maddock.

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. 8340 *to No.* 3402 *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. 2269 *to No.* 2346 *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 16th 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, ... £ ~ ~

Paid during the week, ... £125-10-8

And that the Balance on the Account a farmer *the Guardians was* £135.5.11

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:—

RATE RETURNS.

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 each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	9	3954	3	~	100	10	9
John Stafford.....	do.	925	8	1	936	1	3	53	12	~
James Murphy,.....	do.	1521	16	8	1489	1	4	32	~	~
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1413	16	6	~	~	~
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1453	3	7	1453	2	7	~	~	~
Total.....		9368	18	5	9246	4	6	142	13	11

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Wexford, - -	~	~	~	104	10	9
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Total, -	~	~	~	104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....	Ardcavan - -	~	~	~	~	15	11
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -	~	~	~	~	6	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Artramont, - -	~	~	~	3	14	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -	~	~	~	1	12	1
	Total, -	~	~	~	5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....	Aughwilliam, - -	~	~	~	2	5	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballynaitty, - -	~	~	~	1	12	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -	~	~	~	4	19	~
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	~	~	~	1	2	2
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -	~	~	~	1	8	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	~	~	~	8	19	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	~	~	~	1	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	~	~	~	~	3	~
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	~	~	~	8	17	8
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	~	~	~	2	3	6
	Total, -	~	~	~	32	15	7
MARTIN CHAMBERS,	Drinagh, - - -	~	~	~	~	~	~
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -	~	~	~	~	~	~
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - - -	~	~	~	~	~	~
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	~	~	~	~	~	~
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - - -	~	~	~	~	~	~
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -	~	~	~	~	~	~
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - - -	~	~	~	~	~	~
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - - -	~	~	~	~	~	~
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - - -	~	~	~	~	~	~
	Total, -	~	~	~	~	~	~
THOMAS SHARPE....	Bridgetown, - -	~	~	~	~	~	~
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, - -	~	~	~	~	~	~
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, - - -	~	~	~	~	~	~
	Total, -	~	~	~	~	~	9
	TOTAL.....	~	~	~	142	13	11

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the above amounts.

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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 £ 51 s. 18 d. 9

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 51-18-9

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...

Average cost in Infirmary, ...

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...

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

300	lbs of Meat	~	lbs of Ginger
10	Bags of Flour	1	lbs of Pepper
~	Sacks of Wholemeal	8	quarts of Whiskey
~	Ton of Indian Meal	2	doz of Wine
~	Ton of Oatmeal		doz. of Porter
~	Potatoes	480	Eggs
50	Gallons Buttermilk	18	lbs of Candles
492	Gallons Newmilk	14	lbs of Malt
1	cwt of Salt	1	lbs of Hops
~	lbs of Tea	~	cwt of Soda
100	lbs of Sugar	~	lbs of Starch
6	lbs of Lump Sugar		
~	cwt of Price		

1 Bottle Brandy
2 Doz Stubbing Brandy
6 Bottles Whiskey
4 lbs. Snuff
2 lbs Snuff
Nurse Coffin

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	33	~	~
In Kind, ...			
Total	33	~	~

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.
	No. I.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. II.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. III.				
	Total.				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. ~~Clothing~~ Account.

		£	s.	d.
	Election &c			
151	P Prendergast Commissioner Juror act	30	-	-

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.
152	Godkin Flour	116	11	5
153	R Ryan Sundries	62	18	6

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

4. *Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.*

		£	s.	d.
	Clerks Petty Sessions			
155	T Prendergast Sundries	8	2	7
		~~8~~	3	~~8~~
	Clerks Petty Sessions			

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account with the several sums as above.

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

We have visited the Schools Hospital &c this day, all in good order. One of the Sturs is sick but hindring a suitable place to sleep, they have to sleep in a room on Mattresses

23 August 1853

(Signed) John Walsh,
James Jane
Robert Lambert

Ordered that the Clerk do write to the Contractor for informing him that if he do not at once proceed to complete the alterations in the Workhouse the Guardians will get them finished and charge him with the Cost,

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

Supply of 100 pair of Women and 100 pair of Children Shoes as specified.

Ordered that the Master get a dozen pair of Shoes made by Francis Ryan and taken of them to the Board for inspection on Saturday next with a Statement of the Cost on which day the Board will take the Matter further into

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

Local Government

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 21638/73 Date 22nd August 1873 addressed to the Presiding Chairman Requiring payment of £5 to the Clerk for duties under the Felony Disinfection Act, and £25 to him for his duties under the Juries Amendment Act in the present year,

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No 21314/73, Date 22 August 1873, stating that they had under their consideration a Copy of the Estimate of the Rates required to provide for the Expenditure of this Union for the year ending 29th Sept 1874, [illegible]

Ordered that this Board of Guardians fully appreciate the desire at all times manifested by the Poor Law Commissioners, and now by the Local Government Board to keep this Union free from any financial trouble, but whilst admitting this, and accepting with thanks the suggestions made from time to time [illegible]

that object, the Guardians wish to direct the attention of the Local Government Board to the fact that the financial state of this Union has been always sound and its credit as good as could be desired, and that if it were necessary to strike a second rate in the year the Guardians would feel no difficulty in doing so, nor in collecting the amount that might be [illegible] the Treasurer of this Union has ever for years been under the necessity of getting a second time for payment, and, as the Poor Law Commissioners this time last year were under the impression that the Union would be now in an embarrassed state, the Guardians believe that their debt to the Treasurer on 29th Sept will not exceed £700 the debt to him now being £135, and as the New Rate will be in course of collection in about 3 weeks hence, the Guardians feel satisfied that in about 6 months after a sufficient amount will have been collected to liquidate all the liabilities of the Union up to 29th September next. The Guardians further wish to remark that notwithstanding the severity of the past year the financial state of the Union is better than in August last and looking to the present prospects it may be fairly inferred that it will be very much improved at this time next year.

The Guardians trust under all the circumstances that the Local Government Board will not further object to the Rates proposed to be made in this Union for the ensuing year, the Guardians however giving an assurance that if a Supplemental rate is required during the year the Guardians will be prepared to levy them,

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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	19
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 was	576
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).

Resolved that the following Tenders are accepted and the Securities named in each be approved by the Board,

The Master of Wexford Union Workhouse according to Specification of the Local Government Board for the Sum of £107-12-0,

Mr Patrick Pippin to supply 170 Gallons of Sweetmilk per week for 12 Months @ 8d per Gallon,

Mr Patrick Maddock to supply 120 Gallons Sweetmilk per week for 12 Months @ 8d per Gallon

Mr Edward Maddock to supply 70 Gallons Sweetmilk per week for 12 Months @ 8d per Gallon

Mrs Margaret Clarke to supply 70 Gallons Sweetmilk for 12 Months @ 8d per Gallon

Mr Samuel Gill to supply 65 Gallons Sweetmilk for 12 Months @ 8d per Gallon

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Ordered that Leave of absence for two weeks be given to the Assistant Schoolmistress the Schoolmistress having promised to discharge her duties during her absence

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Ordered that the Clerk give Notice on the 30th Instant in the Form prescribed by the Poor Law Commissioners that Lists are about to be made out the several Electoral Divisions of this Union & that the Rate Books be submitted for the Guardians Signature on the 20th Proximo and that the Collectors Warrants be submitted by him on Same Day—

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

day of 18

Signed,

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 23 day of August 1873,—*continued.*

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Bridgetown *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 Medicines &c required for Bridgetown Dispensary District be procured by the Clerk from the Apothecary Hall Dublin.

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.

154 Account of Mr. Walker for 2 Months Salary Amount £3.6.8

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

[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.]

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the 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 August 1873,

Thos Hurst Blake
Presiding Chairman

Thos Baldwin
Clerk of Union

(Signed), _____
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of August 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	731	440
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital	81	28
Fever Sheds.		
TOTAL,	812	468

	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	9	11	104	150	48	30	52	30	29	463
Admitted during the week.	4	2	4	2		1	2	1	2	18
Born - - - -										
TOTAL,	13	13	108	152	48	31	54	31	31	481
Discharged during the week,	4	"	5	1	"	2	"	"	"	12
Died, - - - - -						1				1
Total Discharged and Dead,	4	"	5	1	"	3				13
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	9	13	103	151	48	28	54	31	31	468

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.	104	In separate Wards.	
In Fever Hospital.	28	In Wards with other Inmates	14
Total,	132	Total,	14

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1872 409

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 30 day of August 1873 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	144	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 586

Cost, £30:9:0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 30th day of August 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, Thomas Walsh Esq. D.V.C.

Other Guardians:

Charles H. Pacock J.P. James Hayes. Patrick Hayden John Maddock and Richard Codd

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. 3901 to No. 3929 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. 2069 to No. 2146 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 23rd 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, ... £

Paid during the week, ... £ 189 " 19 8

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 325 5 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.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Wexford, - -				104	10	9
Folio in leger Folio in leger	TOTAL, -				104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....	Ardcavan - -				"	16	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -				"	6	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Artramont, - -				3	11	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -				"	12	1
	TOTAL, -				5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....	Aughwilliam, - -				2	5	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -				1	12	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -				4	19	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -				1	2	2
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -				1	8	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -				8	19	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -				1	4	9
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -					3	
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -				8	17	8
Folio in leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -				2	3	6
	TOTAL, -				32	15	7
MARTIN CHAMBERS,							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -						
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -						
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Taemshane, - -						
	TOTAL, -						
THOMAS SHARPE...							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -						
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 also in leger	Tomhaggard, - -						
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, - - -						
	TOTAL, -				"	"	9
	TOTAL.....				142	13	11

RATE RETURNS.

