

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 £ 10 s. 14 d. 8 $\frac{1}{4}$.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 10 : 9 : 3 $\frac{1}{2}$

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 1 : 8 $\frac{1}{4}$

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2 : 2 $\frac{1}{2}$

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:

240 lb. Bread
50 lb. Meat
390 Quarts Milk
24 Canses Tea
10 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. Sugar
10 Glasser Wine
3 lb. Light Candles
1 cut soap
1 lb. Mould 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 day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ s. d.
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.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					By forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. fwd.					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 correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

The sum to pay for school requisites

1 4 0

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

[illegible]

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

[illegible]

Credit Treasurer and Debit Cut-also Relief Insurance Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

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: (as Orders made on them respectively as follows.)

22,649, 1857
10th Sept 57

Letter from the Poor Law Comm^r forwarding to be laid before the Board a copy of a communication which had been received from Mr Joseph Kelly relating to the chargeability of two paupers named Mary Clark and her illegitimate child William Kelly, and the Commissioners request that the Board of Guardians will be so good as to furnish them with their observations as to the grounds upon which they decided as stated on registering the parties in question as chargeable to the Electoral Division of Mount Pelham.

The Board doine to state that it appeared the poor Woman referred to, Mary Cooke, had come to reside in the Mount Pelham Electoral Division in the Month of September 1856 and remained till November 1856, when having become pregnant, she went to Galway and remained there

there up to March 1856, at which period she returned to Mount Pelham, and having become destitute, was admitted with her child to the Work House of this Union on the 7th March 1856, where she remained until the 29th of the same month & year, chargeable to Mount Pelham Electoral Division. Since then up to her admission on 27th May last she was a starving beggar. Her chargeability was again fixed on Mount Pelham Electoral Division at a full Board at which none of the Guardians now in attendance were present, but this Board concurred in the decision of fixing the chargeability upon Mount Pelham Electoral Division, where the Woman resided for about 18 months of the last three years, and where, besides, she was ruined and incapacitated from supporting herself; and they trust the Commissioners hear of the above with view to the decision of the Board of Guardians in this case.

Notice of Motion

Take notice that on this day fortnight I will move the Board to reduce the salaries of the two Relieving Officers (Messrs John Carr and Andrew Garaghty) from £25 to £20 a year.

(Signed)

Charles Fitzgerald

11th September 1857

The Clerk submitted Abstracts of Accounts for the half year ended 25th March last, audited on the 9th instant, which were adopted and signed by the Board.

The Contract for Bread expiring on the 29th inst,

Ordered that advertisements by handbills be issued for Bread for six months - Contract to be declared on the 25th instant.

Ordered that a pauper girl, named Mary Connolly be hired to carry Gaveln of chertling at the rate of 5/- a quarter, and that the clothes procured for Julia Greaghty who was born on the 28th 11th but not taken out, be given her.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - - 4

Delts disallowed - - - - - 2

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 1

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - 2

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - 2

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers Books refused by order of the Guardians was - - - 2

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.)

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the

UNION, on Fri day, the 11th day of September 1857.

—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:

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the
18 day of September 1857.

(Signed)

B. Kelly
Clerk of the Union.

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

Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[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 1855, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 1855.

District, £

District, £

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

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to give 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,)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the 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

Unwork, Chairman

Charles Dilgate
Joseph Kelly } Guardians

Population in 1851, 22,790

Mount Bellaw UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £40,402

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

15th day of September 1857.

RETURN OF THE WORKHOUSE FOR THE WEEK ENDING													RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in the building.	Total No. in the building.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adults 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.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.							
Workhouse,	700	101													
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Remount Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,	700	101													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			83	1	5	7	17	13	9	9	9	In Workhouse Hospital, in Fever Hospital	26	In separate Wards, in Hospital with other inmates,	1
Admitted during the Week,			1	1					1			2			
TOTAL,			932	1	5	7	17	14	9	9	10	Total,	26	Total,	1
Discharged during the Week,															
Died,									1			1			
Total Discharged and Dead,									1			1			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			932	1	5	7	17	13	9	9	10				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		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.							By forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 18th day of September 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Charles Dilgate
and
Joseph Kelly Esqrs.

