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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
57.	Patrick Murphy. Meat.	71	14	3

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

58.	Samuel Lyell. ~~Doctors~~ School fees	2	3	7

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every Month)—Number of successful cases:—

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

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

The Master reported that he placed the Lunatic, Mary Doyle, in the Richmond Asylum on Saturday last

That he will want about a ton of Coal when the new Contract is taken.

The Master was desired to purchase from the Coal Store at Shillelagh the Coal which he may require to supply the Workhouse, until the new Contract be taken.

He also was desired to have a new hearthstone put in the boys' school room.

The Schoolmaster applied for & was granted leave of absence for two days ~~[illegible]~~.

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):

No. 13430 24th June 1878

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland, relative to the notice given in the case of the proposed superannuation of the late Fever Hospital Nurse of the Workhouse; and in which minute the Local Government Board desire to draw the Guardians' attention to Paragraph 2 of the Poor Law Commissioners' Circular Letter of the 31st October 1865 page 32 of the Annual Report of 1866, explaining for the Guidance of Boards of Guardians the meaning of the word "permit" occurring in the 4th Section of the Act 13 Vic, Cap. 21,

No. 13892 27th June 1878

From same to observe that the Guardians postponed the Consideration of the question of painting the Workhouse; and the Board desire to point out that the present season should not be allowed to pass without the execution of the necessary work

A Board being specially summoned for this day, when the Guardians postponed Consideration of the above subject until that day;

No. 13892 27th June 1878

From same acquainting & to be furnished with a Copy of the Estimate of Rate required to meet the expenditure of the Union for the ensuing year which they shall have been agreed to by the Guardians

No. 13, 892 27th June 1878

From same & acknowledge receipt of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of Skibbereen Union of the 24th instant Containing an entry of an application from the late Fever Hospital Nurse of the Work House & resolved & permitted & remain as a paying patient in the Fever Hospital; and with reference to the Minute thereon the Board desire to state that their Consent is not necessary to this arrangement with which the Guardians can deal as they think fit

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Thos. Carton gave notice that on this day fortnight he will move that superannuation be allowed Mary Chambers, late Fever Hospital Nurse.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - - 13
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - - 0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - 0

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

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

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

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

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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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 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1858.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 187 .

_____ *District,* - - - - £

_____ *District,* - - - - £

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Order dated _____ _____ *(state subject.)*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or *Orders were made on them respectively, as follows*):—

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Tinahely	R. Farley	Houses filthy	Yards kept in disorder
Same	Same	Same	Filthy Kept
Same	Same	Sewage	Filthy

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

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

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James Moore
Chairman
J W Braddell
Thomas M Barker

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 5th day of July 187 8

Signed, Barry D Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh **UNION.**

Population in 1871

Present Net Annual Value, £ _____

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of June 187 8.

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	181	181										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	15										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	231	~~250~~ 196										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			~~21~~ 24	~~36~~ 50	~~24~~ 13	~~17~~ 13	10	~~8~~ 10	~~23~~ 25	~~17~~ 17	~~27~~ 28	~~209~~ 204
Admitted during the Week,			6	5	3		2	2	2	4	2	26
TOTAL			27	61	27	14	12	10	25	21	30	227
Discharged during the Week,			3	11	3			2	3	6	1	29
Died,			1			1						2
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	11	3	1		2	3	6	1	31
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			23	50	24	13	12	8	22	15	29	196

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	61	In separate Wards,	12
In Fever Hospital	14	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,	78	TOTAL,	12

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	5	0	0	5
No. in Workhouse at date	2	0	0	2

No. at corresponding period last year 200

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 Districts	Destitute Persons relieved Out of the Workhouse, (under 15 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.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 15 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.
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 5th day of July 187 8.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— James Moore Esq. D. V. L.
Other Guardians— Messrs Ormsby L. Delamy
J W R Braddell, William Blake, James Hopkins,
Thomas Barker, John Carter, Peter Doyle and
John Whelan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3942 *to No.* 3968 *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. ______ *to No.* ______ *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

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

Paid during the week - - - - - - £ ______

And that the Balance on the Account ______ *the Guardians was* £ ______

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Treasurers acct was not received this week

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	TOTALS ...												

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

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was

£ 32 s. 15 d. 8

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	:	:	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	36	12	2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	:	:	
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	3	5
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	6	0

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

352 4 lb. Loaves of Bread
8 lb. Butter
4 Cwt. Indian Meal
253 lb. Meat
204 Gallons Sweatmilk
36 d Buttermilk
1 Cwt. Sugar
1 lb. Tobacco
2 Gallons Whiskey

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 187 , 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, cheques on the Treasurer, and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
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.				
	Carried forward,					TOTAL,			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.
61. Mrs Burke. Porters Clerks	5	0	0

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
59	Laurence Kenny	Bread, Meal &c.	1	7	5	10½
60	Kate B. Lynch	Milk		16	13	9½

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

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

The 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 Master reported that he attended the Petty Sessions at Lamur & prosecuted Eliza Ryan for having deserted her 2 Children in the Premises leaving, She was sentenced to one Months imprisonment with hard labour

That he had a Warrant issued for the arrest of Margaret Donohoe for having deserted her Child on the 25th ult Jane.

The Master asked the Board to allow the inmate engaged taking up the Hay and Oat Crop the usual extras, which was granted as follows viz,

½ lb Tea and 1 lb. Sugar each per day; and
2 lb. Tobacco for the Season per week.

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Guardians directed the Clerk to invite tenders, to be considered on this day fortnight, to paint the entire of the Workhouse and Fever Hospital, usually painted, according to the specification to be seen at the Board Room.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):

No. 110–L/78 3rd July 1878

Circular letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland to fill up in the Form enclosed, the required particulars respecting the Rates made and any new rates agreed upon in the Union

No. 14,219 4th July 1878.

Have sent to forward copy of a Communication which they have received from the Secretary of the Commissioners of National Education relative to the absence of Mary Lawlor the Workhouse Schoolmistress from the annual examination of teachers; and the Board request

that in the first instance an explanation may be obtained from the Teacher aforesaid.

Guardians direct that Miss Lawlor furnish an explanation in accordance with the foregoing letter by this day week.

Circular dated from the Poor Law Union Inquiry Commission to furnish a Return and particulars relating to Children in receipt of relief in this Union.

The relieving Officer, Mr Carroll furnished a bill for the sum of £1 0s – for burial expenses of a man named Sullivan found dead, a travelling pauper, on whom a Coroner's Inquest had been held.

It was proposed by Mr. Carton, seconded by Mr. Hopkins, & passed, That we agree to pay the amount of Mr. Carroll's bill for £1 0s – for expenses incurred in the burial of the said Man subject to the approval of the Local Government Board.

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The Board proceeded, as advertised, to Consider tenders & supply the Wick Union with 120 tons of Whitehaven & Newpt Coal and 25 tons of Kilkenny Coal, when the following was declared accepted viz.

Edw. Gleeson to supply 120 tons of Whitehaven Coal at 22/3 per ton.

John Dempsey to supply 25 tons of Kilkenny Coal at 19/6 per ton.

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 - - - - - - - - - 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - 0

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The Clerk to forward the Estimate to the Contractor.

*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 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1858.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 187 .

_____ *District,* - - - - £

_____ *District,* - - - - £

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Order dated _____ _____ *(state subject.)*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively, as follows):—

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

Report from D was read from the Medical Offices of Hacketstown & Carnew Dispensary District & Certify he successfully vaccinated 77 persons between the date 1st January and 1st July 1878; and also Letter from the Medical Officer of Tinahely & Shillelagh Dispensary District to Certify he successfully vaccinated 242 persons between the date 1st January 1878 and 30th June 1878,

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

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

Hacketstown & Carnew

Tinahely & Shillelagh

_____

_____

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

The relieving officers to caution the persons named in the foregoing reports, in their respective districts; and, if necessary, take steps in regard to such cases under the Compulsory Vaccination act.

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

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

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A Graham Hope Ch

Annesley Loftus De Renzy
Sister Doyle

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 12th day of July 187 8.

Signed, Benjn Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of July 187 8

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	81	176										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse	50	18										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds												
Total,	131	196										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			23	50	24	13	12	8	22	15	29	196
Admitted during the Week,			4	4			1		1		3	13
TOTAL			27	54	24	13	13	8	23	15	32	209
Discharged during the Week,			2	5			2			3	1	13
Died,			1									1
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	5			2			3	1	13
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			25	49	24	13	11	8	23	12	31	196

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		
	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
In Workhouse Hospital	58	In separate Wards. 12
In Fever Hospital	18	In Wards with other Inmates.
TOTAL,	76	TOTAL, 12

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	2	0	0	2
No. in Workhouse at date	0	0	0	0

No. at corresponding period last year 200

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 Districts	Destitute Persons relieved Out of the Workhouse, (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1).		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved Out of the Workhouse, (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 12th day of July 187 8.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Abraham Hope Esq J. P.
Other Guardians— The Hon.ble A. Annesley
Messrs Charles Byrne, Annesley Le Dr Renzy,
James Hopkins, Thomas Barker, & John Carter.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3969 *to No.* 3976 *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. _____ *to No.* _____ *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

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

received during the week - - - - - - - - £ _____

Paid during the week - - - - - - - £ _____

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

The Treasurer's acct was not audited this week

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
TOTALS ...					

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was

£ 36 s. 7 d. 0

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	:	:	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	36	18	0
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	:	:	
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	3	5
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	6	6

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:

356, 4 lb Loaves of Bread
8 lbs Butter
256 lbs Meat
206 Gallons Sweetmilk
40 d. Buttermilk
4 Cwt soap
4 Cwt. salt
Drugs for Med. offices

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 187 . 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, cheques on the Treasurer, and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
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.				
	Carried forward,					TOTAL,			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.
62 Registration, William Sweetman Fee	3	2	9

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

The 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:—

F. Dorney Medical Offica reported as follows viz,
I beg to report that since the admission of
Bridgit Doyle whose case I have already reported
there have been 4 new cases admitted into the
Fever Hospital.
No 1 James Doyle aged 56 a feeble emaciated
man with the symptoms of small pox beginning
to appear was admitted on the 16th June. During
the Course of the disease the pustules became
confluent and assumed a purple color. He
died exhausted on the 29th June
No. 2 Maryanne Pattison aged 18 was admitted
on the 28th June
No. 3 Rose Duffy aged 45 admitted on the
5th July
No. 4 Edward Hogan aged 65 admitted on the
5th July — One from the House and two from

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

the Infirmary, very bad Case of Modified Small pox.

They are now Convalescent.

The Committee appointed to call the Workhouse Medical Officer and purchase a horse reported that they have sold the Medical Officer £8.5.0, but are unable to agree on the purchase of a horse.

The Master was directed to fill up the Return from the Poor Law Inquiry Commission relating to the Children ~~in the~~ in the Workhouse, with as little delay as possible.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):

No. 14,409/78 Miscellaneous 8th July 1878.

Circular Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland to transmit Copy of an order of the House of Commons dated 24th June 1878 requiring a Return relating to superannuation of Union Officers.