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 each Week.									
								1st Week.			2nd Week.			3rd Week.			
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	9	3450			104	10	9							
JOHN STAFFORD.....	do.	925	8	1	936	1	3	5	6	10							
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1521	16	8	1489	1	1	32	15	7							
MARTIN CHAMBERS, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1413	16	4	"	"	"							
THOMAS SHARPE	do.	1453	3	7	1453	2	6	"	"	9							
TOTAL.....		9363	18	5	9226	4	6	142	13	11							

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with their 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 £ 57 s. 3 d. 4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	57	3	4
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	73	5	10
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	73	5	10
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		3	0
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		4	2½
The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was		5	0¾

examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

300	lbs of Meat		lbs of Ginger		10 Yards of Oil cloth
10	Bags of Flour	1	lbs of Pepper		200 Yards of Blay Calico
	Sacks of Wholemeal	8	quarts of Whiskey		100 Yards of Linen
	Ton of Indian Meal	1	doz of Wine		50 Yards of Long Cloth
	Ton of Oatmeal	1	Barrel of Porter		2 lbs of Snuff.
	Potatoes	480	Eggs		
50	Gallons Buttermilk		lbs of Candles		
492	Gallons Newmilk	114	lbs of Malt		
1	cwt of Salt	1	lbs of Hops		
	lbs of Tea		cwt of Soda		
100	lbs of Sugar		lbs of Starch		
6	lbs of Lump Sugar				
	cwt of Rice				

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 23 day of August 1873 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	33	0	0
In Kind, ...			
Total	33	0	0

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
Folio in Leger .. 156	No. I.	P. Keating	40		
Folio in Leger .. 157	No. II.	J. Whitty	30		
	No. III.				
	Total				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correc 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.
162	J. Ryan Shoes	2	16	"
158	J. Wilson Calico	17	10	"
159	Cullen v O'Farrell Calico	4	3	8

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

		£	s.	d.
160	J. O'Leary Printing	30	15	9

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
163	P. Maddock Mess. Milk	27	12	8

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

4. *~~Funerals~~, Election, ~~Law~~, ~~&c.~~, Account.*

		£	s.	d.
Clerk. account 161	J. Henderfast Sundries	9	18	7

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

The Barley and Oats will be in Stack next Week. I wish the directions of the Board respecting them

Ordered That the Corn be threshed. that the Straw be Kept for the use of the House and that the Corn be Sold and the proceeds lodged by the Clerk to the Credit of the Union

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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. 20462/73 dated 25th August 1873.

Transmitting Copy of an order prescribing the Board of Guardians to be the Nuisance authority for the Wexford Harbour &c.

Ordered That the Clerk write a Testimonial of Character & Competency for Mrs Williams Nurse of this Workhouse who is now a Candidate for the Office of Midwife for the Wexford Dispensary District

Ordered That leave of absence for Three Weeks be given to the Clerk of the Union and that the Master discharge the Clerk's duties during his absence.

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	3
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	
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	576
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	

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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 August 1873,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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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.

Wexford.

160 *Account of Mr.* T. O'Leary *for* Printing &c. : *Amount £* 0 11 0

160	Broadway Dispensary	T. O'Leary	Printing	0 . 9 . 11
160	Bridgetown — "	—	" —	0 . 9 . 11
160	Bannow — "	—	" —	Notices — 0 - 7 - 0
160	Taghmon — "	—	" —	Printing - 0 . 19 . 0
160	Crossabeg — "	—	" —	Notices - 0 . 7 . 0

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

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

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the 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 the 6th September 1873

Pierce Ryan P.L.G

Thos Rudkin

Clerk of Union.

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of September 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse,	731	452
Permanent Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse,	81	17
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds.		
TOTAL,	812	469

	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	9	13	103	151	48	28	54	31	31	468
Admitted during the week.	5	6	5	4	2	.	1	2	2	27
Born - - - -										
TOTAL,	14	19	108	155	50	28	55	33	33	495
Discharged during the week,	4	4	3	2	1		4	3	1	22
Died, - - - - -			1			2			1	4
Total Discharged and Dead,	4	4	4	2	1	2	4	3	2	26
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	10	15	104	153	49	26	51	30	31	465

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.	102	In separate Wards.	
In Fever Hospital.	17	In Wards with other Inmates	14
Total,	119	Total,	14

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 18 72 406

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 187 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	1444	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 586

Cost, £30 : 9 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 6th day of September 1873

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Pierce Ryan Esq. D.L.

Other Guardians: John Walsh Patrick Broad & Chas. H. Peacocke Esq. James Murphy John Sinnott Patrick Murphy Gregory Rossiter Robert Lambert & John Maddock

Henry Robinson Esq. Local Government 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. 3930 *to No.* 3947 *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. 2347 *to No.* 2473, *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, ... £

Paid during the week, ... £ 169 " 0 " 6

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 494 " 6 " 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR. Folio in leger Folio in leger	Wexford, - -				104	10	9
	TOTAL, -				104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....	Ardcavan - -					16	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -					6	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Artramont, - -				3	11	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -					12	1
	TOTAL, -				5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Anghwilliam, - -				2	5	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -				1	12	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -				4	19	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -				1	2	2
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -				1	8	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -				8	19	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -				1	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -				"	3	"
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taglamon, - - -				8	17	8
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -				2	3	6
	TOTAL, -				32	15	7
MARTIN CHAMBERS, Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -						
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - -						
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -						
	TOTAL, -						
THOMAS SHARPE.... Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -						
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 also in leger	Tomhaggard, - -						
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, - - -						
	TOTAL, -				"	"	9
	TOTAL.....				142	13	11

RATE RETURNS.

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.			Amount of Rate uncollected at close of each Week.		
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	9	395	"	"	104	10	9
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JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1521	16	8	1489	1	1	32	7	"
MARTIN CHAMBERS, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1413	16	4	"	"	"
THOMAS SHARPE	do.	1453	3	7	1453	2	6	"	"	"
TOTALS, ...		9368	18	5	9226	4	6	142	13	11

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the amounts received.

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

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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 £ 57 s. " d. 8

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	57	0	8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	74	10	0
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	74	" 10	" 0
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	2	" 11 ¼
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	4	" 12
	"	5	" 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:—

322	lbs of Meat	lbs of Ginger	1 Dozen Lemons
10	Bags of Flour	1 lbs of Pepper	7 lbs Mustard
	Sacks of Wholemeal	4 quarts of Whiskey	
	Ton of Indian Meal	doz of Wine	
1	Ton of Oatmeal	doz. of Porter	
	Potatoes	Eggs	
50	Gallons Buttermilk	20 lbs of Candles	
492	Gallons Newmilk	lbs of Malt	
1	cwt of Salt	lbs of Hops	
	lbs of Tea	cwt of Soda	
	lbs of Sugar	lbs of Starch	
100	lbs of Lump Sugar	1 Stone Arrow Root	
10	cwt of Peice		

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	33.	7.	6
In Kind, ...			
Total	33.	7.	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
	No. I.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. II.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. III.				
	Total.				

Credit Treasurer with Checks: Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correc 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.
164	J. Ryan	Shoes		5	4	"

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

2. Establishment Account.

			£	s.	d.
Maintenance					
165	D. O'Brien	Pension of M. Boyle.	7	10	"
	Maintenance of Deaf & Dumb.		"	"	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
166	D. Maddock	Sweet Milk	10	13	11

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

4. Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.

			£	s.	d.
Registration					
167	A. Farling	Registration Fees	3	7	6
	Debit Registration Credit Treasurer with above				
	Clerks Petty Disbursement				
168	J. Prendergast	Sundries	14	11	1

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account with the several sums as above.

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

We have visited the Fever Hospital this day and found it clean and well ventilated 20 Patients the Shed covering the Pump requires a new roof.

6th September 1873

Signed John Walsh
Patrick Codd.

Orders That the Master get a new shed put over the Pump at the Fever Hospital.

Visited the House this day and found its general working particularly in the Hospital in a very Satisfactory condition a carpenter is at work at the Nuns apartments. Yet little or no progress is made towards the completion of the work. The Bread is good at present.—

September 3rd 1873

Signed John Walsh

"We found on visiting the House this day all in a Satisfactory condition"

6th Sept. 1873. John Walsh
Patrick Codd

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

Sister M. C. Leary one of the Infirmarian Nuns has been unable to discharge her duties from illness for the past three weeks Sister Mary John Shelly is performing her duties

I refused to take the Meat on Wednesday being inferior the Contractor supplied good meat instead

A Supply of Frieze is required

A Supply of 100 pair of Blankets & 100 pair of Rugs will be required for winter.—

Ordered by Board of Guardians &c.

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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 we approve of Mrs. Shelly discharging temporarily the duties of Mrs. O'Leary as nurse at the same salary as is paid to Mrs. Kenny viz 10/ per week That we consider the Master acted properly in returning the meat to the Contractor and in obliging him to supply the best meat instead that the Clerk advertise in the "People" Newspaper for tenders for the supply of 100 Yards Frieze 100 pair Blankets and 100 pair of Rugs Tenders to be considered on the 27th Instant.

Report of Medical Officer.

Thomas Hackett, a Sailor, who landed at Grimsby from Riga and came direct to Wexford was admitted into the sheds of the Fever Hospital on the 4th inst. as he stated he had been affected with "Cholera" during the passage from Riga — Except being rather weak he does not now labour under any disease.

September 6th 1873.

(Signed) R. J. Deane.

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. 14/. 173 dated 5th September 1873 requesting return of Current Rates.

A letter dated this day from Mrs Eleanor Williams tendering her resignation of the office of Midwife and thanking the Guardians for their Kindness towards her.

Ordered — That the resignation of Mrs Williams be accepted that the Local Government Board be informed that the Board of Guardians are desirous of having whenever necessary the services of a qualified Midwife for the Workhouse and wish to appoint Mrs Williams to the office of Midwife she having acted in that capacity for nearly 20 years and to pay her a salary of £10 per Year without apartments or rations and they trust the Local Government Board will sanction this arrangement. The Guardians further desire to inform the Local Government Board that the number of Midwifery cases attended by the Medical Officer of Wexford Dispensary District during the Year ended 25th March when there was no Midwife for the District was 60 and that the Number of Midwifery cases which occured in this Workhouse during same period was 15.