B. Kelly
Clerk of the Union.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2297 to No. 2299, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week,

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 870:1

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.

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ — — — 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 £ 17 : 10 s. 5 1/4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 10 : 17 : 4 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 1 : 9

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2 : 10 1/2

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:

240 lbs Bread
28 lbs Meat
400 Quarts Milk
24 Amices Tea
10 1/2 lbs Sugar
10 Glasses Wine
2 Pints Oil
3 lbs Light Candles
1 lb Mince etc

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

In money, - - - - - £ s. d.
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.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					De. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forward.					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 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.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Warehouse Invoice Account.

Thomas Blackhall, Meats

£	s.	d.
16	10	

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

The 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:

Visited the house — Milk, meal & Potatoes all good.

(Signed)

Charles Filgate

18th Sep. 1857

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

On the requisition of the Master, the following were ordered,

60 yards Shroudling
3 Large Coffins
3 Small do

The Master submitted a list of old clothing which he prayed to have viewed and condemned.
Referred to a Committee of the Board.

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:—

22,887/1857
12th Sept 57 Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Michael Kilgannon to the Office of Poor Rate Collector in the Union, on the terms proposed.

22,949/1857
14th Sept 1857 Letter sanctioning the appointment of Mr. John Johnston to the Office of Poor Rate Collector in the Union, on the terms proposed. The Commissioners presume that neither of the parties named by Mr. Johnston, or his Successor, is a Member of the Board, though it is not so stated in reply to Query 13.

The Board desire to state that neither of Mr. Johnston's Successors is a Member of the Board of Guardians.

22,948/57
17th Sept 57 Letter sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Michael Keane to the Office of Poor Rate Collector in the Union.

22,782-57
17 Sept 57

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9 Letter acknowledging the receipt of the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians on the 14th instant, containing a Resolution that Mr. Michael Keane be appointed to the Office of Relieving Officer for Number one District, comprising the Electoral Divisions of Oborahen, Callinacill, Killyoran, Killybeg, and Taghboy, in room of Mr. Hogan deceased; and in reference thereto, the Commissioners request that they may be informed of Mr. Keane's place of residence, and whether he will reside permanently within the District for which he is appointed, and also whether such residence is central and unconnected with any Inn or retail Shop.

The Board desire to state that Mr. Keane's permanent residence is in Corrahoolia within the Electoral Division of Taghboy, and that it is unconnected with any Inn or retail Shop, but as the Guardians now present do not deem the residence sufficiently central, they have deferred the consideration of the Commissioners' letter until next Meeting when a full Board is expected.

22,786/57
17 Sept 57

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners acknowledging the receipt of the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians on the 11th instant, containing a statement of the circumstances under which the Board of Guardians recently decided that the cost of the relief afforded in the case of a female named Mary Cooke, and her illegitimate child William Tully should be charged to the Electoral Division of Mount Kellow, and in reference thereto the Commissioners state that in order to bring a person relieved within the provisions of the 1st Section of the Act 12 & 13 Vic, Cap 104, such person should have been resident in the Union

for a period of three years immediately before making application for relief. If the Applicant have not resided in the Union for that period of time, the cost of the relief afforded would be chargeable (see the last proviso of the Section above added to) according to the law as it existed before the passing of that Act, that is, in accordance with the 12 Section of the Act 10 Vic, Cap 31, which provides that for the purpose of charging the expense of relief to an Electoral Division, no person shall be deemed to have been resident in such Electoral Division unless during the three years before his application for relief he had occupied some tenement within such Electoral Division for thirty Calendar Months or had usually slept within such Division for a period of thirty Calendar Months.

In the case at present under the Guardians consideration it appears that during the three years next before his application for relief the person in question was not merely casually absent from the

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 2

Ditto disallowed - - - - - 1

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - - 1

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - - 1

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - - 1

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - 1

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered No appl^{ce} 3

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

the Mount Pellos Union, but took up her residence elsewhere for a considerable portion of that time, and that she has not been resident whilst in the Mount Pellos Union in any Electoral Division for a period of thirty months of the last three years. Under these circumstances the cost of the relief afforded in her case would be properly chargeable to the Union at large.