No. 14840, 1878 14th July 1878.

Clerk to write to inform the Guardians' resolution of the 5th Instant requesting their sanction to the payment to the Relieving Officer of a Sum of £0- expenses incurred in the burial of the body of a Man found

dead, the Board have to state that the Sum of £1/6 is the limit prescribed in each Case by Sections 23 of the act 25 and 26 Vic. Cap 83 for expenses of this description which the Relieving Officer acts on his own responsibility there being no such limit where the Board of Guardians give directions for the burial.

The Board in perusing the Minutes that the burial of the body in the present instance was not by directions of the Board of Guardians and if this be so there exists no authority of the payment from the rates of the Union of more than £1/6 in this case.

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Dr Bourke observed to the Board in reference to the Case on his report to Mr James Doyle, that he was first admitted to the Infirmary on the 16th June last, recommended by Dr Foley, when he pronounced it a Case of Small pox and the patient was removed to the Fever Hospital,

The Clerk was directed to write to ask Dr Foley to be good enough to inform the Board of Guardians what disease James Doyle, a patient in his district, was suffering from, when recommended by him on the 16th Ulto, for admission to the Workhouse Infirmary.

He was also directed to write to request the Medical officers of the Union to be good enough to state particularly in their Certificates for the removal of patients to the Workhouse (Fever) Hospital, or Infirmary, the disease under which they are suffering.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - - 7
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - - 0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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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 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 187 .

_____ *District,* - - - - £

_____ *District,* - - - - £

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Order dated _____ _____ *(state subject.)*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or *Orders were made on them respectively, as follows*):—

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Tinahely	Richd. Curly	Sewer	Filthy

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

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

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James Moore
Chairman

Thomas M Barter
Peter Doyle

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 19th day of July 187 8.

Signed, Barry Hoare
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871 *Present Net Annual Value,* £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of July 187 8

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	181	184										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	16										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	231	200										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			25	49	24	13	11	8	23	12	31	196
Admitted during the Week,			3	4		2	2		2			13
TOTAL			28	53	24	15	13	8	25	12	31	209
Discharged during the Week,			3	4			1					9
Died,			"									"
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	4			1					9
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			25	49	23	15	12	8	25	12	31	200

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.			OBSERVATIONS.
	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	60	In separate Wards,	12
In Fever Hospital	16	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,	76	TOTAL,	12

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	3	1	1	5
No. in Workhouse at date	2	1	0	3

No. at corresponding period last year 201

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 Districts	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.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

Relief Districts	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.
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 19th day of July 187 8.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— James Moore J.P. D.L. & V.L. and
Other Guardians— Subsequently George G. Fowler J.P. D.L. & V.L.
Messrs Ralph Lawrenson
James Kinch, Jeremiah M'Carthy, James Hopkins
John Fraser, Michael Hayden, Peter Doyle,
Jeremiah Doyle, Thomas Barter, John R. Braddell
William Blake and Edwd. Grange.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3977 *to No.* 4007 *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. ______ to No. ______ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's acct. was not recd. this week

Paid during the week - - - - - - £ ______

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
	TOTALS ...												

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

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

£ 41 s. 19 d. 0

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	:	:	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	36	6	1
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	:	:	
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	3	5
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	6	0

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

361 4 4 Loaves of Bread
269 Milk
210 Gallons Sweet milk
42 do Buttermilk
1 4 Tobacco
1 Cwt sugar
2 Gallons Whiskey
1 Pair of Fowls

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 187 , 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, cheques on the Treasurer, and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
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.				
	Carried forward,					TOTAL,			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.
63 Joseph Dollard Boots Firms &c	6	10	11
64 Michael Kelly Wine Divine Service		4	2
66 R. B. M'Vittie M. Services Maint. Dog &c Dec'r	3	9	0
67 Thomas Dowd Hunter's Cottage repaired	2	0	0
68 Clutton Law, Bann Carts	1	5	6

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.
64 Michael Riley Wms		15	0
65 Elizabeth Hopkins Mun	5	1	6

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

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

The 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 Master reported that the Hay crop is made up into Cocks & ready for sale— Ordered to be sold by Auction on this day week.

That the Bath in Women's Bath room is very badly out of repair— & that the door leading to men's Probationary Ward is also out of repair

That he requires 1 Dozen pairs of Shoes for Nurse Children. Ordered to be purchased from Mr. Allison

That Mary Farrell deserted her child this morning at Mr. Allison's Gate.

The Master was directed to supply an outfit for Eliza Doyle, a School girl, going to a Situation

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The Clerk applied for, & was granted, leave of absence on Friday next the 26th inst.

Letter rec'd from Mr. William McPhail proposing to execute the printing of Jury Lists for this Union at 10/- under the prices allowed in the recent order in Council, which was approved by the Board of Guardians.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):

No. 14,861/78 Miscellaneous 12th July 1878.

Circular letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland for a Return re Parliamentary Order.

Letter read from the Schoolmistress Miss Lawler in reply re letter No. 14219 dated 4th July 1878. of the Local Government Board for Ireland, which was directed to be forwarded with Guardians' Minutes.

Letter addressed to the Board of Guardians was read from Dr. Corby, in reply to Minute of the Board on Friday last in regard to a patient named James Doyle, as follows, viz.

"In reply to a letter received from the Clerk of your Union, I beg to state, that James Doyle came to my house on the morning of the 16th June (Sunday) and requested me "to give him an order for admission to the Union Infirmary as he felt sick and had no home to go to"; at the time he looked ill but was not suffering from any decided illness."

It was proposed by Mr. Lawrence, seconded by Mr. Blake, & passed unanimously, that the Estimate of Rates, for the ensuing year, as prepared by the Clerk be adopted as follows, viz.

Aghowle & Division	1/6½		Kilmurry & Division	1/0½	
Ballingale "	1/5	"	Kilpipe "	1/0	d.
Ballington "	1/0	"	Money "	1/4	"
Ballybeg "	1/6	"	Moyacomb "	1/6	"
Carnew "	1/9	"	Rath "	1/4	"
Clonegal "	1/8	"	Shillelagh "	1/9	"
Clonmore "	1/6	"	Tinahely "	1/0	"
Coolboolagh "	1/8	"			
Corbay "	1/3	"			
Coolattin "	1/0	"			
Cronlea "	1/6	"			
Hacketstown "	1/8	"			
Haroldstown "	1/2	"			
Kiltealystown "	1/11	"			

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The Board proceeded, as advertised, to consider Tenders & paint the Interior & Exterior of the Workhouse & Fever Hospital Buildings in accordance with Specification, when the tender of W. J. Rohan was marked accepted for the sum of £79.10.0 subject to and in accordance with the Specification of the Local Government Board.

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 - - - 37

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - - 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - 0

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

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

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

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

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

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

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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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 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 187 .

_____ *District,* - - - - - £

_____ *District,* - - - - - £

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or *Orders were made on them respectively, as follows*):—

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

Report From Nurse and from the Medical officer of ~~Dispensary~~ Collection and Clonegal Dispensary District to Certify he Successfully Vaccinated 228 persons between the dates March 23 and July 17. 1876

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Hacketstown	Wm Gludinin	Latrin	Unfit for habitation
"	"	Cesspools	Stagnant water
"	"	Same	Same
"	"	Cabins	Wanting Chimney Windows and Limewashing

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

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

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Robt Alston Jun
Annesley Lestus De Renzy
Ralph Lawrenson

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 26th day of July 187 8.

Signed, Benj. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh **UNION.**

Population in 1871 *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of July 187 8

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	881	186										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse	50	15										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds												
Total,	931	201										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			25	49	23	15	12	8	25	12	31	200
Admitted during the Week,			17	8		2	2	1	2	1	4	37
TOTAL			42	57	23	17	14	9	27	13	35	237
Discharged during the Week,			19	8	2	1			2		2	34
Died,			1		1							2
Total Discharged and Dead,			20	8	3	1			2		2	36
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			22	49	20	16	14	9	25	13	33	201

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		
Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital 56	In separate Wards, 12	
In Fever Hospital 15	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL, 71	TOTAL, 12	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	15	4	4	23
No. in Workhouse at date	1	0	0	1

No. at corresponding period last year 208

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 Districts	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.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

Relief Districts	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.
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 26th day of July 187 8.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— George G. Newton J.P. D.L.
Other Guardians— Miss Annesley L. De Renzy,
Ralph Lawrenson, and Thomas Barker.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4008 *to No.* 4032 *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. ______ *to No.* ______ *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

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

received during the week - - - - - - - £ ______

The Treasurer's acct was not up this week — *Paid during the week* - - - - - - - £ ______

And that the Balance on the Account ______ *the Guardians was* £ ______

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
	Totals ...												

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was
£ 30 s. 2 d. 1

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	:	:	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	36	14	10
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	:	:	
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	3	3¾
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	6	6

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:

362, 4lb. Loaves of Bread
10 lbs. Butter
4 Cwt. Oatmeal
4 Cwt. Indian Meal
238 lbs. Meat
206 Gallons Swatmilk
46 d. Buttermilk
½ Chest Tea
200, 12 penny Nails
100, 6 d.
100, 8 d.
2 Gallons Whiskey

4 Hides Rupp Leather
1 Dozen pair Children's Boots

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 187, 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, cheques on the Treasurer, and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
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.				
	Carried forward,					TOTAL,			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

69. Registration John N. Barkley Fees	3	17	6

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

The 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 :—

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):

No 12488 25th July 1878

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland requesting to be informed if the ~~Workhouse~~ Medical Officer of the Workhouse has since reported as to the fitness or otherwise of Mrs Margaret Reilly to be appointed Workhouse Fever Hospital Nurse of this Union.

The Board of Guardians direct that the Medical Officer, Dr Bourke, be good enough to furnish a report as requested by the foregoing letter.

Letter read from W. J. Rohan, whose tender was accepted to supply the Workhouse &, to complain of cost of Solicitors fee in regard to his bond.

In reply thereto the Board of Guardians by Rohan direct that the usual bond be prepared according to Law.

Letter read from Dempsey, whose tender was accepted to supply 25 tons of Kilkenny Coal, to decline to fulfil that Contract.

Guardians direct the Clerk to ~~write~~ invite tenders, to be considered on this day fortnight, to supply the Workhouse with 25 Tons of Kilkenny Coal.

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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 - - - - - - - - 6

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - 0

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

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

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

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

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

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

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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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 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 187 .