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The Board took into consideration the order of the Local Government Board of the 23rd Ultimo prescribing the Board of Guardians to be the Nuisance authority for Wexford Harbour.

Moved by Mr Peter Ryan and Seconded by Mr Patt Codd & passed

That Doctors Breen & Sheridan be appointed Medical Officers to inspect Ships coming into Wexford Harbour that have had Cholera on Board or that have come from infected ports and that they get a fee of £1 for each inspection and be employed alternately

Ordered

That a Stove be put up in the Upper Female Infirm ward which is at present without a fire place and the Clerk get the Consent for same, endorsed by the Insurance Company on the Policy.

Ordered That the Sum of £2 be allowed Anne Doyle an inmate of this Workhouse to assist to defray her emigration expenses to New York where her children are residing and from where she received a passage ticket this week and that the Local Government Board be requested to issue an order under Seal authorizing the expenditure.

Ordered That the Clerk advertise in the General advertiser in the usual way for the Supply for 12 months from the 5th Proximo of the Medicines and Medical appliances for this Workhouse and Six Dispensary Districts of the Union tenders to be considered on 4th October next.

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	22
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 was	5/6
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).

Notice of Motion

I hereby give notice that I will on Saturday the 20th September Inst. move that Rations same as the other Officers of the Workhouse are allowed to be given to the Nurses who are acting as Nurses in this Workhouse

Workhouse 6th Sept 1878

(Signed) Patrick Codd

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

day of 18 .

Signed,

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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 14th day of September 1872,—*continued.*

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 Medecines required for Wexford Dispensary District be procured by the Clerk from the Apothecarys Hall Dublin

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the Bridgetown *Dispensary District in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of* 20th 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 Wexford *Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—*

One and Half Tons of Coals

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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:).

167 *Account of Mr.* A Furlong M.D. Bridgetown Dispensary District. for 91 Cases of Vaccination Amount £4 " 18 " 0

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

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

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the 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 Local Government Board dated 5th Septr. 1873 stating that

No. 144/1873.

Requesting that the annual Returns of Dispensary Committees and Wardens would be forwarded without delay.

Extract from Minutes of Proceedings of the Wexford Dispensary Committee of Management at their Meeting held on Friday the 5th September 1873

It was Proposed by William Joffrey Esq and Seconded by Joseph Meadows Esq.

That Mrs Ellen Williams be elected Midwife for the Wexford Medical Dispensary District at the Salary of Thirty pounds per annum

Passed Unanimously

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday the 13th Septr 1873.

Pierce Ryan P.L.G

(Signed), John Rudderford
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of September 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	731	453										
Additional Workhouse,	"	"										
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	16										
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL,	812	471										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			10	15	104	153	49	26	51	30	31	469
Admitted during the week.			3	2	4	8	"	1	"	"	"	18
Born - - - -			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
TOTAL,			13	17	108	161	49	27	51	30	31	487
Discharged during the week,			4	2	4	5	"	1	"	"	"	16
Died, - - - - -			"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	2	5	6	"	1	"	"	"	18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			9	15	103	155	49	26	51	30	31	471

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.	10	In separate Wards. "
In Fever Hospital.	16	In Wards with other Inmates 14
Total,	26	Total, 14

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1872 406

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 13th day of September 1873 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.	144	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 593

Cost, £30: 9: 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 13th day of September 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pierce Ryan Esq. V. C.

Other Guardians: Chas. H. Peacock J.P. John Walsh, Walter Harper. Richard Murphy Edw.d Sinnott, Bartle.w Furlong and Robert Fitzhenry.

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. 3948 to No. 3974 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. 2347 to No. 2473, 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 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, ... £

Paid during the week, ... £ 37 " 19 " 0

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 532 " 5 " 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the War Fast 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.	Amoun of Rate uncollected at close of each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4034	13	9	3950	"	"	84	13	9
John Stafford.....	do.	925	8	1	920	3	"	5	6	10
James Murphy.....	do.	1521	16	8	1489	1	"	32	15	"
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1413	16	4	"	"	"
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1453	3	7	1453	2	10	"	"	"
TOTAL.....		9368	18	5	9226	5	6	142	13	11

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Wexford, - -				104	10	9
	TOTAL, -				104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcavan - -				"	16	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -				"	6	3
Folio in Leger Folio in Lege-	Artramont, - -				3	11	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -				"	12	1
	TOTAL, -				5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Aughwilliam, - -				2	5	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballynaitty, - -				1	12	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -				4	19	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -				1	2	2
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -				1	8	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -				8	19	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -				1	4	5
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -				"	3	"
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -				8	17	8
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Whitechurch, - -				2	13	6
	TOTAL, -				32	15	7
MARTIN CHAMBERS,							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -						
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -						
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -						
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -						
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -						
	TOTAL, -						
THOMAS SHARPE....							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -						
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 olio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -						
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, - - -						
	TOTAL, -						
	TOTAL.....						9

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the Amounts collected.

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 £ 73 s. 1 d. 5

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	73	1	5
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	81	12	4
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	3	0
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	"	4	2
	"	5	1½

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

320	lbs of Meat		lbs of Ginger	8 Gross Studs	
12	Bags of Flour	1	lbs of Pepper	12 Doz. Iron Heels	
	Sacks of Wholemeal	8	quarts of Whiskey	4 lbs. Sparables	
	Ton of Indian Meal	2	doz of Wine	6 Shoemakers Knives	
	Ton of Oatmeal		doz. of Porter	140 Yards of Linen	
	Potatoes		Eggs	140 Yards of Wincey	
60	Gallons Buttermilk	30	lbs of Candles	30 lbs of Yarn	
492	Gallons Newmilk	14	lbs of Malt	10 lbs of Twine	
1	cwt of Salt	1	lbs of Hops	1 Large Coffin	
	lbs of Tea		cwt of Soda		
100	lbs of Sugar		lbs of Starch		
10	lbs of Lump Sugar				
	cwt of Peice				

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	33	7	6
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
Total	33	7	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
169	No. I.	P. Keating	40		
Folio in Leger .. 170	No. II.	J. Whitty	25		
Folio in Leger ..	No. III.				
	Total,		£ 65 0 0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correc 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.
171	E. Williams Nurse Salary	3	10	

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
172	S. Doyle Groceries	8	13	10

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

4. *Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.*

		£	s.	d.
	Clerks Petty Disbursements			
174	P. Prendergast Sundries	14	4	7
	Clerks Petty Disbursements			

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account with the several sums as above.

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

Sept. 13th 1873

Visited the House this day and also on the 10th Instant and found its Several departments as usual in excellent order. The Hospitals remarkably clean The Patients most carefully attended to.

(Signed) John Walsh

" "

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

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

" " " "

" "

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

Local Government Board

No. 23-16/73. Dated 11th Sept. 1873.

Requesting to be furnished with particulars respecting Anne Doyle whom the Guardians propose to assist to emigrate

Ordered

That a sum of £87 11 6 Rates assessed on unoccupied Houses and Stores in ruins in the Electoral Division of Wexford are hereby cancelled.

" " " "

Ordered That Jane Powell who states that her husband Benjamin Powell has neglected to maintain her be admitted into this Workhouse and that the Relief which will be afforded her be by way of Loan to him

" " "

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	18
Ditto, disallowed	2
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	576
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 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.

173 *Account of Mr.* A. Connolly *for* 2 Months Salary : *Amount £* 5.0.0

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

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the 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 20th Sept. 1873.

John Walsh presiding Chairman

Thos Sinnott
Clerk of Union

(Signed), _____

Chairman.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of September 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	731	459										
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital	81	16										
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL.	812	475										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			9	15	103	155	49	26	51	30	38	471
Admitted during the week.			5	5	4	1	"	1	"	"	2	18
Born - - - - -			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
TOTAL,			14	20	107	156	49	27	51	30	35	489
Discharged during the week,			3	2	4	3	"	"	1	"	"	13
Died, - - - - -			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	2	4	4	"	"	1	"	"	14
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			11	18	103	152	49	27	50	30	35	475

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS. Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital. 105	In separate Wards.	
In Fever Hospital. 16	In Wards with other Inmates 14	
Total, 121	Total, 14	

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1872 402

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 20th day of September 1873 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.	144	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 586

Cost, £30 : 9 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 20th day of September 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Walsh Esq & Pierce Ryan Esq V.C.

Other Guardians: Messrs. Patrick Byrne John Roche Patrick Codd John Sinnott Williams Day. Bartholomew Furlong Patrick Murphy. Walter Furlong Thos. Walsh. D.V.C James Hayes and John Maddock.

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"

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. 3975 to No. 3992 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. 2347 to No. 2473, 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 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, ... £

Paid during the week, ... £ 33 „ 13 „ 10

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 565 „ 18 „ 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:—

RATE RETURNS.