Registers produced and chargeability of the parties referred to altered in accordance with Commissioners' letter.

The Clerk reported having published on the 15th instant, the usual notice that the Rate Books are open for the inspection of Rate Payers.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68;
[No. 27.]

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE

UNION, ON 18th day, the 18th day of September 1857.

—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:*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the
25th day of September 1857.

(Signed)

B. Williams
Clerk of the Union.

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

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

[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 1855, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 1855.

District, £
District, £

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

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to give 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,)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Diseases 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 _____

Conbrook Chairman
James Blake
Charles Fildgate } Guardians

Population in 1851, 22,790

Mount Bellaw UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £44,442

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of September 1857.

STATEMENT OF THE WORKING-CLASS FOR THE WEEK ENDING												RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in the building.	Total No. in each building at the date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 5 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.							
Workhouse,	200	98													
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,	200	98													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			9	52	5	7	17	16	9	9	10	25	2	1	
Admitted during the Week,			1				1					2			
TOTAL,			9	53	5	8	17	16	9	9	10	27	2	1	
Discharged during the Week,			2				1					3			
Died,			1						1			2			
Total Discharged and Dead,			3				1		1			5			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			9	50	5	8	16	15	8	9	9	22	2	1	
Fever Accommodation 16															
Fever Patients 0															
Corresponding week last year 1880															
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RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19th day of Sept. authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
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No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 25th day of September 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Charles Fildgate
James Blake
William Linnice
Joseph Kelly, and
John C. Evans Esq.

Clerk of the Union.

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 7 & 8 Vic., c. 61.

The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2300 to No. 2301, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 85

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 Peates collected in the severall Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 £10. 2 s. 11 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 10 : 11 : 8 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1 : 9

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2 : 9

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:

240 lb Bread
24 lb Meat
360 Quarts Milk
1 Cwt Salt
20 Cans Tea
10 lb Sugar
4 lb Pepper
3 lb Light Candles
1 lb Should 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 day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - £ s. d.
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.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forward.					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 correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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

4. Out-door Peetley Invoice Account.

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Credit Treasurer and Debit Cut-down Posting Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

visited the house - the painting is finished and well done.

(Signed) Charles Filgate
Joseph Kelly

25th Sept. 1857

Ordered that the Altar be painted by Mr.
Dillon - cost £3:10/-

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

The Master reported having brought two Pigs at a cost of £7:1:0 for which he submitted Receipts -
Sanctioned -

Ordered, that a cheque be now issued to the
Master for the amount.

It appearing that there is sufficient feed
for the feeding of two, ^{more} pigs,
I ordered that the Master make a further
purchase of some.

2 lbs. Hat thread
12¹/₂ lbs. Window Cord, and
3 dozen Racks + Combs

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, as Orders made on them respectively as follows:—

23, 539/1857
23rd Sept 1857 Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners
sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Anthony
O'helly to the Office of Poor Rate Collector.

The Board having taken the Commissioners' letter of the 17th instand, 1857, 782/57, into consideration, are of opinion that the position of Kean's residence is not such as to enable him to discharge efficiently the duties of Relieving Officer of 1st District.

The Board considering the great reduction in numbers of those seeking relief are inclined to the opinion that the business of the Union might be carried on by the two present Relieving Officers, but a former Board having decided on retaining the original number of three, they are not prepared to rescind that Resolution without due notice. They, however, throw out the suggestion for the Commissioners' consideration and opinion, and in illustration of their views on the subject, the Board have directed the Clerk to forward to the Commissioners a tracing of the Map of the Union, showing the Relieving Officers' Districts as at present, the division of the Union into two Districts as now proposed, and the Relieving Officers' residences.

The consideration of Mr. Filgate's motion of the 11th instand was postponed for a week.