_____ *District,* - - - - £

_____ *District,* - - - - £

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Order dated _____ _____ *(state subject.)*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or *Orders were made on them respectively, as follows*):—

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

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

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James Moore
Chairman
Annesley Loftus De Rinzy
Ralph Lawrenson

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 2nd day of August 187 8

Signed, Benj Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871 *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of July 187 8

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	88	74
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse	50	14
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds		
Total,	138	88

	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.	22	49	20	16	14	9	25	13	33	201
Admitted during the Week,	11	6					1	1		19
TOTAL	33	55	20	16	14	9	26	14	33	220
Discharged during the Week,	13	6	2	1		2	1	2	2	29
Died,	"									"
Total Discharged and Dead,	13	6	2	1		2	1	2	2	29
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	20	49	18	15	14	7	25	12	31	191

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital 53	In separate Wards, 15	
In Fever Hospital 14	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL, 67	TOTAL, 15	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	11	0	0	11
No. in Workhouse at date	0	0	0	0

No. at corresponding period last year 203

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 Districts	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.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

Relief Districts	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.
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 2nd day of August 187 8.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— James Moore Esq. D.V.L.
Other Guardians— Messrs Ralph Lawrenson Annesley Lt. DeRinzy, Charles Byrne, Wm Blake, James Hopkins, Peter Doyle, John K. Braddell and John Carter.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4033 *to No.* 4057 *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. _____ *to No.* _____ *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

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

received during the week - - - - - - - £ _____

Paid during the week - - - - - - £ _____

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

The Treasurer's Acct was not rec'd this week

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
TOTALS ...					

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 106 s. 11 d. 8

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	:	:	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	34	19	7
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	:	:	
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	3	3
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	6	10

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

351 4th Loaves of Bread
1/2 lbs Butter
4 Cwt Oatmeal
4 do India Meal
258 lbs Meat
200 Gallons Swatmilk
46 do Buttermilk
1 Cwt soft sugar
1 Jar Branding Ink
Lbs Mustard
8000 shoe nails

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 187 , 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, cheques on the Treasurer, and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
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.				
	Carried forward,					TOTAL,			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.
To Charles Wilson Blankets	14	11	8

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.
To Registration R. Cody Fee	3	4	0

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

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 succesful cases :—

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

The Medical Officer applied to the Board for a fortnights leave of absence for the Infirmary Nurse

It was proposed by Mr Cole seconded by Mr Doyle, and passed, that the Infirmary Nurse be allowed a fortnights leave of absence

It was proposed by Mr. De Renzy seconded by Mr Lawrence, and passed, that Mary Chambers, late nurse, at present occupying an entire room in the Fever Hospital be removed therefrom to the Infirmary, and pay the average Cost of same, to clear the Workhouse altogether.

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

The Master reports that he sold a quantity of old rags & bones to James Doyle for 15/-

That the Hay on Workhouse Farm was sold by Auction on Friday last for the Sum of £ 18. 19. 0

That Mary Farrell left the Workhouse either by crossing a wall or in some other illegal manner on Monday Evening the 29th July 1878. & was got outside and brought back next morning.

And that she committed a similar Offence on yesterday 1st August by crossing the Wall of Nursery yard.

That the Matron caught the same woman endeavouring to break off the fastening of one of the back windows of Nursery with a piece of iron and a Stone on the 31st ult.

The Master was directed to prosecute the above named Mary Farrell for the various Offences

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

He was also directed to discharge an able bodied pauper named John Byrne, with his wife and 4 Children, and supply Clothing to the Children.

The Guardians being specially summoned pursuant to notice on the 28th June last to consider the superannuation to be allowed Mary Chambers late Fever Hospital Nurse.

It was proposed by Mr. Carter, seconded by Mr. Doyle, and passed unanimously, that Mary Chambers late Fever Hospital Nurse, be granted Superannuation of £20 per year, from the date of her resignation on the 15th June last.

The Guardians agree to allow Hart, agricultural £1.4.0 as usual to buy fuel

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):

No. 15,864/78 Miscellaneous 26th July 1878

Circular letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland in regard to the preparation of Jurors lists

No. 14,840 30th July 1878

From same requisting to be informed of the result of the directions given to the Relieving Officer with respect to ~~the~~ defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination act in the Lowtown and Blackditches and the Coolattin & Omeath Dispensary Districts

The Relieving Officers were directed to furnish a report in writing as requested in foregoing letter

No. 15,760 1st August 1878

From same with reference to Minutes of the Board of Guardians of the 19th ult. accepting a Tender for painting the interior and exterior of the Workhouse and Fever Hospital Buildings, the Local Government Board for Ireland desire to suggest to the Guardians the necessity of making arrangements for seeing that the work is properly executed.

The Guardians agree unanimously to appoint Mr. Friedrich Lyle, architect, to have the aforesaid Contract carried out according to specification for the sum of Five Pounds. (£5) should he assent to same

In reply to letter from Local Government Board for Ireland No. 12148, dated 25th July 1878 the accompanying report was read from Dr. Barry, medical officer.

Letter read from W. J. Rohan to state he had been delayed in sending back bond & specification of Contract for painting; and to ask when shall he Commence the work

On approval of the foregoing Communication the Guardians ordered Rohan may Commence his work, according to advertisement, as soon as he has his bond and specification signed

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298 As none as yet having been purchased pursuant to the Workhouse.
Mr. Dickenson proposed and Mr. Braddell seconded and passed, that the Clerk invite proposals, to be Considered at this day fortnight, from persons willing to supply horses for sale at the Workhouse at a price each not to exceed £20, with a guarantee of the animal being perfectly quiet, and stand trial; and also subject to the opinion of a Veterinary Surgeon.

A woman named Mary Redmond, Widow, with 2 Children who left this Union 2 years ago applied to the Board for relief, stating "that she had been living in the Enniscorthy Union during that time and that she had applied to the Enniscorthy Board of Guardians for relief but had been refused admission to that Workhouse". The woman & Children being provisionally admitted the Guardians desire to be informed by the Local Government Board whether they are legally bound to afford her relief or not, according to her statement that she had been living in the Enniscorthy Union for the last 2 years and was refused relief in the Workhouse Yard.

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

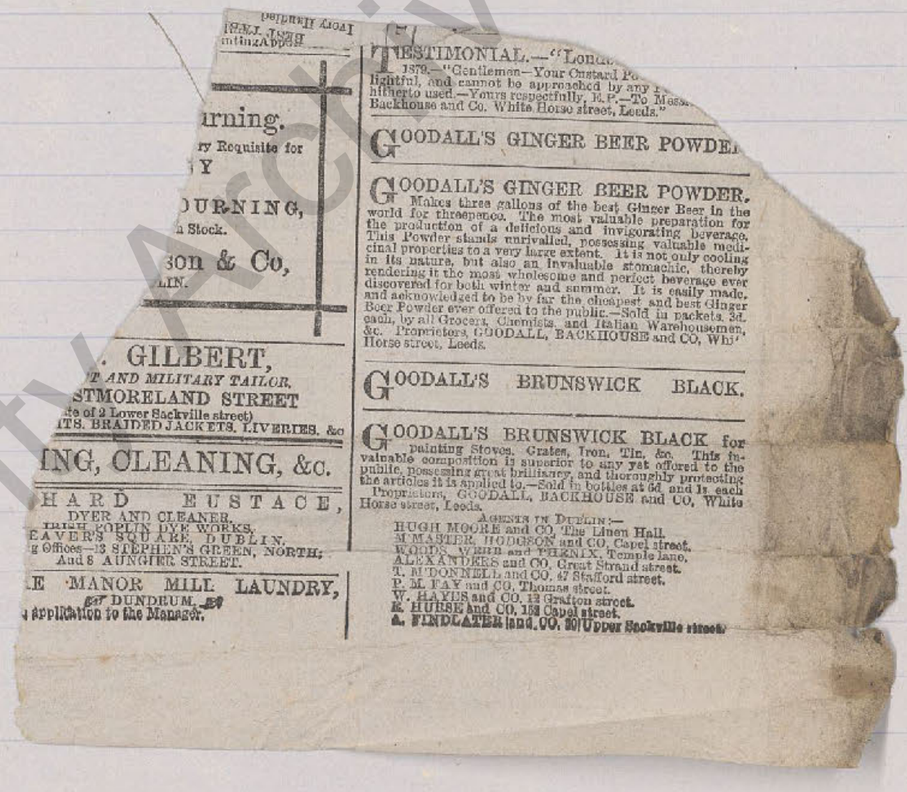
The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	24
Ditto disallowed	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	5
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	

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

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

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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



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

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

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298 [illegible] horse as yet having been purchased by reason of the Workhouse
Mr. McKenzy proposed and Mr. Braddick seconded
and passed, that the Clerk invite proposals, to
be Considered at this day fortnight, from persons
willing to supply horses for sale at the Workhouse
at a price each not to exceed £20, with
a guarantee of the animal being properly
quiet, and stand trial; and also subject to
the opinion of a Veterinary Surgeon.

A woman named Mary Redmond, Widow, with
4 Children who left this Union 2 years ago
applied to the Board for relief, stating "that
had been living in the Commonalty Union
during that time and that she had applied
to the Commonalty Board of Guardians for relief
but had been refused admission to that
Workhouse". The woman & Children being
provisionally admitted the Guardians desire to be
informed by the Local Government Board whether
they are legally bound to afford her relief, or not,
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in the Commonalty Union for the last 2 years and was refused
relief in the Workhouse of said

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The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - 5

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

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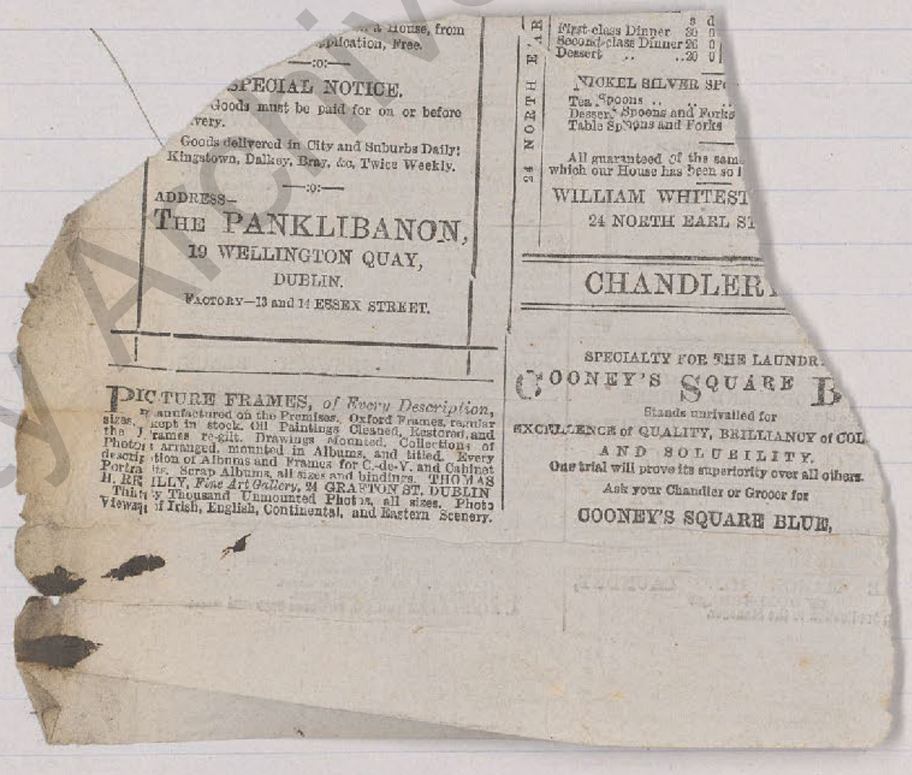

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On Application of the Committee of Management of the _____ *Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—*

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298 No horses as yet having been purchased for use of the Workhouse
Mr. D'Arcy proposed and Mr. Braddell seconded
and passed, that the Clerk invite proposals, to
be considered on this day fortnight, from persons
willing to supply horses for sale at the Workhouse
at a price each not to exceed £20, with
a guarantee of the animal being properly
quiet, and stand trial; and also subject to
the opinion of a Veterinary Surgeon.