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 each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4054	13	9	3950	„	„	104	5	9
John Stafford.....	do.	925	8	1	920	3	„	5	„	„
James Murphy,.....	do.	1521	16	8	1419	1	„	32	„	„
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1413	16	4	1413	16	4	„	„	„
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1453	3	7	1453	2	10	„	„	„
Total.....		9368	18	5	9226	5	6	142	13	11

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Wexford, - -				104	10	9
	Total, -				104	10	9
JOHN STAFFORD.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcavan - -				„	16	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -				„	6	3
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Artramont, - -				3	11	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -				„	12	„
	Total, -				5	6	10
JAMES MURPHY.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Aughwilliam, - -				2	5	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -				1	12	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -				4	19	0
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -				1	2	2
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -				1	8	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -				1	19	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -				1	4	4
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -				„	3	„
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -				1	17	8
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -				2	3	6
	Total, -				32	15	7
MARTIN CHAMBERS,							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -				„	„	„
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -				„	„	„
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -				„	„	„
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -				„	„	„
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -				„	„	„
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - -				„	„	„
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -				„	„	„
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -				„	„	„
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -				„	„	„
	Total, -				„	„	„
THOMAS SHARPE....							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -				„	„	„
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 olio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -				„	„	„
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, - - -				„	„	„
	Total, -				„	„	9
	TOTAL.....				142	13	11

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

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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 £ 74 s. 8 d. 0

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... ... 74 „ 8 „ 0

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account. 77 „ 16 „ 0

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 77 „ 16 „ 0

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 3 „ 1

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 4 „ 1½

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

293	lbs of Meat	lbs of Ginger	4 oz. Shag Nails
12	Bags of Flour	1 lbs of Pepper	4 lbs Snuff
2 Stone	Sacks of Wholemeal Flour	8 quarts of Whiskey	200 Yards Blue Calico
	Ton of Indian Meal	2 doz of Wine	1 Gallon Lamp oil
	Ton of Oatmeal	doz. of Porter	1 Box Lamp Lights
	Potatoes	480 Eggs	7 lbs Mustard
50	Gallons Buttermilk	40 lbs of Candles	1 Doz. Shawls.
492	Gallons Newmilk	14 lbs of Malt	100 Yards Flannell
1	cwt of Salt	1 lbs of Hops	1 lb Knitting Wires
	lbs of Tea	1 cwt of Soda	1000 Needles.
100	lbs of Sugar	14 lbs of Starch	1 Spectacles.
10	lbs of Lump Sugar	6 Bottles Brandy	3 Dozen Tine Combs
	cwt of Price	1 lb Blue	3 Dozen Course Do.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 13 day of September 1873. whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	33	7	6.
In Kind, ...			
Total	33	7	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
	No. I.	P. Keating	„	„	„
Folio in Leger ..	No. II.	J. Whitty	„	„	„
Folio in Leger ..	No. III.				
	Total.				

Credit Treasurer with Checks: Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correo 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.
177	A. Croghlan Tenner	6	5	0
175	J. Ryan Salics	19	19	10
179	J. Ryan Shoes.	3	18	9
180	P. Walsh & Co. Yarn &c	11	13	3

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

		£	s.	d.
185	P. Walsh & Co Combs.	1	6	11

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
176	S. Erdkin & Co. Flour. Meal	99	3	"

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

4. *Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.*

		£	s.	d.
178	P. Callagan expenses incurred in arresting Delany	5	15	3
	Debit Funerals & Credit Treasurer with above	"	"	"
181	Maintainance of Blind &.	"	"	"
	J. Clancy. Ruins of Mernagh	7	10	3
182	Clerks Petty Dists J. Prendergast Sundries	10	3	4

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Election, Law, &c., 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:—

17. September 1873

Visited the House this day and found all Departments in a most creditable State

Signed John Walsh.

" " "

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

I attended Petty Sessions on Wednesday last to Prosecute John Delaney for neglecting to support his wife and four children. The Court sentenced him to one months imprisonment.

" " "

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):—

" 147. M/73. Dated 13th September 1873 Subject — "Nuisance Authority on the Coast."

Ordered That the Local Government Board be informed that a copy of the Statement referred to has been given to each of the Relieving Officers of the Union

" 153. M/73. Dated 17th Sept. 1873. Directing the attention of the Guardians to the Iron Buildings as suitable to the Hospital Purposes.

Ordered That the Local Government Board be informed that should necessity arise. that " that

The Guardians will consider the advisability of procuring one or more of the Iron Buildings to which reference is made in the foregoing letter "

" No. 35553/73. Dated 19 Sept. 1873. — Stating That they had received the half Yearly report of their Inspector Mr. Robinson relating to the Union " " " "

Ordered That Leave of Absence for one week be given to the Schoolmaster and that the Schoolmistress look after the Schoolboys during his absence

Moved by John Roche & Seconded by Patrick Codd & Passed That the Rate Books of the Several Electoral Divisions of this Union be signed on this day and that Notice of Rates having been made be given by the Clerk in the form prescribed by the Poor Law Commissioners. " "

Moved by John Roche & Seconded by Patrick Codd & Passed That "Warrants" to empower Messrs. John Stafford M. J. O'Connor James Murphy Martin Chambers & Thomas Sharpe to collect & levy Rates & arrears of Rates off the Several Electoral Divisions Compounded in their Respective Districts be properly signed Sealed & delivered to the Collectors on this day and that a period of 6 months be allowed each Collector to complete his Collections "

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	
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	576
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).

Moved Pursuant to Notice by Mr. P. Todd. & seconded by Mr. John Roche & Passed (nem con) That Rations same as those (given to the other Officers of the Workhouse be allowed to each of the two Infirmarian Nuns employed as Nurses in this Workhouse and that the Local Government Board be requested to sanction it

Resolved. That the following Sums assessed on (unoccupied Houses and Houses in Ruins in the undermentioned Electoral Divisions are hereby (cancelled. Viz

Ardcavan	£	16.10
Arderlow	£	6.3
Aytramont	£	1.19.7
Kilpatrick	£	6.6
Tacumshane		9.9

" " "

" " "

"

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

27th day of September 1873.

Signed,

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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 18 ,—*continued.*

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

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

There was no business under the above acts transacted by the Board of Guardians at their meeting held on Saturday the 20th Instant

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 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.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of September 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	731	466
Additional Workhouse,	81	16
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds.		
TOTAL,	812	482

	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	10	18	103	152	49	27	50	30	35	475
Admitted during the week.	4	3	11	3	"	"	"	"	1	25
Born - - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
TOTAL,	18	21	114	155	49	27	50	30	36	500
Discharged during the week,	3	4	5	1	"	"	"	"	3	16
Died, - - - - -	"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	2
Total Discharged and Dead,	3	4	6	2	"	"	"	"	3	18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	15	17	108	153	49	27	50	30	33	482

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. 95	In separate Wards.
In Fever Hospital. 16	In Wards with other Inmates 14
Total, 111	Total, 14

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1872 415

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	144	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 593

Cost, £30: 9: "

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 27th day of September 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, Thomas Walsh Esq D. V. C. & Peter Ryan Esq V. C.

Other Guardians:

Charles H. Peacocke J.P. John Walsh
Patrick Hayden Gregory Rossiter Walter Harpur
John Maddock Edward Sinnott Patrick Codd
(Carrig) James Hayes John Roche David Redmond
Robert Lambert Richard Murphy & Richard Codd.

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. 3993 to No. 4016 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. 2347 to No. 2473 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 20th 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, ... £

Paid during the week, ... £ 213 11 19 11

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 779 18 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

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.	Total amount of Rate collected.	Amoun of Rate uncollected at close of each Week.
		£ s. d.		
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4096 19 6		4096 19 6
John Stafford.....	do.	925 8 4		1061 0 4
James Murphy,.....	do.	1591 16 8		1575 15 4
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1453 13 5		1646 15 5
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1576 19 2		1576 19 2
Total.....		9868 18 5		9834 10 "

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Wexford, - -				4096	19	6
	Total, -				4096	19	6
JOHN STAFFORD.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcavan - -				419	8	9
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -				143	16	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Artramont, - -				294	7	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -				205	5	6
	Total, -				1062	18	2
JAMES MURPHY.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Anghwilliam, - -				160	7	0
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -				127	2	5
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -				133	18	11
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -				103	18	6
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -				77	17	2
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -				214	11	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -				126	14	0
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -				58	12	1
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -				446	5	9
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -				66	12	11
	Total, -				1575	19	10
MARTIN CHAMBERS,							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -				153	11	0
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -				357	12	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -				160	13	6
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -				173	18	1
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - - -				125	0	4
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -				126	9	0
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - - -				190	18	6
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -				158	19	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -				205	7	3
	Total, -				1645	12	5
THOMAS SHARPE....							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -				197	4	7
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -				345	19	2
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan, - -				115	13	7
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -				46	0	3
Folio in Leger olio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -				115	5	8
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Bannow, - - -				357	1	10
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Duncormack, - -				130	10	4
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Harristown, - -				106	14	9
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -				44	6	0
	Total, -				1491	15	7
	TOTAL.....				9823	4	7

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 amounts of Rates 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 £ 63 s. 7 d. 8

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	63	7	8
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	78	10	5
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	78	10	5
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	"	3	1½
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		4	2
		5	1

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

302	lbs of Meat	lbs of Ginger	
12	Bags of Flour	1 lbs of Pepper	13 Whitewash Brushes
	Sacks of Wholemeal	12 quarts of Whiskey	4 Sweeping Brushes
	Ton of Indian Meal	2 doz of Wine	5 Doz. Scrubbing do
	Ton of Oatmeal	1 Barl. doz. of Porter	4 Blacklead do
	Potatoes	480 Eggs	10 Paint do
50	Gallons Buttermilk	40 lbs of Candles	2 Boss Brooms
492	Gallons Newmilk	14 lbs of Malt	2 Dusting Brushes
1	cwt of Salt	1 lbs of Hops	1.300 Bricks
	lbs of Tea	cwt of Soda	4 Loads Sand
100	lbs of Sugar	lbs of Starch	
10	lbs of Lump Sugar		
	cwt of Rice		

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	33	7	6
In Kind, ...			
Total			33 7 6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
	No. I.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. II.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. III.				
	Total				

Credit Treasurer with Checks: Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correc 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.
183	Cullen & O. Farrell Shawls	12	6	6

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

~~2. Establishment Account.~~

		£	s.	d.
184	Revd. James Reed ¼ Years Salary	7	10	"
185	Revd. James Roche P.P. Do	17	10	"
186	Thos. Prendergast clerk Do	25		
187	Stephen Kavanagh Master Do 15	5	0	"
188	M. A. Furlong Matron Do	6	5	"
189	John Ervin Schoolmaster Do	9	4	6
190	Margt. Ervin Schoolmistres Do	5	"	"
191	Margt. Finn assistant Do	6	10	"
192	M. Kevin Byrne Nurse Do	6	10	"
193				

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

~~3. Workhouse Invoice Account.~~

		£	s.	d.
194	M. & O Leary Nurse Do	6	10	"
195	Moses Kearns Porter Do	3	15	"
196	James Whitty R.O. Do	8	15	"
197	Patrick Keating R.O. Do	10	"	"
198	Lanes Devereux Brushes	4	14	7

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

4. Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.