The Board had before them Tenders for the supply of Bread to the Work House for six months which being considered high were rejected - Clerk to advertise again for the supply of that article for one, two, three or six months, tenders to be considered on Friday 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 - 2

Ditto disallowed - - - - - u

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered *hw-app^{co} 1*

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.)

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE

UNION, on *Fri* day, the *25th* day of *September* 185*7*.

—continued.

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the *Mount Pellet* 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 Resolutions were given thereon as follows:

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

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

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

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

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

District, £
District, £

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

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk, to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to give 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)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Poor Law 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
stating that

dated

Ambridge, Chairman

Mr Hamilton & Guardians
Edw. G. Evans

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Mount Bellag UNION.

Population in 1851, 22,790

Present Net Annual Value, £40,407.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of September 1857.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.						Boys and Girls above 5 and under 15 years of age.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	700	96													
Temporary Buildings.															
Additional Workhouse.															
Permanent Fever Hospital.															
Fever Sheds.															
Total.	700	96													
Remaining on previous Saturday, or per last Return.			9	30			5	8	10	13	8	9	96		
Admitted during the Week.															
TOTAL.															
Discharged during the Week.															
Died.															
Total Discharged and Dead.															
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			9	30			5	8	10	13	8	9	96		

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

RELIEF DISCHARGE.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 21, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISCHARGE.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 21, 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.		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.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 2nd day of October 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Lord Clonbrock

Other Guardians:

Charles Filgate
John P. Brown
John D. Evans
Michael Carr
Joseph Kelly
Thomas H. Mahon, and
James B. Concanon Esq. res.

(Signed)

B. Keilly

Clerk of the Union.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 4 : 11 : 1 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 £ 7 : 15 s. 9 d. 25th Spt
14 : 3 : 9 29th do

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 28th Spt 10 : 12 : 5 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1 : 8 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2 : 9

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:

258 lbs Bread
44 lb Meat
380 Quarts Milk
20 Canees Tea
10 lb Sugar
8 Glasses Whiskey
3 lb Dist Candles
1 lb Must 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 day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
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.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Do. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forward.					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 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.

Hugh Mullarkey, Clothes for Paupers leaving
The W. House, 8 60 yds Shredding Calico

£	s.	d.
1	7	

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

2. Establishment Account.

Rev. John Burke, R.C.C. salary to 29 th Spt	12	10	
B. Rielly, Clerk	22	10	
Thomas Larkin, Master	10		
Maria Larkin, Matron	5		
Patrick Mitchell, Shopmaster	5	10	
Honora Gilmore, Schoolmistress	4	10	
Thomas M'Donoghue, Porter	3	16	
Ellen Dwyer, Nurse	3		
Andrew Garaghty, A. Officer	6	5	
John Carr, do	6	5	

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Richard Bowman, Milk to 29 th Sep	13	8	11
Thomas Blackall, Soap &c. &c., do	6	4	1
William Kaur, Meat, do	3	8	1
Martin Gilmore, Bread, Candles, do	7	18	8
Michael Barrett, Sugar, Pepper &c.	1	11	10

Establishment acct. con.			
Thomas Dillon, painting per Contract	114	1	1
Laurence Baker, repairs of Roof per do	5	1	1
at Thom Hens Minute books	1	19	6
Robert A Smythe, Advertising in the Star	1	4	1
Thos Blackall, sweeping brushes, Coffins &c.	1	11	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Rep ^s Doctor J. J. Butler, Salary	15	1	1
Rep ^s Martin Logham, do	4	3	11
Clerk of Union, Petty Cash	14	1	1

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read - "this on the first meeting in every month!" - Number of successful cases.

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

Visited the house and found it in good order.

(Signed)

John F. Browne

2nd October 1857

Medical Officer's Report

It is my melancholy duty to have to report the death of Doctor Butler, which took place on last Saturday night, and I have continued to perform the duty as I have done for the three months previous.

(Signed) Christopher J. Yorke

L.R.C.S.I. &c

2nd October 1857.