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but had been refused admission to that
Workhouse". The woman & Children being
provisionally admitted the Guardians desire to be
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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 :

Inishcarra Dispensary District.

70 Account of Mr. R. Foley for Vacc[t] fees Amount, £2 2 0
Same, Lunacy ditto 1 1 0
Hackettstown Collection
71 William Ludiman Vacc[t] fees 3 17 0

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 187 .

_____ *District,* - - - - £

_____ *District,* - - - - £

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Order dated _____ _____ *(state subject.)*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or *Orders were made on them respectively, as follows*):—

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

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

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Amesley Loftus De Renzy
Chairman

James Hopkins

Charles Byrne

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 9th day of August 187 8

Signed, Bry Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1871 Shillelagh **UNION.**

Present Net Annual Value, £ _____

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of August 187 8

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	881	180										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	12										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	931	192										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			20	49	18	15	14	7	25	12	31	191
Admitted during the Week,			15	11	·	·	4	1	·	2	4	37
TOTAL			35	60	18	15	18	8	25	14	35	228
Discharged during the Week,			10	13	2	·	4	·	2	2	3	36
Died,			1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1
Total Discharged and Dead,			10	13	2	·	4	·	2	2	3	36
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			25	47	16	15	14	8	23	12	32	192

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.			OBSERVATIONS.
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	55	In separate Wards, 12	
In Fever Hospital	12	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,	67	TOTAL, 12	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	11	0	2	13
No. in Workhouse at date	3	0	0	3

No. at corresponding period last year 197

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 Districts	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.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

Relief Districts	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.
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 9th day of August 187 8.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Amesley L. De Renzy Esq
Other Guardians— Messrs Charles Edward Byrne
and James Hopkins

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4058 *to No.* 4098 *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. ______ *to No.* ______ *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Acct. was not in this week

Paid during the week - - - - - - - £ ______

And that the Balance on the Account ______ *the Guardians was* £ ______

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
	Totals ...												

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was

£ 70 s. 8 d. 10

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	34	2	5
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	3
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		7	4½

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:

340. 4lb Loaves of Bread
9lbs. Butter
250lbs. Meat
196 Gallons Stirabout
42 do. Buttermilk
1 Pint of Calico
1 do. Linen
10lbs. Pepper
12lbs. Black & White Thread
1 Pint of Lemon Chuck

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 187, 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, cheques on the Treasurer, and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
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.				
	Carried forward,					TOTAL,			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.
73. Patrick Hunt, Fuel allowance,	1	4	0

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

The 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 Clerk was directed to invite Tenders to be considered at this day fortnight from persons willing to supply a new door to the Probationary Ward and a new Women's Bath.

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

D. Bookey, Medical Offier, reported in writing as follows.

Augst 1st 1878, John Haskins 70 years old was admitted into the Fever Hospital with Variola.

He has been an inmate of the house for 2 years. Has not an hear for two day 3 weeks before he was attacked with the disease. He had no communication directly or indirectly with the Fever Hospital or Convalescent ward Augst. 9th. He is going on favorably

The Master reported that a little boy named John Duffy broke his thigh on last Saturday Evening in Boys' School by falling off the Schoolmaster's Desk.

That he attended the Carmen Petty Sessions on the 6th inst.

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

to prosecute Mary Farrell for having deserted her Child on the 19th July 1878. & for leaving the Workhouse illegally on two occasions.— She was sentenced to 7 Days imprisonment for the first Offence: and the two latter were dismissed without prejudice; the Magistrate not considering the evidence sufficient.

That nothing has been done towards repairing the Door leading to the Probationary Board: and the Women's Bath.

The Master also reported that there are a few doors & partitions which require repairs before painting; and some holes to be built up in Walls of Boys' School Yard: and some coping to be done 2 or 3 places in Walls of Workhouse buildings.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):

No. 16,616 : 78 8th August 1878.

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland directing to be transmitted questions for answers respecting Mary Hannan to whom the Board of Guardians propose to grant a superannuation allowance in respect of her services as Nurse & Hospital Nurse of the Workhouse.

No. 16,616 8th August 1878

From Same respecting an application for relief of a woman named Mary Redmond a widow with four Children, who it is alleged left the Shillelagh Union two years ago, and had since been living in the Enniscorthy Union, to the Workhouse of which she state, the Guardians refused to admit her; and in reply to the Guardians inquiry on the subject, the Local Government Board desire to state that the family being destitute the Guardians are legally bound to afford them relief irrespective of any Circumstances connected with their previous residence.

The Local Government Board have communicated the Guardians' resolution to the Enniscorthy Guardians for their observations.

No. 16,616 8th August 1878

From Same with reference to the Minute of the Board of Guardians of the Shillelagh Union of the 2nd Instant, stating that a report from Dr. Borrey, Medical officer, was transmitted with the Minute, the Local Government Board for Ireland desire to inform you that the report in question did not accompany the Minute, and they request that you will furnish them with a Copy of it.

The Clerk submitted the report referred to, which he accidentally omitted to forward with minute of last Board day, and stated he shall transmit the same with the Minutes of this day's proceedings.

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The Board proceeded to consider Tenders to supply the Workhouse with 25 Tons of Kilkenny Coal, when the tender of Edward Gleeson & Co, was marked accepted to supply 25 tons of Best Calm at 24/6 per ton.

Mr Charles Byrne gave notice that on this day fortnight he will move that the resolution to remove Mary Chambers, from the Fever Hospital, be rescinded

A letter addressed to the Board of Guardians & signed George Kidd, was marked read, on the subject of fencing the Burial ground at the Gut-his (Baalyskeid) in this Union, and Consideration postponed

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 - - - 40
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - - 0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - 1

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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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 Disirict.*

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

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

*An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended*_____187 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended*_____187 .

_____*District,* - - - - £

_____*District,* - - - - £

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

*Order dated*_________*(state subject.)*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or *Orders were made on them respectively, as follows*):—

*Read Letter from*_____ *dated*_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

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

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E. Hudson
Clerk
James Hopkins
Charles Byrne

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 16th day of August 187 8.

Signed, Byrne Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871 *Present Net Annual Value, £* —

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of August 187 8

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	181	171										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	13										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	231	184										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			~~24~~ 25	~~46~~ 47	~~16~~ 16	~~13~~ 15	~~12~~ 14	~~7~~ 8	~~23~~ 23	~~11~~ 12	~~32~~ 32	~~184~~ 192
Admitted during the Week,			20	3	3		1		1	2	1	31
Total			45	50	19	15	15	8	24	14	33	223
Discharged during the Week,			21	4	2	2	3	1	1	3	1	38
Died,					1							1
Total Discharged and Dead,			21	4	3	2	3	1	1	3	1	39
Remaining on the above date,			24	46	16	13	12	7	23	11	32	184

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	52	In separate Wards,	13
In Fever Hospital	13	In Wards with other Inmates,	
Total	65	Total	13

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	21	0	0	21
No. in Workhouse at date	3	0	0	3

No. at corresponding period last year 190

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 Districts	Destitute Persons relieved Out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved Out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1). Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1). Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Persons
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

Relief Districts	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.
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of *Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday the 16th day of August 187 8.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— George G. Newton Esq. J. P. V. C.
Other Guardians— The Revd. H. Parsons Rector & Vicar J.P.
Ralph Lawrenson, Edwd. Grange, Charles Byrne,
John Whelan, James Hopkins, Thomas Barker,
Michael Hayden, John Carter & William Blake

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4099 *to No.* 4127 *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. _______ *to No.* _______ *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

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

Paid during the week - - - - - - - £ ________

And that the Balance on the Account ______ *the Guardians was* £ ________

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Treasurer's acct. was not rec.d this week

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
	Totals ...												

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was
£ 27 s. 12 d. 11

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	:	:	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	34	4	5
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	:	:	
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	3	4¼
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	0
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	7	2½

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:

342, 14 lb. Loaves of Bread
8 lb. Butter
4 Cwt. Oatmeal
254 lb. Meat
194 Gallons Sweetmilk
44 do. Buttermilk
1 lb. Tobacco
4 lb. Wax Candles
2 Gallons Whiskey
6 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 day of 187, 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, cheques on the Treasurer, and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
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.				
	Carried forward,					TOTAL,			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every Month)—Number of successful cases:—

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

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

The Master reported that an epileptic patient in Male Idiot Ward died rather suddenly on the 13th inst. He had been in yard apparently well immediately before he was taken ill, when he was laid in his bed attended & cared for as usual, but died in about 10 or 15 Minutes.

An inquest was held on the following day by Phillips Newton Esq. Coroner for the County Wicklow, and the following verdict was returned.

"We find that deceased James Doyle died at Shillelagh Workhouse on the 13th day of August 1878, in a fit of Epilepsy".

He also reported that he is in great need of Frieze, as the last two orders for it have not been supplied.

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Letter was read signed Craig Gardner & Co. to apply for the payment of £6.12.0 due Kate E. Murphy Contractor for goods supplied to the Workhouse and also a letter signed Kate E. Murphy to authorize the payment of such account.

The Clerk was directed to ascertain whether such letter had been written by the Contractor, Kate E. Murphy, before discharging the account and at same time ask by whom shall the Contract entered into by her be executed, or if such may be considered null & void as no goods have been supplied on the last two orders issued

The Porter applied for & was granted leave of absence for one day.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):

No. 16,616 15th August 1878.

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland to state they will raise no objection to the proposed payment of £5, to Mr. Sykes for superintending the painting of the Work House.

No. 12,488 15th August 1878

Minute Sanctioning approval of the appointment of Margaret Kelly to the office of Fever Hospital Nurse at a Salary of £15.0.0 per annum and rations.

The Board proceeded to Consider Tenders to supply the Work House for three months, from the 1st Oct. August 1878, as advertised with Bread, Meat, Oatmeal & India meal when the following were marked accepted viz.

Lawrence Kenny to supply best Bread at 5/7¾ per 4lb. loaf
Same Oatmeal at £16.0.0 per ton.
Same India Meal 7.0.0 do.

The tender of Patrick Murphy was read to supply best Beef & Mutton at 5/6 per lb.; and also a tender of Eliza M'Guirk to supply same at 5/5 per lb.

It was proposed by Mr Hope J.P. & seconded by Mr Whelan that Patrick Murphy's tender be accepted at 5/6 per lb.

Amendment proposed by The Hon. F. Pomeroy & seconded by Mr. Byrne that the tender of Eliza M'Guirk be accepted at 5/5 per lb.