		£	s.	d.
186	Thos Prendergast Returning Officer ¼ Years Salary	2	10	"
	Debit Funerals acct. and credit Treasurer with above Sums	"	"	"
	Poundage account	"	"	"
199	J. Murphy Poundage	9	6	8
	Debit Poundage acct. & Credit Treasurer with above Sums	"	"	"
	Clerks Petty Disbursements	"	"	"
200	Thos Prendergast Sundries	31	17	11

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account with the several sums as above.

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

Sept. 24. 1873

Visited the several departments of the House on both days. found the Hospital & Schools in a very creditable state. Russell has not done any-thing during the past week. I would recomend a person to be employed to finish the work so long on hand.

Signed John Walsh.

Ordered

That the master get the contract of Russell finished if Russell does not do so the ensuing week.

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

I have to request that a committee may be appointed to take Stock of the Provisions and necessaries that may be on hands on 29th Instant

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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):—

Local Government Board

No. 156/m/73. Dated 17th September 1873.

Forwarding copy of a circular addressed The Board of Guardians of Port Unions

No. 23161/73. Dated 26th September 1873. Stating That they will at present raise no objection to Mrs Williams employment in the Workhouse as Midwife &.

Ordered That the Clerk write to the Several Medical Officers of the Union to request their attendance on Saturday next to assist the Guardians in the examination of the Tenders for the Supply of Medicines to the Union.

Resolved that the following Tenders be accepted Viz

Mr. John Ryan 100 Pair of Blankets Same as Sample weight 9 lbs @. 19/6. per pair. 50 Yards Frieze Same as Sample @ 7/ per Yard and 40 white Rugs Same as Sample @ 7/ shillings each.

Mr. J. O. Reilly to Supply 50 Yards Frieze @ 7/. per Yard. and 40 white Rugs @ 7/ each

Mr. Patrick Murphy to Supply 40 white Rugs Same as Sample @ 7/ each

Messrs Cullen & O Farrell to Supply 40 white Rugs Same as Sample @ 7/ per pair

Mr. William Connick to Supply 40 white Rugs. Same as Sample @ 7/ each.

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	15
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	
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	576
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the WEXFORD UNION, on Saturday, the 27th day of September 1873,—*continued.*

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

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

Ordered That the Medicines &c. required for Broadway & Bannow Dispensary Districts respectively be procured by the clerk from Apothecarys Hall Dublin

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.	—	*for* —	*: Amount £*
200	M. J. Sheridan	½ Years Salary	30 " 0 " 0
201	J. H. Hadden	do	10 " 0 . 0
202	M. Corish	½ Years Rent	7 " 10 " 0
203	Broadway Dispensary	Dr " William Whittaker ½ Years Salary	25 " 0
204		a Fortune ½ Years Rent " £4 . 0 . 0	
205	Bridgetown Dispensary	Dr " W. Furlong ½ Years Salary	25 " 0 . 0
206	Bannow Dispensary	Dr " J. Boyd ½ Years Salary	25 " 0 . 0
207		J. Barry ½ Years Rent	4 " 0 " 0
208	Taghmon Clyera "	Dr " O. Connor ½ Years Salary	25 " 0 " 0
209		M. Parle ½ Years Rent	3 " 15 " 0
210	Crossabeg Dispensary	Dr Jno. Henderson ½ Years Salary	20 " 0 " 0
211		a Dicen ½ Years Rent	5 " 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-year ended 18 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half year ended* 18

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the 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 Local Govt Board *dated* 26th Sept. 1873 *stating that*

No. 23725/73

Forwarding copy of a letter which they have addressed to the Wexford Dispensary District Committee sanctioning the appointment of Mrs. Williams as Midwife of the District at a salary of £30. per year.

Next meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday 4th Oct. 1873.

Charles F. Peacocke
presiding Chairman

Thos. Whitty
Clerk of Union

(Signed), _____
Witness to the Signature.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of October 1873.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	431	440										
Additional Workhouse,	81	11										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL,	512	451										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			15	17	108	153	49	27	50	30	33	482
Admitted during the week.				3	3	1	1		1		1	10
Born - - - -												
TOTAL,			15	20	111	154	50	27	51	30	34	492
Discharged during the week,			10	3								13
Died, - - - - -												
Total Discharged and Dead,			10	3								13
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			5	17	111	154	50	27	51	30	34	481

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.	
In Fever Hospital.	11	In Wards with other Inmates	14
Total,	110	Total,	14

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1872 420

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 187 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.	144	366				
No. III.	116	210				
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 586

Cost, £30:9:0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 4th day of October 1873.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles A. Peacocke J.P. & Piece Ryan Esq. V.C.

Other Guardians:

John Walsh. John Maddock John Sinnott
James Greene Patrick Murphy Patrick Leary
Thomas Walsh Esq. D.V.C.

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. 4011 to No. 4036 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. 2347 to No. 2473, 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, ... £

Paid during the week, ... £ 94. 13. 11

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 305. 14. 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman. 990. 19. 2

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:—

RATE RETURNS.

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.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of each Week.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4096	19	6		6 2 10 5 7 5 6
JOHN STAFFORD.....	do.	1062	18	2		19 19 12 15 5 9813
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1575	19	10		
MARTIN CHAMBERS, ...	do.	1645	12	5		
THOMAS SHARPE	do.	1491	15	7		
TOTAL.....		9813	5	6		

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Wexford, - -				4096	19	6
	TOTAL, -				4096	19	6
JOHN STAFFORD.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcavan - -				419	8	9
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -				143	16	10
Folio in Leger Folio in Lege-	Artramont, - -				294	7	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -				205	6	6
	TOTAL, -				1062	18	2
JAMES MURPHY.....							
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Aughwilliam, - -	1	1	7	160	7	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -	"	8	2	124	2	5
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -	2	9	4	133	18	11
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	"	4	11	103	18	6
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -	1	6	4	77	17	2
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	3	9	2	214	11	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	"	19	8	126	14	"
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	3	58	12	1
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	8	14	5	446	5	9
Folio in leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	"	19	9	66	12	11
	TOTAL, -	19	13	7	1575	19	10
MARTIN CHAMBERS,							
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -				153	"	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -				361	12	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - - -				160	13	6
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -				143	18	1
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - - -				125	0	4
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -				126	9	0
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - - -				190	18	6
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - - -				158	19	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - - -				205	1	3
	TOTAL, -				1645	19	5
THOMAS SHARPE....							
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -				197	4	7
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -				345	19	2
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan, - - -				115	13	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -				46	"	3
Folio in Leger olio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -				115	6	8
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Bannow, - - -				357	1	10
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Duncormack, - -				130	10	4
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Harristown, - -				106	14	9
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -				77	6	"
	TOTAL, -				1491	15	7
	TOTAL.....				9813	5	6

Debit Treasurer & Credit Establishment account with £51. 19. 8. for Farm produce and other Receipts £15. 18. 0 for manure 3/ for a Tea chest

Repaid Relief account with £7. 9. 8. lodged by Clerk of Union,

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 Poor Rate 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 £ 76 s. 14 d. 11

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	76.	14.	11
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	77.	13.	4
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		3.	1
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		4.	1¾
		5.	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:—

300	lbs of Meat		lbs of Ginger	60 bbs	Batt Leather
12	Bags of Flour	1	lbs of Pepper	2 Doz.	Scouping Brushes
	Sacks of Wholemeal	12	quarts of Whiskey	1	Feeder
1	Ton of Indian Meal	1	doz of Wine	1	set fire Irons
	Ton of Oatmeal		doz. of Porter	2 lbs.	Snuff.
	Potatoes		Eggs	1	Large Coffin
50	Gallons Buttermilk		lbs of Candles	6 lbs	Altar Candles
492	Gallons Newmilk		lbs of Malt		
1	cwt of Salt		lbs of Hops		
	lbs of Tea		cwt of Soda		
140	lbs of Sugar		lbs of Starch		
10	lbs of Lump Sugar				
	cwt of Rice				

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 27th day of Sept. 1873. whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	33.	7.	6.
In Kind, ...			
Total	33.	7.	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
	No. I.	P Keating	40		
Folio in Leger ..	No. II.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. III.	J. Whitty	30		
	Total.				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. *Clothing Account.*

			£	s.	d.
213	A. Coghlan	Sundries	4	3	4
214	C. Sinnott	Leather	5	16	10

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

			£	s.	d.
215	W. Webb	Medicines	41	11	6
216	A. Mackay	Advertising	3	10	.
217	J. Cullen	Oils	14	4	9
218	J. Sinnott	Ironmonger	32	11	4
219	M. Harpur	Tins	8	4	1
2	T. O'Leary	Books	11	9	6
	B. Hughes	Advertising	3	15	.

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

				£	s.	d.
J. Wickham 220	Malt & Hops	£3.16.6				
J. Morris 221	Coals	175.3.4				
D. Fair 222	Groceries	191.2.9				
J. Doyle 223	do	6.10.0				
J. Hayes 224	Meat	96.18.8				
Gas. Co. 225	Gas	6.19.9				
W. Devereux 226	Whiskey	13.19.0				
	S. Gratkin	Flour	227	46	18	3
	A. Hayes	B. Milk	228	14	3	6
	P. Ryan	Sweet Milk	229	35	4	"
	L. Gill	do do	230	38	7	5
	C. Maddock	do do	231	10	"	.
	P. Maddock	do do	232	22	9	4
	M. Clarke	do do	233	29	16	8
	C. Rossiter	Eggs.	23	2	6	8

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

4. *Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.*

			£	s.	d.
	J. Prendergast	Sundries	234	22	12	10
	Clerks	Petty Disbursements		-	-	-

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Election, Law, &c., 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 favourably.