Resolved that the Clerk advertise in the "Irish Herald," "Western Star," and General advertiser for a Medical Officer of the Workhouse at a salary of £60. per Annum - appointment to be made on the 30th instant. In the mean time that Doctor Yorke be appointed Medical Officer pro tem.

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

The Master reported having bought 100th bread at 2/5 a stone. Sanctioned.

On the requisition of the Master, the following were ordered,

1th lump sugar for Infirmary
2th French Barley
1th Wax Candles
1 Bottle Wine
100 ¹²^d Nails
100 ⁸^d do

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

26th Sept 1857

Circular from the Poor Law Commissioners requesting to be furnished with the Annual Return of Union Officers.

23.537/1857

26th Sept '57

Letter stating that having had before them the Abstracts of the Union for half year ended 25th March last, the Commissioners observe that Establishment Account is credited with a sum of £55.3.2 for Farm produce and Interest allowed by Treasurer, and they request those items to be stated separately.

Farm produce £ 26.19.1

Interest 8.4.1

£ 35.3.2

202 8/57
1st Oct 57

Circular requesting to be furnished a return respecting the Rates made and new Rates agreed upon in the Union, the end of September, 1857.

24.261/57

1st Oct 57

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners acknowledging receipt of Minutes of the 25th ulto containing a resolution in which the Board state that they are of opinion that the number of Relieving Officers may be reduced to two.

The Commissioners have also received the Clerk's letter of the 26th transmitting a tracing setting forth the proposed re-arrangement of the Relief Districts & the residences of the Relieving Officers, and the Commissioners desire to state that the question of retaining the services of but two Relieving Officers, the division of the Union into two Relief Districts, and the position of the Relieving Officers residences, as suggested at the Guardians' Meeting on the above date, appear to the Commissioners to be worthy of the favorable consideration of the Board of Guardians.

Referring to the foregoing communication, Resolved Unanimously that the Union be now divided into two Relief Districts as under, and that the present Relieving Officers, Mess^{rs} Andrew Geraghty & John Carr, be appointed thereto at their present salaries of £25 per annum each - namely,
No. 1 District - Mr. Geraghty, R. Officer.

Clonkeen
Ballinakill
Cooloo
Derryglassam
Mount Hollow, and
Mount Hayd

No. 2 District - Mr. Carr, R. Officer.

Annagh
Baltra
Castleblakney
Castlejennet
Clonbrock
Killeroran
Killean, and
Taughboy.

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Mr. Filgate withdrew his motion of the 11th ult.
for the reduction of the Relieving Officers salaries.

The Board had before them Tenders for the
supply of Bread,

Resolved that Mr. Thomas Smyth of Moylough
be declared Contractor for the supply of White Bread
for the ensuing six months at the rate of 7^d per 14^{lb}
loaf - sureties John O'Loughlin and Patrick Kennedy
of Moylough - approved.

The Clerk submitted the new Rate Books
for signature which were accordingly signed - Clerk
to issue the usual notice that the Rates have been
made.

On the application of the schoolmistress, the
Board allowed her to absent herself for one day.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers Books relieved by order of the
Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE

UNION, on Fri day, the 2nd day of October 1857.
—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:

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Fri day of October 1857.

(Signed) 10

Clerk of the Board

The following Accounts of Expenses, for 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):—

Hillieroran Dispensary District

Account of *Isabella French* for salary to 29th Dec. Amount £ 20.

A. Cunningham, Porter, 1.

Mrs. E. D. Kelly, Rent, 1. 5.

Clonbrock Dist. *Isabella French*, salary, 20.

Mugh Ward, Porter, 15.

Pat Ward, Rent & Fuel, 1. 12. 0.

Mount Pellet Dist. *Rep. D. Butler*, Salary, 20.

Do, Rent, 1. 5.

John Curney, Porter & Fuel, 1. 0.

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 185 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 185 .

District £

District £

EDS 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 the Dispensary Committee.

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

Dispensary District, No. of

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)

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 _____
stating that

dated _____

Unbrock, Chairman

Charles Fitzgibbon } *Guardians*

James Sheringale

(Signed)

B. Keel

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