The Board divided when five Guardians voted for the tender of Eliza M'Guirk: and six Guardians for the tender of Patrick Murphy, which was marked accepted.

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The Guardians in accordance with advertisement purchased a horse from Mr Byrne subject to trial, and the opinion of a Veterinary surgeon for the sum of £20.

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 - - - 28
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - - 0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - 0

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

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

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

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

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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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 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 187 .

_____ *District,* - - - - £

_____ *District,* - - - - £

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Order dated _____ _____ *(state subject.)*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or *Orders were made on them respectively, as follows*):—

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

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

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James Moore
Chairman
Ralph Lawenson
Edward Grainge

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 23rd day of August 1878.

Signed, Benj Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1871 Shillelagh UNION. *Present Net Annual Value, £* 31

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of August 1878

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	81	170										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse	50	12										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds												
Total,	131	182										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			24	46	16	13	12	7	23	11	32	184
Admitted during the Week,			27	3		1	1				1	33
TOTAL			51	49	16	14	13	7	23	11	33	217
Discharged during the Week,			20	7	1	3	1				1	33
Died,			1		1							2
Total Discharged and Dead,			21	7	2	3	1				1	35
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			30	42	14	11	12	7	23	11	32	182

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.			
	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital	54	In separate Wards,	12
In Fever Hospital	12	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,	66	TOTAL,	12

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	27	0	0	27
No. in Workhouse at date	10	0	0	10

No. at corresponding period last year 72

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 Districts	Destitute Persons relieved Out of the Workhouse, (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1).		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 23rd day of August 1878.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— James Moore Esq D.V.L. & subsequently
Other Guardians— George G. Newton J.P. & D.V.L.
Messrs Ralph Lawenson
Edward Grainge, Michael Lawenson, Charles Byrne,
Annesley L. DeRenzy, John R. Braddell, James Hopkins,
John Carter, Daniel Brien, Thomas Barker, T. F. Hopkins
and Phillips Newton J.P.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4128 *to No.* 4143 *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._______ to No._______ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's a/c was not [illegible] and the [illegible]

Paid during the week - - - - - - £____________

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
	Totals ...												

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was
£ 29 s. 18 d. 4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	:	:	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	34	0	8½
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	:	:	
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	3	4½
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	0
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	4	2½

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:

329 4lb Loaves of Bread
½ cwt Butter
4 Cwt Indian Meal
255 lbs. Meat
190 Gallons Sweetmilk
42 do Buttermilk
1 Pair of Shoes
1 do Ordinary
1 do Striped Linsey
12 Iron Studs
1 Box Moulded Candles
1 Pair of Stays

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 187 , 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, cheques on the Treasurer, and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
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.				
	Carried forward,					TOTAL,			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.
4/4 Matthew Barnay three nails	1	1	8
5/5 Craig Gardner & Co Blankets Kells Mills	6	12	0

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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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.
75 Lavinia Kinny Broad Meadows	99	11	10

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

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

The 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 :—

John Dempsey rate Collector for the Blackrock Dundrum & Glenmore Electoral Divisions of this Union, tendered the resignation of his Office in writing which the Guardians accepted and directed the Clerk to advertise for a Rate Collector in his room, & he appointed on this day three weeks.

The Clerk was granted leave of absence on this day week, the 30th Inst. and the Master to do his business of that day.

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

Dr. Dorkey Medical Officer reported as follows 14th August 14th 1878 I have to inform the Board of Guardians that John Haskins whose case I have already reported died on the 14th August, August 17th Patrick Carroll aged 75 and John Lee aged 70 both very feeble, paralyzed men, were admitted into Hospital 17th August with Variola August 23 Patrick Carroll died on the 20th John Lee is progressing favourably. They were inmates of the Infirmary and were in the Ward in which John Haskins slept the night before his admission into the Hospital.

Mr Newton J.P. proposed Mr Lawrenson seconded & passed unanimously, that the

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Convalescent Wards in use of Workhouse be used at present as Fever Hospital, and the Fever Hospital be kept for Small Pox patients only; and that the Medical Officer, Dr. Berry, be empowered to provide a temporary Nurse for the former.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):

No. 17,223 — 22nd August 1878

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland to transmit for the Guardians information, an Extract from the Minutes of the Enniscorthy Board of Guardians of the 14th Instant ~~respecting~~ respecting the Statement of a woman named Mary Redmond that she had been refused admission to the Workhouse of Enniscorthy Union, although resident in that Union for the last two years.

No. 17,475 — 22nd August 1878

Form sent to acknowledge receipt of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of this Union to the 16th Instant, Containing an entry of the Master's Report that a supply of Straw is much required for the use of the Workhouse Inmates, and the Board have to point out that no order appears to have been made on this Report, and they request that this matter may receive the Guardians' attention.

It was proposed by Mr Delaney seconded by Mr Carton that Mr Donohoe of Clonegal supply the Straw required for the use of the Workhouse, until the termination of the present Contract.

Amendment proposed by Mr Moore & seconded by Mr Barker that Mr Dunland supply the Straw wanted.

The Board divided when five Guardians voted for the proposition, and Six for the amendment which was declared Carried.

No. 17263 — 22nd August 1878

Form sent to acknowledge receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting Mrs Mary Chambers, late Fever Hospital Nurse of the Workhouse of Shillelagh Union, to whom the Board of Guardians propose to grant a superannuation allowance; and the Board request that they may be furnished with details of the emoluments to be included in Calculating the superannuation allowance.

The Guardians in answer to the foregoing letter desire to state as follows, Viz,

	s.	d.
Average Cost of Weekly Rations	6.	0
Coals Candles & soap, Weekly	2.	7
	8.	7

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The Guardians at the same time may observe that in Calculating superannuation allowance upon it they did not take into Consideration the cost of Necessaries such as Coal, Candles &c.

Mr Byrne, pursuant to Notice, proposed & Mr Hopkins seconded, that Mary Chambers, late Fever Hospital Nurse, be allowed to remain in the Fever Hospital

The Board divided when the Guardians voted for, and nine against the proposition, which was declared lost.

A tender was read from Thomas Marten to supply a new door and Bath for the use of Workhouse for the sum of £3, which was not accepted.

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 - - - - - - - - 0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - 1

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

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

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

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

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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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 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 187 .

_____ *District,* - - - - £

_____ *District,* - - - - £

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Order dated _____ _____ *(state subject.)*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or *Orders were made on them respectively, as follows*):—

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

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

A letter was marked read from Mr. John Sheppard of Ballycommel relating to the fence of the old Burial ground at Lacan in this Union

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James Moore
Chairman

Annesley Lo[illegible] De Rinzy

Charles Bourne

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 30th day of August 187 8

Signed, B. Bourke
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871 *Present Net Annual Value, £* _____

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of August 187 8

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	84	172
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse	50	11
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds		
Total,	134	183

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 16 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	30	42	14	11	12	7	23	11	32	182
Admitted during the Week,	8	6		1	1	1	1	1	1	20
TOTAL	38	48	14	12	13	8	24	12	33	202
Discharged during the Week,	13	1	2	2						18
Died,			1							1
Total Discharged and Dead,	13	1	3	2						19
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	25	47	11	10	13	8	24	12	33	183

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	51	In separate Wards,	12
In Fever Hospital	11	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,	62	TOTAL,	12

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	6	2	0	8
No. in Workhouse at date	3	0	0	3

No. at corresponding period last year 163

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 Districts	Destitute Persons relieved Out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1).		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

No Meeting

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, and Meeting held on Friday the 30th day of August 187 8

PRESENT: In the Chair—
Other Guardians—

Mr. Bourke & Mr. Hopkins only attended, and Subsequently The Hon.ble F. Ponsonby after Mr. Bourke had left.

Mr. O. Brien Local Government Board Inspector also attended,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

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

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

received during the week - - - - - - - £__________

The Treasurer's acct. was not recd. this week

Paid during the week - - - - - - £__________

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	Totals ...												

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was
£ 48 s. 6 d. 5 v

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	:	:	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	32	17	1 v
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	:	:	
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	3	4 v
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	0
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	7	2 v

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:

306 4lb Loaves of Bread
4 Cwt. Oatmeal
4 do. Indian Meal
244 lbs. Meat
182 Gallons Sweetmilk
42 do. Buttermilk
4 Cwt soap
1 Cwt. Sugar
1 do. Washing soda
1 Tea Can
1 Saucepan
1 Water Bard
2 Coal Boxes
2 Gallons Whiskey
1 Hyds Butt Leather
Drugs pr. Med. Officer

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 187 , 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, cheques on the Treasurer, and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
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.				
	Carried forward,					TOTAL,			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

The 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:—

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):

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

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

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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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 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 187 .

_____ *District,* - - - - £

_____ *District,* - - - - £

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Order dated _____ _____ *(state subject.)*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or *Orders were made on them respectively, as follows*):—

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

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

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James Moore
Chairman

Annesley Loftus De Renzy

Charles Byrne

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 6th day of September 1878.

Signed, Benj. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1871 Shillelagh **UNION.** *Present Net Annual Value, £* _____

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of August 1878.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	88	175										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	12										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	138	187										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			25	47	11	10	13	8	24	12	33	183
Admitted during the Week,			18	8	2	1	1				1	32
TOTAL			43	55	13	11	14	8	24	13	35	216
Discharged during the Week,			19	6				1	1	1	1	29
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			19	6				1	1	1	1	29
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			24	49	13	11	14	7	23	12	34	187

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital 57	In separate Wards, 13	
In Fever Hospital 12	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL, 69	TOTAL, 12	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	9	1	0	10
No. in Workhouse at date	0	0	0	0

No. at corresponding period last year 167

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 Districts	Destitute Persons relieved (Out of the Workhouse, (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1).		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 6th day of September 1878.

PRESENT: *In the Chair—* James Moore D. V. C.
Other Guardians—
Messrs Annesley Le DeRenzy
Charles Byrne and James Hopkins.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4444 *to No.* 4515 *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. _____ *to No.* _____ *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

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

received during the week - - - - - - - £ _____

Paid during the week - - - - - - - £ _____

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

The Treasurer's acct. was not rec. this week

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
	TOTALS ...				

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was

£ 31 s. 13 d. 11

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	32	13	3
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was			
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	2
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	10

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

335, 4 lb. Loaves of Bread
8 lbs. Butter
226 lbs. Meat
180 Gallons Skimmilk
46 do. Buttermilk
1 Box Dipt Candles
Drugs per Med. Officer

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 187 , 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, cheques on the Treasurer, and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
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.				
	Carried forward,					TOTAL,			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.
81 William Hughes Assd Wk	1	5	0½

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
7/9	Patrick Murphy Meat	57	2	6
7/8	Elizabeth Hopkins Milk	31	12	9
7/9	C. Gleeson Coal	134	12	3

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

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

The 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:—

Mr. Dalkney proposed Mr. Hopkins seconded, and passed unanimously, that Mr. Barton Poor Law Guardian, be asked to purchase a suitable horse for the use of the Workhouse.