Visited the several parts of the House to day and found the apartments in a favourable State

3rd October 1873.
(Signed) John Walsh.

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

The following sums were received by me during the half year and lodged to the credit of the Union

Fr. Farm Produce	£	57. 9. 8
" Manure		15. 18. 0
" Relief		4 " 9. 8
" Tea Chest		" 3 " 0
" Total	£	75. 0. 4

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

Local Govt. 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 156 M/73 29th Sept. 1873 Requesting Returns of Union officers &c.

No. 24188/73 2nd Octr. 1873 Referring to the resolution of the Board of the 20th Ultimo proposing that the Nuns who are employed as nurses in the Workhouse be allowed "Rations" &c. Proposed by Mr. John Walsh and Seconded by Charles H. Peacock J.P. That the Local Govt. Board be requested to re-consider the unanimous resolution of the Board of Guardians as passed on the 20th Ultimo in allowing the Infirmarian Nuns "Rations" The Guardians are perfectly anxious of the terms on which the Nuns came to take charge of the Sick in the Workhouse and from the very efficient and Satisfactory manner in which they have discharged their duties we consider that those Ladies are fully entitled to "Rations" and again request the Local Government Board to sanction same.

Ordered That Martha Whelan who states that her husband James Whelan has refused to maintain her be admitted into the House and that Notice be served on him to enter the Workhouse

Ordered That Mary Crean who states that her husband Rowland Crane has refused to maintain her be admitted into the Workhouse and that notice be served on him by the clerk to enter the Workhouse.

Proposed By Mr. John Walsh Seconded by Mr. John Sinnott That the tender of Messrs. Hunt & Co to supply the Union with Medicines for 12 months be accepted—

Proposed by Chas. H. Peacock J. P. and Seconded by Mr. James Crean that the Tender of Messrs Leslie & Co for the Supply of Medicines to the Union for 12 months be accepted—

Four of the Guardians present voted for the tender of Messrs. Hunt & Co. to be accepted and four for the acceptance of the Tender of Messrs. Leslie & Co—

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	
Ditto, disallowed	2
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	5/6.
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).

Mr Patrick Leacy refused to Vote.

The Chairman declared the question lost and the Board ordered that the Clerk again advertise for Tenders for the Supply of Medicines and that they be considered by the Board on the 25th inst.

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

11 day of October 1873.

Signed,

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

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215 Wexford Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. Wm Webb for Medicines : Amount £31. 1. 4

215	Broadway	Dispensary	W. Webb	for Medicines £17. 4. 6
215	Bridgetown	Do	Do	Do 20. 13. 9
215	Bannow	Do.	Do	Do 14. 11. 2
215	Crossabeg	Do.	Do	Do. 4. 5. 4

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

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Order dated, *(state subject),*

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Read Letter from *dated*

stating that

Next meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday the 11th October 1873.

Thos. V. Boland

(Signed), [illegible]

Clerk of Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of October 1873.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	439	472										
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital	89	12										
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL,	802	484										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			6	16	103	185	33	36	47	23	32	481
Admitted during the week.			4	4	4	3	"	"	"	"	2	20
Born - - - - -			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
TOTAL,			10	20	110	188	33	36	47	23	34	501
Discharged during the week,			4	5	4	1	"	2	"	"	"	16
Died, - - - - -			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	5	4	2	"	2	"	"	"	17
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			6	15	106	186	33	34	47	25	34	484

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital. 101	In separate Wards.	
In Fever Hospital. 12	In Wards with other Inmates 114	
Total, 113	Total, 114	

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1872 ..... 423.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 187 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.	144	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 586

Cost, £30: 9: "

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 11th day of October 1873.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Thomas Walsh Esq. D. V. C.

Other Guardians:

John Walsh James M. Vicary.
John Maddock. Bartle. Furlong.
and Walter Harpur.

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. 4836 to No. 4945 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. 2347 to No. 2473 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, ... £ 352. 0. 2

Paid during the week, ... £ 403. 2. 10

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 1042. 1. 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:—

RATE RETURNS.

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 each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4196	19	6	307	"	"	3889	19	6
John Stafford.....	do.	1162	11	2	"	"	"	1162	11	2
James Murphy,.....	do.	1575	19	10	"	"	"	1575	19	10
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1445	12	1	56	14	4	1388	18	9
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1491	15	7	91	5	10	1400	9	9
TOTAL.....		9813	18	6	455	"	2	9358	5	4

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Wexford, - -	307	"	"	3789	19	6
	TOTAL, -	307	"	"	3789	19	6
JOHN STAFFORD.....	Ardcavan - -	"	"	"	429	8	9
	Ardcolm, - - -	"	"	"	143	16	10
	Artramont, - -	"	"	"	294	7	1
	Kilpatrick, - -	"	"	"	205	5	6
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	1062	18	2
JAMES MURPHY.....	Anghwilliam, - -	"	"	"	160	7	0
	Ballymitty, - -	"	"	"	127	2	5
	Carrig, - - -	"	"	"	133	18	11
	Forth, - - -	"	"	"	113	18	6
	Glynn, - - -	"	"	"	77	14	2
	Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	214	11	1
	Killurin, - - -	"	"	"	126	14	0
	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	"	57	12	1
	Taghman, - - -	"	"	"	446	5	9
	Whitechurch, - -	"	"	"	66	12	11
	TOTAL, -	"	"	"	1575	19	10
MARTIN CHAMBERS,	Drinagh, - - -	6	3	3	146	16	9
	Killinick, - - -	50	11	1	341	1	7
	Kilscoran, - - -	"	"	"	160	13	6
	Lady's Island, - -	"	"	"	173	18	1
	Mayglass, - - -	"	"	"	125	0	4
	Rosslare, - - -	"	"	"	126	9	0
	Rathaspeck, - - -	"	"	"	190	18	6
	St. Helen's, - - -	"	"	"	158	19	1
	Tacumshane, - - -	"	"	"	205	1	3
	TOTAL, -	56	14	4	1588	18	1
THOMAS SHARPE....	Bridgetown, - -	"	"	"	197	4	7
	Kilmore, - - -	21	10	6	324	9	1
	Kilcowan, - - -	"	"	"	115	13	0
	Newcastle, - - -	"	"	"	46	0	3
	Tomhaggard, - - -	"	"	"	115	5	8
	Bannow, - - -	69	15	9	287	6	1
	Duncormack, - - -	"	"	"	130	10	4
	Harristown, - - -	"	"	"	106	14	9
	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	77	6	0
	TOTAL, -	91	5	10	1400	9	9
	TOTAL.....	455	0	2	9358	5	4

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 several sums 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 £ 76 s. 14 d. 11

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	76.	14.	11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	77.	13.	4
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	77.	13.	4
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	3.	1	
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	4.	0	3/4
	5.	0	2/4

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:—

300	lbs of Meat	lbs of Ginger	2 lbs Snuff
12	Bags of Flour	1 lbs of Pepper	30 lbs Worsted
	Sacks of Wholemeal	3 Gallons of Whiskey	1 Large Coffin
1	Ton of Indian Meal	1 doz of Wine	
	Ton of Oatmeal	doz. of Porter	
	Potatoes	Eggs	
50	Gallons Buttermilk	lbs of Candles	
492	Gallons Newmilk	lbs of Malt	
1	cwt of Salt	lbs of Hops	
	lbs of Tea	cwt of Soda	
100	lbs of Sugar	lbs of Starch	
10	lbs of Lump Sugar		
	cwt of Rice		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 19th day of October 1873 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...			
In Kind, ...	33.	7.	6
Total	33.	7.	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
	No. I.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. II.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. III.				
	Total				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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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 Cheeks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. *~~Clothing~~ Account.*

	£	s.	d.
Registration			
Dr. M. J. Sheridan Regr. Fees	11	1	6

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

2. *~~Establishment~~ Account.*

	£	s.	d.
Clerks Petty Disbursements			
J. Prendergast Sundries	25	1	10

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.
Clerks Petty Disbursements			

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

4. *Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.*

	£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

I beg to request that a committee be appointed to examine articles of clothing named in condemned clothing book which I consider unfit for further use.

Ordered

That the following articles of clothing having been examined by Guardians appointed for the purpose are at their recommendation hereby condemned Viz 60 rugs. 160 Sheets. 42 Blankets 21 Waistcoats 69 Cotton Petticoats 123 Handkerchiefs 14 Window Blinds 105 Frocks 69 Linsey Petticoats 146 Shifts 143 Shirts 21 Bibs 124 aprons 10 Table Cloths 4 Rollers 6 Towels 79 Wrappers 18 Capes 18 Bonnets 144 pair Stockings 45 Ticks 23 Bolsters 12 Jackets 36 Vests 12 Trousers 13 Drawers 52 Capes and 200 pair Shoes.

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

— Local Government 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):—

159/M./73. Dated 4th October 1873.

Requesting Return of Current Rates

No. 25323/73. Dated 10th October 1873. Stating That on reviewing the course of past proceedings as recorded on the Guardians Minutes they must decline any expenditure beyond that originally proposed for the services of the Nuns as Nurses.

Ordered. That the Local Government Board be informed that it was on reviewing the circumstances under which the Nuns were appointed as Nurses in this Workhouse, that the Guardians were to some extent influenced in proposing that rations should be allowed to them. The appointment being new, the Guardians were unable to fix definitely the re-numeration which ought to be allowed, especially as it was first partially arranged that the Nuns were to be permitted to leave the Workhouse and join their community living adjacent to the Workhouse at their meals.

This arrangement was subsequently found to be objectionable and although the sum of 10/ each per week had been agreed upon at the time the Nuns were under the impression they could board in their convent, no alteration was made in their Salary although the Guardians were aware that that allowance would not do more than support them. The Guardians have had now experience of the efficient and careful discharge of their duties by the Nuns and of the economical supervision exercised by them whereby more will be saved by them annually than the proposed increase in their respective Salaries.

The Guardians feel it unjust towards the Nuns to pay them only what will merely support them whilst the wear and tear of their clothing in the discharge of their duties (and which clothing is of an expensive description) are considerable, and must be procured from the resources of the community to which they belong.

The Board of Guardians are not accustomed to ask the Local Government Board to Sanction any unreasonable proposition nor have they ever Shewn any disposition to impose unjust taxation on the ratepayers of the Union.

They feel that the allowance of Rations to the Nuns is only what they are entitled to and they again request the Sanction of the Local Government Board to the unanimous wish of 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	... ...
Ditto, disallowed	... ...
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	... ...
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).

Proposed by Mr. John Walsh and Seconded by Mr. John Maddock & passed That the Doctor be requested to report to the Board monthly the number of single women in this workhouse, the children of whom are over 10 months old as we consider giving infirm diet to this class of women a direct encouragement to perhaps a burden on the Ratepayers. and to encourage them to renewed immorality

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 18th day of October 1873.

Signed,

Clerk Board Union.

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Wexford Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. M. J. Sheridan *for* Vaccination Fees: *Amount* £ 3 . 6 . 0

Crossabeg Dispensary District Dr. J. Henderson 100 cases of Vacc.n 5 . 7 . 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.]

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Read Letter from *dated*

stating that

Copies of minutes of Proceedings of the Crossabeg Dispensary District Committee at their meeting held on the 8th October 1873.

Present

Messrs John Green J.P. John Delaney George Le Hunte J.P. R. H. Carty D. Redmond Nicholas Keating Revn H. G. Stokes and W. J. Toole.

A Letter was read from Doctor Prendergast. Medical officer of the District conveying his resignation and naming Dr. Hadden as his substitute in case of his being obliged to leave the District before the appointment of his successor.

The Committee unanimously expresses their regret at Dr. Prendergasts resignation, as the performance of his duties had been characterised by activity ability and kindness to the poor.

His resignation was accepted and Dr. Hadden was approved of as his substitute in case Doctor Prendergast is obliged to leave.

The Books were examined and found correct.

It was resolved that the appointment of a Medical Officer shall take place on the 29th October and that an advertisement be inserted in the local papers to that effect that part of the last advertisement be omitted which required the residence of the Medical Officer in the District Salary £80 per annum.

(Signed) W. J. Toole
V. Chairman

Geo. La. Hunte
Hon. Sect.

(Signed), _____

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Next meeting of the Board of Guardians
to be held on Saturday the 18th Instant

John Walsh. Presiding Chairman

James M. Deasy

Patrick Codd

WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of October 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	731	473
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital	81	15
Fever Sheds.		
TOTAL,	812	488

	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	6	15	106	186	33	34	37	23	34	184
Admitted during the week.	8	3	5	5	1	3	2	1	2	30
Born - - - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
TOTAL,	14	18	111	191	34	37	39	24	36	514
Discharged during the week,	2	5	3	1	1	3	3	2	2	24
Died, - - - - -	"	"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	2
Total Discharged and Dead,	4	5	3	2	2	3	3	2	2	26
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	10	13	108	189	32	34	36	22	34	488

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.	97	In separate Wards.	
In Fever Hospital.	15	In Wards with other Inmates	14
Total.	112	Total.	14

OBSERVATIONS.

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 18 420

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 18th day of October 1873 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	144	366				
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No. III.						
TOTAL,	260	576				

Comparative No. last year..... 586

Cost, £31:13:6

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PRESENT: In the Chair, John Walsh Esq. & Pierce Ryan Esq. V.C.

Other Guardians:

Patrick Codd Patrick Hayden John Maddock
James Hayes James M. Deasy Richd Codd
Patrick Murphy Edward Sinnott and
Bartholemew Furlong.

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. 4446 to No. 4665 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. 2347 to No. 2473, 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 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, ... £ 542 - 6 - 11

Paid during the week, ... £ 90 - 4 - 3

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ 594 - 19 - 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:—

RATE RETURNS.

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 each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4044	10	6	570	10	6	3474	9	5
John Stafford.....	do.	4096	19	4	743	6	9	999	11	7
James Murphy,.....	do.	1062	15	10	152	10	10	1575	19	10
Martin Chambers, ...	do.	1491	16	4	212	4	6	1433	7	11
Thomas Sharpe	do.	1453	15	11	91	5	10	1400	9	9
Total.....		£ 12146	17	7	£ 1769	17	1	£ 8923	18	5

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR, Folio in leger Folio in leger	Wexford, - -	205	10	-	3584	9	6
	Total, -	205	10	-	3584	9	6
JOHN STAFFORD..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcavan - -	25	8	1	394	-	8
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ardcolm, - - -	30	16	8	113	-	2
Folio in Leger Folio in Lege.	Artramont, - -	17	2	-	277	5	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilpatrick, - -	"	"	"	205	5	6
	Total, -	73	6	9	989	11	5
JAMES MURPHY..... Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Aughwilliam, - -	"	"	"	160	7	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Ballymitty, - -	"	"	"	124	2	5
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Carrig, - - -	"	"	"	133	18	11
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Forth, - - -	"	"	"	103	18	5
Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Glynn, - - -	"	"	"	77	17	2
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Harperstown, - -	"	"	"	214	11	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killurin, - - -	"	"	"	126	14	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilbride, - - -	"	"	"	58	12	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Taghmon, - - -	"	"	"	446	5	9
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Whitechurch, - -	"	"	"	66	12	11
	Total, -	"	"	"	1515	19	10
MARTIN CHAMBERS, Folio in leger Folio in Leger	Drinagh, - - -	"	"	"	146	16	9
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killinick, - - -	32	12	8	268	8	11
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Kilscoran, - -	28	14	6	131	19	"
Folio in leger folio in leger	Lady's Island, - -	16	10	5	157	7	8
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Mayglass, - -	20	13	5	104	6	11
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Rosslare, - - -	31	11	"	94	18	"
Folio in leger Folio in leger	Rathaspeck, - -	21	11	11	169	6	7
Folio in leger folio in leger	St. Helen's, - -	"	"	"	158	19	1
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Tacumshane, - -	3	16	3	241	5	"
	Total, -	155	10	2	201	5	-
THOMAS SHARPE.... Folio in leger Folio in leger	Bridgetown, - -	"	"	"	197	4	7
Folio in Leger Folio in leger	Kilmore, - - -	"	"	"	324	9	1
Folio in leger folio in leger	Kilcowan, - -	"	"	"	115	18	"
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Newcastle, - -	"	"	"	46	"	3
Folio in Leger olio in leger	Tomhaggard, - -	"	"	"	115	5	8
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Bannow, - - -	"	"	"	287	6	1
Folio in Leger folio in leger	Duncormack, - -	"	"	"	130	10	4
Folio in Leger folio in Leger	Harristown, - -	"	"	"	106	14	9
Folio in Leger Folio in Leger	Killag, - - -	"	"	"	47	6	"
	Total, -	-	-	-	1400	9	9
	TOTAL.....	434	6	11	£ 923	18	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 £ 70 s. 9d. 9

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	70	9	9
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	78	5	6
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	78	5	6
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		3	1
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		4	1½
		4	11¾

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:—

307	lbs of Meat	lbs of Ginger	1 Box. Lamp Lights
12	Bags of Flour	1 lbs of Pepper	1 Gallon Lamp oil
	Sacks of Wholemeal	2 Gallons quarts of Whiskey	2 lbs Snuff
	Ton of Indian Meal	2 doz of Wine	2 Stone Sweed Meal
1	Ton of Oatmeal	doz. of Porter	1 Gross Spoons
	Potatoes	40 doz Eggs	2 Doz. Pieces Tape
50	Gallons Buttermilk	lbs of Candles	1 Large Coffin
492	Gallons Newmilk	lbs of Malt	
1	cwt of Salt	lbs of Hops	
1	chest lbs of Tea	cwt of Soda	
140	lbs of Sugar	lbs of Starch	
10	lbs of Lump Sugar	2 Bottles Gin	
	cwt of Rice	1 lb Blue	

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	33	12	6
In Kind, ...			
Total	33	12	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
	No. I.	P. Keating	40		
Folio in Leger ..	No. II.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. III.	J. Whitty	20		
	Total				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correc 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. Ryan Shoes	3	7	6

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.
Registration			
A. Furlong Fees	3	14	6
Registration			

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.
Clerks Petty Disbursements			
T. Prendergast Sundries	8	14	5
Clerks Petty Disbursements			

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

4. *Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.*

	£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account with the several sums as above.

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

Went through the house this day and found the Schools &c. in fair condition. The Hospital was particularly clean

October 18th 1873.

(Signed) John Walsh.

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

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

Local Government 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. 167 m. 73. Dated 15th October 1873.

Requesting to be informed of the number of Persons who were admitted in to the Workhouse during the year ended 29th September last. V. V.

No. 166 m. 73 Dated 15th October 1872.

Requesting to be furnished with a Return of the number of Cases Vaccinated in the Workhouse during the year ended 29th September last.

No 168 m. 73. Dated 14th October 1873.

Subject "Grant for Medical & Educational purpo"

Proposed by Mr. Patrick Lodd & Seconded by Mr. John Walsh. and passed nem con.

That the Same amount viz £20, as was last year, allowed to the clerk, for the performance of his duties under the Parliamentary Voters act. be allowed to him for discharging the duties under Said act during the present year. and that the Local Government Board be requested to Sanction the payment.

Proposed by Mr. John Walsh and Seconded by Mr. Patrick Lodd and passed.

That the Chairman Sign the Requisition of the part of this Board. Conveying a meeting in October of Delegates in Dublin. to Consider the best means to be adopted for having a Parliament in Dublin to manage local affairs connected with Ireland. ——

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	20
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	5 4 6
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 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:)

Broadway

Dispensary District.

Account of Mrs. m. a. Walker *for* Salary : *Amount £* 3-6-8

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

[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.]

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the 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 25th October 1873.