It was proposed by Mr. Dalkney seconded by Mr. Byrne & passed unanimously that the Clerk instruct Mr. Bunbury Solicitor to take proceedings under the Sanitary Act, against Mr. Batt as the Owner of a dwelling house at Imagh, (in the Moyacomb Electoral Division of this Union) being unfit for human habitation.

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

The Master reported that Mr O. Brien, L.G. Board Inspector, visited and inspected the Workhouse on last Friday the 30th Ultimo.

That he prosecuted at Lower Petty Sessions on the 3rd inst, Six Tramps for tearing their clothing in the Workhouse; and Mary Farrell for deserting her child on the 26th August, who was each Sentenced to 1 Months imprisonment with hard labour; He also prosecuted Margaret Dowlan for deserting her child 25th June, but she was discharged.

That several of the Yards of the Workhouse require gravel and a horse required for a few days to draw Sand & Gravel from the Sand Pit.

That he has received from Constable Fell the sum of £1.4.0 being relief by way of Loan for his Maintenance in Fever Hospital whilst stopping from Small Pox.

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

That the staple, a hold fast, of Gate leading to Hospital field from Workhouse grounds is broken so that there is no means of fastening it

The Guardians direct that the Contractor, Dowd, be requested forthwith to supply the fastening to the gate mentioned.

The new Rate Books were signed by the Chairman, and two of the Guardians.

The Master was directed to have Michael Doyle a Lunatic, placed in the Richmond Lunatic Asylum

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):

No. 138 M/78 Miscellaneous 20th August 1878.

Circular read from the Local Government Board with Copy of Annual Report

No. 13707-78 23rd August 1878

From Board to pay the Treasurer of the Union out of the Parliamentary Grant Expenses in the half year ended 25th March last, for Educational & Medical purposes viz.

For Teachers' Salaries	£17-16-10
For Medical Officers Salaries &c.	101-14-10

No. 142 M/78 Miscellaneous 28th Augt. 1878

From Board to transmit Copy of the Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878

No. 17946 29th August 1878

From Board to transmit questions for answers to be signed by the Clerk and the person who may apply for Rate Collector

No. 17263 29th August 1878.

From Board order under Seal Consenting to an annual superannuation allowance of £20 being paid Mary Chambers, late Nurse in the Fever Hospital

No. 141 29th August 1878.

From Board in regard to Vaccination.

No. 17347 31st August 1878.

From Board Circular in regard to Tickets for Medical Relief

No. 145 2nd September 1878

From Board with Extract from the Poor Affiliated persons Relief act.

No. 18413 5th September 1878.

From Board to inform the Board of Guardians of Shillelagh Union that they have received the Half Yearly Report of their Inspector Mr O Baird on the Union, in which he states that he visited the Workhouse on the 30th Ultimo and found the General departments in fair general order. He refers again to the Subject of the dietary of the Adult Class, who he remarks are provided with only two daily Meals, an arrangement which is an exception to the rule observed in other Unions.

Mr. O. Baird reports favorably of the financial Condition of the Union and of the Sanitary Condition of the Union, and also of the progress and general appearance of the Children in the Schools

Mr. O. Baird observes that the Earthen floor of the Trades shop is in a bad Condition and he suggests that it should be tiled or

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Wicklow; and the Local Government Board recommend this suggestion to the Guardians' Consideration.

The Clerk was directed to invite Tenders to be Considered on this day three weeks, to take the Flour of the Trades shop mentioned.

5th September 1878

Circular letter read from Dublin Castle to transmit a Copy of the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, 1878.

The tender of Thomas Martin was accepted to supply a new door, and Bath for the sum of £3.0.0

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 - - - 1/1

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - - - 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - 0

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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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 :

Tallaght Dispensary District.

80 *Account of Mr.* John M. Berkley *for* Vac & Stg *Amount, £* 11 . 8 . 0

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 187 .

_____ *District,* - - - - £

_____ *District,* - - - - £

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Order dated _____ _____ *(state subject.)*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or *Orders were made on them respectively, as follows*):—

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Shankey &	P. Early Esq	Dwelling house	Recommended
		Want of water	Pump not repaired

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

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

No. 7946 29th August 1878

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland in regard to a letter from Mr. John Sheppard of Baltyconnell relating to the fence of the old burial ground at Laragh and the Board request that a Copy of the letter referred to may be entered in this Copy of the Minutes of the Guardians Meetings at this next Meeting

In accordance with the foregoing Letter the following is a Copy of the letter referred to, Viz.

Baltyconnell
Coolkenno 18th August 1878

Bro. Hopkins Esq

Sir,

Now that the Public Health Bill has become Law, will you be good enough to again bring the Subject of the Laragh burying Ground before your Board with a view to its enclosure.

Respectfully yours
John Sheppard

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James Mason
Chairman

Charles Byrne
Timothy Loftus, De Roxy

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 13th day of September 1878.

Signed, Barys Boyton
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871 *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of September 187 .

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	88	176										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	12										
Fever Sheds												
Total	93	188										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			24	49	13	11	14	7	23	12	34	187
Admitted during the Week,			15	11	2			1	1	1		31
TOTAL			39	60	15	11	14	8	24	13	35	219
Discharged during the Week,			14	10	2	1			1	1	1	30
Died,				1								1
Total Discharged and Dead,			14	11	2	1			1	1	1	31
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			25	49	13	10	14	8	23	12	34	188

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	58	In separate Wards.	12
In Fever Hospital	12	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,	70	TOTAL,	12

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	11	3	2	16
No. in Workhouse at date	0	0	0	0

No. at corresponding period last year 166

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 Districts	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.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

Relief Districts	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.
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 13th day of September 1878.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— James Mason Esq D. V. L.
Other Guardians— Wm Hyde & J. P. Ralph Lawman
Edward Grange James Finch Andrew More Chas. Byrne
Jeremiah McCarthy William Blake Michael Lawman
Daniel Byrne Michael Whelan A. L. De Roxby
J. R. Braddell James Doyle Thomas Baker
J. F. Hawkins John Fraser Edwd. Finn Eugene Doyle
Michael Hayden Peter Doyle Andrew Walshe Peter Foley
John Carton Phillips Newton J. P. and Alexander Deane J. P.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4216 *to No.* 4246 *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. ______ *to No.* ______ *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week - - - - - £ 119 : 11 : 8

Paid ~~during the week~~ since 30th March last - £ 1834 : 11 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favor *the Guardians was* £ 732 : 5 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
	Totals ...												

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was

£ 32 s. 7 d. 4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	32	12	0 ✓
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	1½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	3½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	10

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

337 4 W. Loaves of Bread
6 Lbs. Butter
2 3 qr Lbs Meat
18 2 Gallons Sweet milk
46 d. Buttermilk
½ Chest Tea
1 Cwt. sugar
2 Gallons Spun oil
1000 Shoe nails

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 187 , 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, cheques on the Treasurer, and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
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.				
	Carried forward,					TOTAL,			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

83 Dan[illegible], Nolan Hay Wak		10	0 ✓
84 Ralph Lawrence Sr Hay	22	10	0 ✓

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.
82 Kate B. Symes	34	16	9 v
83 Thomas Carb Simkins Steward		16	0 v

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

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

The 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 Master reported that Margaret Donohoe again deserted her child on the 10th inst convenient to the Workhouse.

The Master was directed to take out a warrant for her arrest

He also reported that the Schoolmaster Mr. Jordan complained to him that an inmate named Bridget Toole gave him abuse on Friday last at dinner hour, whilst he (the Master) was engaged at the Board room.

The Guardians directed the Master to stop her Milk for One Day.

He likewise reported that an inmate named Anne Dunne assaulted Eliza Murphy by striking her in the Women's Yard on the 12th inst.

Similar Order

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Mr. Barker Poor Law Guardian informed the Board that in accordance with this resolution of last Board day he purchased a horse for the sum of £22 from Mr. Laurenson of Ballingate in the fair of Lanure subject to the opinion of a Veterinary Surgeon. He also stated Mr. Laurenson has since handed him Certificate from Mr. Malcolm Veterinary Surgeon of the Soundness of the animal, which he will now submit to the Guardians.

It was proposed by Mr. Byrne seconded by Mr Dinch, and passed unanimously that a Cheque be passed to Mr Laurenson for the sum of £22.10.0 for the horse purchased by Mr. Barker from him for the use of the Workhouse, which is inclusive of fee to Veterinary Surgeon.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):

No. 18866 12th September 1878

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland to request that they may be informed what steps the Guardians intend to take in regard to the fencing of the Varial ground at Lacan.

The Guardians ~~[illegible]~~ the Consideration of the subject in the foregoing letter be until this day fortnight.

Warrants for the Rate Collectors Messrs Wildnghby, Burke, Doyle and Rathwell to Collect the Rate, were signed by the Chairman, two Guardians, and Countersigned by the Clerk.

An application was read from the Poor to be allowed the value of his rations paid him in money in future, which the Board disapproved

Mr. Carter gave notice that on this day fortnight he will move that the Porter be paid the value of his weekly rations in money in future.

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The Board proceeded, as advertised, to appoint a Rate Collector for the Electoral Division of Jacketstown Donaghstown and Glenmore at £12.

Applications for the Office were read from Hugh Neile, Thomas Murphy, and Philip Doyle.

Mr. Haskins proposed & Mr. Mains seconded that Hugh Neile be appointed Rate Collector.

Mr. Hayes proposed & Mr. McKinley seconded that Thomas Murphy be appointed to that Office.

Mr. Frazer proposed & Mr. Blake seconded the appointment of Philip Doyle.

The Board divided when fifteen Guardians voted for Hugh Neile, nine for Thomas Murphy, and two for Philip Doyle.

The Guardians again divided when eleven voted for Thomas Murphy, and fifteen for Hugh Neile, who was declared duly elected.

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	30
Ditto disallowed	5
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	8
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	

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

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

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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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 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 187 .

_____ *District,* - - - - £

_____ *District,* - - - - £

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Order dated _____ _____ _____ *(state subject.)*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or *Orders were made on them respectively, as follows*):—

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

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

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Amesley Loftus De Renzy
Chairman
Ralph Lawrenson
William Blake

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 20th day of September 1878

Signed, B. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of September 1878.

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	881	185
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse	50	7
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds		
Total,	931	192

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 16 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 16 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	25	44	13	10	14	8	23	12	34	188
Admitted during the Week,	23	10			3		1	3	4	44
Total	48	54	13	10	17	8	24	15	38	232
Discharged during the Week,	15	4	1		3		4	2	4	38
Died,			1						1	2
Total Discharged and Dead,	15	4	2		3		4	2	5	40
Remaining on the above date,	33	50	11	10	14	8	20	13	33	192

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	55	In separate Wards,	12
In Fever Hospital	7	In Wards with other Inmates,	
Total,	62	Total,	12

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	23	1	0	24
No. in Workhouse at date	9	0	0	9
No. at corresponding period last year		156		

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 Districts	Destitute Persons relieved Out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1).		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 20th day of September 1878

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Amesley L. De Renzy Esq
Other Guardians— Messrs Ralph Lawrenson
and William Blake.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4247 *to No.* 4296 *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. ________ *to No.* ________ *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

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

The Treasurer's act was not rec'd this week

Paid during the week - - - - - - £ ________

And that the Balance on the Account ________ *the Guardians was* £ ________

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
	Totals ...												