(Signed),

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of October 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	731	479	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				
Additional Workhouse,	81	17										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL,	812	496										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			10	13	108	189	32	34	46	22	34	488
Admitted during the week.			5	4	8	2	~	~	1		1	21
Born - - - -			~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~
TOTAL,			15	17	116	191	32	34	47	22	35	509
Discharged during the week,			5	1	4	1	~	~	1	~	1	13
Died, - - - - -												
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	1	4	1	~	~	~	~	1	13
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			10	16	112	190	32	34	46	22	34	496

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS.
Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital. }	In separate Wards. }	
In Fever Hospital. }	In Wards with other Inmates }	
Total,	Total,	

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 18 441

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 187 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	144	366				
No. II.	116	210				
No. III.						
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year..... 605

Cost, £30 : 13 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 25th day of October 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians: Thomas Walsh Esq D.V.C. in the Chair
James M. Vicary James Sinnott Robt Lambert
John Sinnott John Maddock Gregory Rossiter
John Roche Richard Codd John Nolan
Patrick Murphy James Murphy Jas. Breen
Peter Ryan V.C. Richd Murphy and
Edward Sinnott

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. 4166 to No. 4295 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. 2347 to No. 2473 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 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, ... £

Paid during the week, ... £ 200. 13. 4

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 199. 6. 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman. 520. 12. 0

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:—

RATE RETURNS.

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.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of each Week.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.....	Sept. 14, 1872.	4446	19	6	623 10 .	3473 9 6
JOHN STAFFORD.....	do.	1062	5	2	168 19 2	893 19 .
JAMES MURPHY,.....	do.	1575	19	10	215 19 10	1359 19 10
MARTIN CHAMBERS, ...	do.	1645	12	5½	212 4 6	1433 17 11
THOMAS SHARPE	do.	1491	15	4	291 19 2	1199 16 2
TOTAL.....		9938	18	3	1296 12 2	8576 12 8

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Folio in leger — Folio in leger — Wexford,	111	.	.	3473	9	6
	TOTAL,	111	.	.	3473	9	6
JOHN STAFFORD.....	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Ardcavan	-	-	2	594	6	8
	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Ardcolm,	11	11	-	113	.	2
	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Artramont,	42	4	.	235	1	1
	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Kilpatrick,	53	8	5	151	17	1
	TOTAL,	95	12	5	893	19	.
JAMES MURPHY.....	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Aughwilliam,				160	7	.
	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Ballynaitty,	-	-	2	127	2	5
	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Carrig,	-	-	-	133	18	11
	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Forth,	-	-	-	105	18	6
	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Glynn,	-	-	-	77	17	2
	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Harperstown,	-	-	-	274	11	1
	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Killurin,	-	-	-	126	14	.
	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Kilbride,	-	-	-	58	12	1
	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Taghmon,	-	-	-	446	5	9
	Folio in Leger — folio in leger — Whitechurch,	-	-	-	66	12	11
	TOTAL,	-	-	-	1575	19	10
MARTIN CHAMBERS,	Folio in leger — Folio in Leger — Drinagh,	-	-	-	146	16	9
	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Killinick,	-	-	-	268	8	11
	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Kilscoran,	-	-	-	131	19	.
	Folio in leger — folio in leger — Lady's Island,	-	-	-	157	7	8
	Folio in Leger — Folio in leger — Mayglass,	-	-	-	104	6	11
	Folio in Leger — folio in leger — Rosslare,	-	-	-	94	18	.
	Folio in leger — Folio in leger — Rathaspeck,	-	-	-	169	6	7
	Folio in leger — folio in leger — St. Helen's,	-	-	-	158	19	1
	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Tacumshane,	-	-	-	261	5	.
	TOTAL,	-	-	-	1433	7	11
THOMAS SHARPE....	Folio in leger — Folio in leger — Bridgetown,	3	10	5	193	14	2
	Folio in Leger — Folio in leger — Kilmore,	84	13	10	239	15	3
	Folio in leger — folio in leger — Kilcowan,	-	-	-	115	13	.
	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Newcastle,	-	-	-	46	.	3
	Folio in Leger — also in leger — Tomhaggard,	16	9	2	28	16	6
	Folio in Leger — folio in Leger — Bannow,	89	2	.	198	4	1
	Folio in Leger — folio in leger — Duncormack,	-	-	-	130	10	4
	Folio in Leger — folio in Leger — Harristown,	-	-	-	106	14	4
	Folio in Leger — Folio in Leger — Killag,	6	14	11	40	8	1
	TOTAL,	200	13	4	1199	16	8
	TOTAL.....	407	5	9	8576	12	8

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the Rates collected and 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 £ 64 s. d. 3

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 640. 3. 0

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account. 99. 5. 3

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 5 79. 5. 3

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 5. 5. 2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 4. 3. 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:—

300	lbs of Meat	lbs of Ginger	200 Yds Boiled Calico
12	Bags of Flour	1 lbs of Pepper	100 Yards Frieze
	Sacks of Wholemeal	12 quarts of Whiskey	546 Yards Wincey
	Ton of Indian Meal	2 doz of Wine	400 Yards Blue Calico
	Ton of Oatmeal	doz. of Porter	40 Rugs
	Potatoes	480 Eggs	
50	Gallons Buttermilk	lbs of Candles	
492	Gallons Newmilk	lbs of Malt	
1	cwt of Salt	lbs of Hops	
	lbs of Tea	cwt of Soda	
100	lbs of Sugar	lbs of Starch	
10	lbs of Lump Sugar	8 lbs Arrowroot	
	cwt of Peice	8 Bottles Gin	

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	33.	15.	0
In Kind, ...			
Total	33.	15.	0

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
	No. I.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. II.				
Folio in Leger ..	No. III.				
	Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks: Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correc 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. Connick & Calico	50	5	-
J. Ryan Frieze	45	18	6
J. Ryan Shoes	3	4	6

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s	d.
J. W. Walsh Timber	39	17	2
Jno. Kinsella in a/c. of Contract	50	"	"
A. Mc. Partland Rent of Hospl.	3	13	6

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

3. ~~Workhouse~~ Burial Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
M. Neill Coffins	8	18	"

Debit Bulding a/c. & Credit Treasurer with above sum

Clerks Petty Disbursements

J. Prendergast Sundries	8	5	11

Clerks Petty Disbursements

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

4. *Funerals, Election, Law, &c., Account.*

	£	s.	d.
J. Prendergast Remuneration under Franchise act —	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer and Debit Funerals, Election, Law, &c., 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 this day and found it in good order

22nd October 1873.

Signed John Walsh

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

I beg to request that a committe may be appointed to take Stock of clothing and Clothing materials

Ordered That Messrs. Vicary Walsh and Maddock are hereby appointed to take Stock on Thursday next.

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

Local Government 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 173-m-73. Dated 21st October 1873 Subject "Cholera"

No 25913-73. Dated 23rd October 1873 Stating that they Cannott give their Sanction to the proposal to add Still further to the Cost of Nurses by raising the emoluments of the Infirmary Nurses

Ordered That the Board of Guardians observe with much regret the opposition given by the Local Government Board to the Proposition of this Board to allow Rations to the nurses of this Workhouse a proposal founded on Justice and unanimously adopted by this Board after careful and

and

and mature consideration This Board are quite aware of the fact that the late Nurse of the House Cost only £36 per Year. that they also know that instead of any increase being made to the Rates by the recent appointment of two Nurses and the emoluments proposed to be given them a Considerable Saving will be affected by the Supervision of the Nurses who will see that neither food nor Stimulants will be wasted nor that any improper wear and tear shall take place in the clothing in use in the Hospital this is a consideration with this Board who feel Satisfied that altho' there appears ostensably an increase in the expenditure for nursing - the contrary will really be the fact. This Board desire further to remark that the Sick in the Hospital heretofore could not possibly have received the attention which is paid to them now and that there is no Justice in the comparison instituted by the Local Government Board in the expenses now and what they were when the patients were not so well cared for as at present. The Board have also been informed that the Nurse at Kilmacthomas Union receives a Salary of £45 per Year with Rations & apartments So that the Sum proposed to be allowed here is not unprecedented in amount. However this Board do not know nor do they care to know the circumstances under which they have appointed and fixed the emoluments of their own Nurses and that they again request the Local Government Board to give their Sanction Same

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		14
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	
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	576
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).

W. 26472-73. Dated 24th October 1873.
Addressed to the Presiding Chairman expressing their appointment of the payment of £20 being made to the clerk for his services under the "Parliamentary Voters Act"

H Letter Dated 20 October 1873
From The Commissioners of Valuation referring to the Annual revision of the Valuation of the Union

Resolved that the Tender of Messrs Hunt & Co to supply the Union with medecines & medical appliances for 12 months be accepted

Ordered that the Clerk advertise for Flour Wholemeal Oatmeal & Indian Meal & Meat Tenders to be considered on the 8th Proximo

Ordered that

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

31st day of October 1873.

Signed,

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

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

Found the Department of the House to day in a Very Satisfactory State

31st October 1873
Signed John Walsh

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

A Supply of 300 Yards Ticken is required

Ordered That the Clerk advertise for 300 Yards of Ticken Tenders to be considered on the 18th Inst

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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. 174. m. 73. Dated 27th October 1873.

Reffering to the circular from the Home Rule Associations,

Moved by Mr. John Walsh & seconded by Mr. B. Fu[illegible]

That, Reffering to the letter of the Local Government Board of the 27th Octber, the Board of Guardians desire to state, they being an elective & representative Body, consider they have a perfect right, when the business of the Board is over, to introduce any political matter, that concerns the public interest and we wish to inform Your Board, that, our clerk was in no way concerned, in placing the resolution on the minutes only by our order.

Alderman Veary protested, against the passing of this Motion, _____

No. 170. m. 73. Dated 29th October 1873. Subject "Cholera"

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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 18 ,—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

The following 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 Friday the 31st October 1873.

John Walsh Presiding Chairman.

James M. Deane

Barthd. Tuohy

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

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