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was

£ 26 s. 7 d. 0

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	:	:	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	31	9	0 ✓
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	:	:	
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	3	1 ✓
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	3½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	5	10

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

333, 4 lb Loaves of Bread
7 lbs Butter
218 lbs Meat
184 Pints Sweetmilk
146 do Buttermilk

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 187 , 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, cheques on the Treasurer, and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
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.				
	Carried forward,					TOTAL,			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

85	Rev. H. C. Ellison ¼ Salary	6	5	0 ✓				
86	Rev. L. Durham do.	12	10	0 ✓				
87	Bro. Hopkins "	20	0	0 ✓	117 Byrne Chas Bag		10	6 ✓
	Same Postage	1	4	7 ✓	" Dynamd & Son, Coals		19	0 ✓
88	Michl. Doyle ¼ Salary	12	10	0 ✓	" Doyle, Coopers		18	0 ✓
89	Ann Corrigan "	6	5	0 ✓	118 Collins Dnsd ½ Superannuate	4	3	4 ✓
90	Mary Lawlor "	6	5	0 ✓	119 Michl. Doyle Conveyance	1	14	11 ✓
91	John Jordan "	6	5	0 ✓	" Same	1	14	11 ✓
92	Alfred W. Berkley "	15	0	0 ✓	120 Thos. Morton Carpenter	3	0	0
93	Thomas Quigley "	3	0	0 ✓	121 Joseph Bolger Farmer	3	0	0
94	Margt. Reilly "	4	3	3 ✓				
95	Sophia Reilly "	2	10	0 ✓				
	Same "	1	5	0 ✓				
96	Patt Norton ¼ Wages	3	18	0 ✓				
	Michl. O'Brien ¼ Contract		15	0 ✓				
97	Saml. Lovell ¼ Salary	8	0	0 ✓				
98	Robt. Reilly "	6	0	0 ✓				
108	Geo. Bmith ¼ Superannuate	5	0	0 ✓				

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
116	Samuel Lovell, Assess	23	12	6

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:—

Warrants in the Rate Collector of Blackstairs, Hacketstown, and Ummeras Electoral Divisions of this Union, to Collect the New Rates were signed by the Chairman, two Guardians, and Countersigned by the Clerk.

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

The Master reports that he placed the Lunatic Michael Doyle, in the Richmond Asylum on Saturday last the 14th inst.

That there is a new Teacher's Desk required for the School master.

The Clerk was directed to invite tenders to be considered on this day fortnight for supplying the Same.

The Master asks the Board to appoint a Committee to take Stock for half Year ending the 29th September 1878

The Clerk reported that he received Notices of Claims to be rated, which he was submitted to the Board.

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

He also apprised that he received Notice to attend the Revision Courts to be held in the next Month at Tullow, Tomriontry, Baltinglass, Shillelagh and Rathdrum under the Parliamentary Voters Acts.

The Master was directed to supply a Suit of Clothes to a Workhouse Female girl named Bridget Doyle, who is going to situation.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):

No 150. M/78. Miscellaneous 14th September 1878

Circular read from the Local Government Board relating to the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878.

No. 19250/78 19th September 1878

Form Letter read approving the appointment of Wm Hughes to the Office of Rate Collector of this Union.

\+ 18th September 1878

Circular read from the Irish Church Temporalities Commission, & a printed list of the new Rates made in this Union.

× No. 19282 19th September 1878

Form Land with reference to the proposal that the Rate of the Workhouse be allowed in future the Money value of his weekly rations, the Board desire to point out that they have always objected to a Money payment in lieu of rations as it has usually been found that the fact of the Workhouse Officers' rations being taken from the articles supplied for the use of the Inmates generally, affords a guarantee that Contractors will not be permitted to supply inferior articles

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It was proposed by Mr. Lawrence, seconded by Mr. Black and agreed unanimously, That the Poor Rate Collectors Messrs Joseph Burke ~~[illegible]~~ Denis Doyle, Hugh Neile and Robert Rathwell be allowed a rate of Remuneration of Six Pence in the Pound, and Nicholas Kavanagh Seven Pence in the Pound, on the whole Amount of their Collections in the Current Year, if, they collect and lodge with the Treasurer of the Union One Third of the amount of their Warrants by the 21st November 1878; a second Third by the 21st January following; and the remaining Third by the 21st March 1879; and that if they fail in any of these Conditions they be allowed but Three Pence Remuneration in the Pound on their entire Collections.

And also that the above named Collectors sign an agreement accordingly

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 - - - 59
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - 0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - 5

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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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 :

Wallstown *Dispensary District.*

	Account of Mr.		*for*	*Amount, £*
99	John Barry		¼ salary	25 . 0 . 0
100	Timothy Byrne		¼ Rent	1 . 15 . 0
101	Eliza Taylor		¼ Salary	1 . 15 . 0
113	John V. Barry		Fee for Lunacy case	1 . 0 . 0
Clarkistown				
102	William Cluderwin		¼ salary	25 . 0 . 0
103	Mary A. Noblett		¼ Rent	2 . 0 . 0
104	William Cooper		do.	1 . 10 . 0
Tinahely				
105	Richd. Cooly		¼ salary	25 . 0 . 0
"	Same		¼ Rent	1 . 10 . 0
106	Charles Byrne		do.	1 . 10 . 0
107	Fanny Davis		¼ salary	1 . 5 . 0
115	Richd. Cooly		Fee for Lunacy Ref.	2 . 0 . 0

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 187 .

_____ *District,* - - - - £

_____ *District,* - - - - £

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Order dated _____ _____ *(state subject.)*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or *Orders were made on them respectively, as follows*):—

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Lowtown	J. W. Buckley	Dwelling House	Yard filthy

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

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

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G. G. Newton Chm

Amb. Loftus De Renzy
Ralph Lawranson

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

	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.
109	~~Arklow~~	John W Barry Salary	2	10	0
110	Do	B O'Hanlon do	3	15	0
111	Do	Saml Cowell do	2	0	0
112	Do	Robt Lewis do	1	10	0
113	Coolattin	Jno W Barry do	3	15	0
114	Shillelagh	Wm Cudmore do	3	15	0
115	Carnew	Richd Early	3	15	0

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 27th day of September 187 8

Signed, Benj Hawkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871 *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of September 187 8

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	881	179										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	10										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	931	189										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			33	50	11	10	14	8	20	13	33	192
Admitted during the Week,			19	10	1	2	3	3	5	1	1	45
TOTAL			52	60	12	12	17	11	25	14	34	237
Discharged during the Week,			32	6	1		3		4		1	47
Died,						1						1
Total Discharged and Dead,			32	6	1	1	3		4		1	48
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			20	54	11	11	14	11	21	14	33	189

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		
Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital 56	In separate Wards, 12	
In Fever Hospital 10	In Wards with other Inmates,	
Total, 66	Total, 12	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	14	3	5	22
No. in Workhouse at date	0	0	0	0

No. at corresponding period last year 165

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 Districts	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.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

Relief Districts	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.
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 27th day of September 187 8.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Geo G Newton V J P V C
Other Guardians— Mons James Byrne D L V C
James Hopkins, Thomas Barker, Jno Carter,
Charles Byrne, Ralph Lawranson, A L DeRenzy,
Edward Grange, and William Blake.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4297 *to No.* 4319 *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. ______ *to No.* ______ *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

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

Paid during the week - - - - - - £______

And that the Balance on the Account ______ *the Guardians was* £______

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Treasurer's acct was not recd this week

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
	Totals ...												

Note—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot of *each* Collector's District, as wel. 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
£ 32 s. 12 d. 5

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	:	:	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	32	0	7
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	:	:	
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	3½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	5	10

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

340 4lb. Loaves of Bread
10 lbs. Butter
209 lbs. Meat
184 Gallons Oatmeal
60 do. Buttermilk
6 Night Chairs
1 Cwt Sugar
2 Gallons Whiskey

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 187 , 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, cheques on the Treasurer, and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
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.				
	Carried forward,					TOTAL,			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.
124 Michl. Darcy Tailor Wages	7	14	0½
125 Thomas Tierney Shoemaker	7	18	0½

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.
122 Mary Chambers Superannuation	5	10	11½
123 Thomas Doyle ¼ Contract	8	15	0½
126 Robt. Lewis Conveyance		19	0½
" Saml. Lowe do	1	9	0½
" B. Hopkins Railway Cost		7	3½

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

The 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 Master reported that Mary Dunne aged 16, and Jane Gayner aged 14 lately admitted to Fever Hospital have been discharged therefrom and are now in the body of the House, Dunne left her situation to get in and Gayner came from her mother who is living at Mr. Handy's Cadnel. To be discharged in the Morning.

The Master suggested that this would be a good time to advertise for Straw.

The Clerk was directed to invite Tenders to be considered on this day fortnight, to supply the Workhouse with Straw.

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Circular read from the Office of the Chief Secretary, Dublin Gazette, forwarding Copies of Orders in Council under the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act 1878:

The Clerk was directed to advertise for a person to act as Veterinary Inspector and Valuer, under the foregoing Act for this Union, to be appointed on this day fortnight at a fee per Case, or Salary per Month, inclusive of travelling expenses as the Guardians may decide.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):

No. 13,750. '78 — 24th Sept 1878.

Order for payment read from the Local Government Board out of the Parliamentary Grant as the proportion of the actual Expenses incurred by the Guardians of this Union on the half-Year ended the 25th March last for Salaries or additional Salaries of Officers appointed under the Public Health (Ireland) Act 1874 viz:

The Consulting Sanitary Officer
Executive do. £21 : 0 : 0
Sanitary Officers
do. Clerks do.

No. 19689, 1878 — 26th September 1878.

Form dated re returns to the Valuation of the New Rate stopping to allow Annuitation at the rate of 1/6 in the £. to Poor Rate Collectors Burke, Doyle, Neill and Rathwell, and 9d in the £. to Collector Wainright, provided that they Collect and lodge with the Treasurer of the Union One Third of the amount of their Warrants by the 21st November next, a second Third by the 20th January following and the remainder by the 21st March 1879; and the Board desire to express their approval of this proposal.

No. 19689 — 26th September 1878

Form dated to acknowledge receipt of Minutes of the Board of Guardians of this Union on the 20th Instant, from which they observe that the Master requested the Guardians to appoint a Committee to take Stock of Workhouse property for the half year ended 29th Instant; and the Board desire to point out that the Guardians made no order on this Subject, and they request that attention may be given to the Master with reference to the requirements of Article 64 to 244 of the Workhouse Rules.

The Board appointed Messrs. William Blake and James Hopkins, Poor Law Guardians, with the Clerk as a Committee to take Stock of Provisions Clothing &c. for the half year ended the 29th inst.

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The Board being specially summoned to Consider Public Health Act of 1878 in regard to the fencing of Burial Grounds in this Union.

The Guardians agree unanimously that Mr Clapton, Clerk of Union, be appointed the Burial Board Clerk of this Union at a Salary of £12 per annum subject to the approval of the Local Government Board.

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 - - - -

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

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

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

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

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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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 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 , *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 187 .

_____ *District,* - - - - £

_____ *District,* - - - - £

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or *Orders were made on them respectively, as follows*):—

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

The Clerk was directed to transmit Notice, Form No. 6, under Article 5 of Dispensary Regulations, to persons who have ceased to be Members of the Local Committee of Management in the Union.

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

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

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T. Hyndman chairman

James Moore

Thomas M. Baker

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

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Medical Of
the Board
dians, ha
viz., on the 3
and 31st Dec

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 4th day of October 187 8.

Signed, Benj. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

No. UNION.

To the Master of the *Union Workhouse, at*

ADMIT Aged Wife

and Children, chargeable to the

al Division. Division in this Union.

186 *By the Board of Guardians, this* *day of*

irman. Signed

ALEX. THOM, 87 & 88, Abbey-st. Dublin. (N.232.)

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FORM 14.

CLOTHING RECEIPT BOOK.

When Recd.	Whence received—from Tradesman, or Clothing Store	No. of Invoice	Folio in Clothing Materials Book	Bedding					Men's Clothing										Women's Clothing										Boys' Clothing										Girls' Clothing									
				Sheets	Blankets	Rugs	Bedticks	Bolsters	Coats	Waistcoats	Trowsers	Shirts	Shoes	Stockings	Hats	Handkerchiefs	~~Caps~~ Hats		Gowns	Petticoats	Shifts	Aprons	Handkerchiefs	Shoes	Stockings	Caps	Bonnets	Flannel Vests		Coats	Waistcoats	Trowsers	Shirts	Shoes	Stockings	Hats	Handkerchiefs	Caps	Smock Frocks	Jackets		Frocks	Petticoats	Shifts	Aprons	Shoes	Stockings	Handkerchiefs	Bonnets	Caps	Bibs
	Condemned Clothing			7	3	3	1	5	1	5	1	0	—	4	8	12	2	9	8	1	9	—	1	~~20~~ 20 ~~35~~ 35	3	4	7	8	3	3	2	8	1	8	5	2	6	17	8	12	~~25~~ 25	11	18	20	—	—	49	23	7	3	4	6	2	2	3	1	—	—	—
	From Hospital			6	5	~~8~~ 5																							3	2																							
				7	9	3	6	2	0	1	5	1	0	4	8	12	2	9	8	1	9	1	20	35	34	78	36	30	18	5	2	6	17	8	12	25	11	18	20			49	23	7	3	4	8	2	2	3	1			

We the Committee appointed to take Stock of Provisions & Clothing for Half Year ended 25th March 1878, recommend the foregoing articles of Clothing to be condemned as unfit for future Clothing use.

Thomas M. Barker
Richard Boyden
Benj. Appleton
} Poor Law Guardians

It was proposed by Mr. Charles Byrne seconded by Mr. James Moore and passed unanimously that the above recommendation be adopted.

Charles Byrne

40	67	128	239	119		57	65	60	84	39	46	29		148	214	203	178	168	65	101	27	242	2		45	59	67	36	30	21	46			141	166	151	224	72	67	35	59					

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When Recd.	Where received—from Tradesman, or Clothing Store	No. of Invoice	Folio in Clothing Materials Book	Bedding					Men's Clothing										Women's Clothing										Boys' Clothing									Girls' Clothing								
				Sheets	Blankets	Rugs	Bedticks	Bolsters	Coats	Waistcoats	Trowsers	Shirts	Shoes	Stockings	Hats	Handkerchiefs	Caps		Gowns	Petticoats	Shifts	Aprons	Handkerchiefs	Shoes	Stockings	Caps	Bonnets	Flannel Vests		Coats	Waistcoats	Trowsers	Shirts	Shoes	Stockings	Hats	Handkerchiefs	Caps	Smock Frocks		Frocks	Petticoats	Shifts	Aprons	Shoes	Stockings	Handkerchiefs	Bonnets	Caps	Bibs

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FORM 14. Stock taken 30th year ending 25th March 1878. CLOTHING RECEIPT BOOK.

When Recd.	Whence received—from Tradesman, or Clothing Store	No. of Invoice	Folio in Clothing Materials Book	Bedding: Sheets	Blankets	Rugs	Bedticks	Bolsters	Men's Clothing: Coats	Waistcoats	Trowsers	Shirts	Shoes	Stockings	Hats	Handkerchiefs	Flannels
	Store Room			17	27	23	15	2				21		4		2	
	Mentors Do			4	5	2	2	1 2									
	Masters Do			4	5	3	2	1									
	Boys' Dormitory			12	12	6	8	.									
	Schoolmasters' Do			3	5	1	2	1									
	Mens Do			4	5	2	2	1									
	Old mens Ward			10 14	15 21	5 8	5 8	4 8	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	3	7
	Workshop											3					
	Clothes Store								12	20	17				23		28
	Boys School																
	Girls Do																
	" Dormitory 1			26	27	13	13	.									
	Do 2			17	21	9	9	2									
	Schoolmistress			6	7	3	2	1									
	Womens Ward			12	22	11	11	2									
	Old Womens Do			20	20	11	11	7									
	Nursery No. 1			5	10	6	9										
	" No. 2			8	16	9	10	-									
	Female Idiot Ward			22	18	13	9	9									
Infirmary	Lying in Ward			17	11	12	6	5									
	Work Room			10	15	10	5	5									
	Middle Room			14	20	10	6	6									
	Long Room			48	61	24	20	19									
	Old Mens Ward			11	16	7	5	6			3	3	3	7	1	2	1
	Nurses Room			4	5	2	2	1 4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
				288	364	190	162	81 6	30	38	35	43	19	12	136	6	4

When Recd.	Whence received—from Tradesman, or Clothing Store	Women's Clothing: Gowns	Petticoats	Shifts	Aprons	Handkerchiefs	Shoes	Stockings	Caps	Bonnets	Flannel Vests	Boys' Clothing: Coats	Waistcoats	Trowsers	Shirts	Shoes	Stockings	Hats	Handkerchiefs	Caps	Smock Frocks
	Store Room	20	33	18	14	27		8	3	8					21		8				
	Mentors Do																				
	Masters Do																				
	Boys' Dormitory																				
	Schoolmasters' Do																				
	Mens Do																				
	Old mens Ward																				
	Workshop														1						
	Clothes Store											29	45	45				26	26		
	Boys School											11	11	11	11	11	11	11			
	Girls Do																				
	" Dormitory 1																				
	Do 2																				
	Schoolmistress																				
	Womens Ward	11	41	20	22	10	10	11	2	1	1										
	Old Womens Do	8	28	16	16	7	8	11	14	6	7										
	Nursery No. 1	7	27	14	14	10	7	7													
	" No. 2	5	7	5	10	10	5	4	3	3	-	-	-								
	Female Idiot Ward	11	31	22	18	18	6	9	6	4	2										
Infirmary	Lying in Ward	2	4	6	4	4	1	2	4	.	22										
	Work Room	2	8	4	4	4	1	2		1	2										
	Middle Room	2	7	4	4	4	2	3	6	-	7										
	Long Room	10	33	38	23	25	6	30	-	-	7										
	Old Mens Ward	.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6										
	Nurses Room																				
		78	237	182	134	123	49	86	30	15	42	2	40	56	56	31	12	19	37		

When Recd.	Whence received—from Tradesman, or Clothing Store	Girls' Clothing: Frocks	Petticoats	Shifts	Aprons	Shoes	Stockings	Handkerchiefs	Bonnets	Caps	Bibs
	Store Room	50	33	20	6	4	6	10	17		
	Mentors Do										
	Masters Do										
	Boys' Dormitory										
	Schoolmasters' Do										
	Mens Do										
	Old mens Ward										
	Workshop				1						
	Clothes Store										
	Boys School										
	Girls Do	28	57	56	56	27	45	35	54		4 Spares
	" Dormitory 1				57						
	Do 2										
	Schoolmistress										
	Womens Ward	14	14	14	10	6	6	-	-	-	-
	Old Womens Do										
	Nursery No. 1	12	12	12	12	4	6				
	" No. 2	14	14	14	14	5	5	-	-	-	-
	Female Idiot Ward	1	2	2	2	1	1				
Infirmary	Lying in Ward	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Work Room	3	6	6	6	2	4				
	Middle Room	3	6	6	6	2	4	-	-	-	-
	Long Room	7	7	6	7	1	2	-	-	-	-
	Old Mens Ward	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Nurses Room										
		134	150	136	231 177	65	83	35	58		

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CLOTHING RECEIPT BOOK.

When Rec'd.	Whence received—from Tradesman, or Clothing Store	No. of Invoice	Folio in Clothing Materials Book	Bedding					Men's Clothing									Women's Clothing									Boys' Clothing									Girls' Clothing									
				Sheets	Blankets	Rugs	Bedticks	Bolsters	Coats	Waistcoats	Trowsers	Shirts	Shoes	Stockings	Hats	Handkerchiefs	Caps	Flannels	Gowns	Petticoats	Shifts	Aprons	Handkerchiefs	Shoes	Stockings	Caps	Bonnets	Flannel Vests	Coats	Waistcoats	Trowsers	Shirts	Shoes	Stockings	Hats	Handkerchiefs	Caps	Smock Frocks	Frocks	Petticoats	Shifts	Aprons	Shoes	Stockings	Handkerchiefs	Bonnets	Caps	Bibs
	Brought Forward			288	344	100	162	81	30	38	35	23	19	21	36	6	3/4	1/4	78	227	152	34	23	49	86	30	15	42	40	56	56	31	12	17	37	—	1	0	134	150	136	231	65	83	35	58	0	54
	Men's Middle room			5	7	3	3	3				2																										1	1	1	1	1	1			1	1
	Long Room			42	51	26	14	10	11	11	11	20	6	6	1			2	2	10	4	6	24	—	1																							
	Male Idiot Ward			8	9	4	4	1	4	4	4	4	4	2	..																																
	Laundry			1	1	—	15	—	4	6	7	—	—	—	—																							15	—	—	—	—	—				
	Inside Assistants																		9	2	1	4	1	2	1	0	—	—																			
	Male Probationers			6	12	6	6	—																																						
	Female Do			2	4	2	2	—																																						
	Porters Lodge			4	4	1	1	—																																						
	Laundry			2	3	2	1	—																														1									
	Mr Davey & Martha																		2	6	4	4	2	2	2		2																				
	Fever Hospitals			50	51	50	27	24	6	8	6	12			1				7	7	6	7	7	—	32				6	5	6	7	2	4	1	—	1	—	6	7	10	8						
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	Nurses			6	6	3	2	1																																						
				404	572	285	237	121	45	76	69	65	82	29	31	46	6		9	109	313/313	207/207	79	76	64	111	32	16	46	46	62	67	38	14	23	88	0	1	0	145	164	153	246/246	68	88	35	58	1	0	1

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