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1 & 2 Vict., Cap. 56; 10 & 11 Vict., Cap. 31; 10 & 11 Vict., Cap. 90; and [illegible]

MINUTE BOOK.

Oct 1868
April 1869

Ballinrobe Union.

Thomas Mary, Clerk of Union
16th October 1868.

THE MINUTE BOOK, in which shall be entered the statistical information laid before the Board of Guardians relating to the inmates of the Workhouse, the collection of the Rates, and the state of the Finances of the Union; Minutes of all Orders received from the Commissioners for administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland, and of all Letters received from the Commissioners or other parties relating to the business of the Union, and of all directions given by the Board of Guardians thereon; Minutes of the production and examination of the Register, and all other Books and Accounts which are required to be periodically produced, examined and signed; Minutes of the Reports of the Visiting and Finance Committees, and of the Clerk, the Master, and other Officers of the Workhouse, and of all directions given by the Board thereon; Minutes of all [illegible] received and paid, all orders and checks given, all accounts examined and allowed, and all salaries [illegible], a statement of the number of cases of provisional relief, and of applications for relief, brought [illegible] and considered and decided on by them; as well as all other business, proceedings, and transactions of the Board of Guardians, at any of their Meetings.

Order of the Poor Law Commissioners.

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OF WHOM MAY BE HAD
THE BOOKS AND FORMS REQUIRED BY THE IRISH POOR RELIEF AND MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS.

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Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861—31.558

Present Net Annual Value, £60.228.4.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of October 1868

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,	579	205										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	nil										
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	644	205										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,				10	48	57	6	8	28	41	13	211
Admitted during the Week,			1	1	3	3	1					9
TOTAL,			1	11	51	60	7	8	28	41	13	220
Discharged during the Week,			"	"	1	4	2	1	4	2	1	15
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,					1	4	2	1	4	2	1	15
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			1	11	50	56	5	7	24	39	12	205

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,	
In Fever Hospital,	nil	In Wards with other Inmates,	2
Total,	58	Total,	2

OBSERVATIONS.

No. at corresponding period last year. 244

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24 day of October 1868, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Persons.	Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Persons.
No. I.	2	2			2	2	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	3	4			3	4	No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	5	6			5	6	TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday **the** 29th **day of** October **1868.**

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Robert Tighe Esq

Other Guardians:—

Hankope Kenny, Thomas Tighe, and John Greene, Esquires.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4052 to No. 4110 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

That he wrote to the Clerk of the Charlton Union relative to the irregularity in the Warrant of Removal of Bridget Burke and her children, to which he received no reply.

The Master informed the Board that Bridget Burke and her Children arrived at the Workhouse on Saturday the 24th inst., but applied for her discharge on her arrival, which was given her, and she, and her children returned to Claremarris that evening.

The Clerk reported that he had received from the "Sisters of Mercy" of Ballinrobe Convent, a sum of Ten Shillings, being the price of the building stones which they purchased from the Board of Guardians.

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 . . . . . £ nil : :

Paid during the week, ... £ 51 : 6 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 324 : 2 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.	Remaining. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.
John Mollett	Ballinrobe				
	Ballinchalla			1/4	
	Ballyavey				
	Burriscarra			1/4	
	Cappaghduff			3/4	
	Caandrel			3/4	
	Dalgan			3/4	
	Hollymount			1/2	
	Kilmaine				
	Kilcommon			1/2	
	Neale				
	Newbrook			3/4	
	Owenbrum			3/4	
	Portrayal			3/4	
	Raslee			1/4	
	Shrule			3/4	
					7
Thomas Grady	Cong			3/4	
	Haundswood			1/4	
					1
				£	8

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts [illegible]

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 Reelief 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, £42. 5 s. 11¼ d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	29	: 18 :	10¾
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		: 2 :	7¾
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		: 3 :	6½
Average Cost in Fever Hospitals		: :	

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:

3lbs of Tea, 10lb of Sugar, 4 Pieces Wrench, 2 Yards Calico, 4 Pair Pease, 36 Bottles of Cocoa Nut Matting 1 XX Pair, 98lb of Yellow Soap. 14 Yds Matting, 2 Do Each, 1 Do Each, 7lb of Shot, 2 Do Candle Candles, 12lb of dipt Candles, 1lb of Pepper, 1500lbs of white Wood, 1 Ton of Brown Bread, 160 Yds of Sheeting, 360 Gallons of Skim Milk, 80 Pieces of Yeast, 1

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 24 day of Oct 1866, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -		15.	0
In kind, - - - -		Nil	
Total, - - -	£	15.	0

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the followeng 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.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account. £ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account. £ s. d.

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

The 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:—

No report from the Master this day

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

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

Letter from George Abbott Esq. Sub Inspr. R. I. Constabulary, at which the following is a copy:—

Ballinrobe, 27th October 1848

R.I.C

Sir,

As about 100 additional men of the R. I. Constabulary may be sent here to preserve the peace at the Election for whom no accommodation can be procured in the town,

I request the Guardians will be so good as to appropriate to their use a few rooms which I understand can be spared in the workhouse during the few nights the men may be in town,

Bedding not required, straw will answer.

Reply requested —

I am Sir,
Your obedt. Servant
George Abbott
Sub Inspr.

Straw for bed

The Clerk of the Union,
Ballinrobe.

In reference to the foregoing Letter, it was Unanimously Resolved That the Board feels much pleasure in complying with Mr. Abbott's request in providing accommodation for the Constabulary for such time as they may require it; and the Master is authorized to place at Mr. Abbott's disposal the Boys School-Room and one of the Boys' empty dormitories, ~~an~~ arrangement which will not interfere with the classification and discipline of the Workhouse Inmates.

The Master is also authorized to procure a supply of Straw for the requirements of the Constabulary.

Letter from Mr. John Maher, late Schoolmaster, dated 28th October 1848, applying for payment of the Superannuation allowance which will be due him on the 24th of Decr. next, upon which it was Resolved That the Board declines to entertain his application.

Resolved That Collectors Mallett and Grady be required to attend the Board at Guardians on Thursday next, in order to receive their warrants for the collection of the Rate which will be signed on that day.

Resolved That the Board accepts the Tender of Michael Fearick to supply on or before the 1st of Nov. next.

20 pairs of Men's shoes at 8/6 per.
10 pairs of Boys' shoes at 7/0 per.
10 pairs of Women's shoes at 6/0 per.

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 - - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	7
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -	nil
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -	nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	nil

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
5th day of November 1868
(Signed) Thomas Clay
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Ballinrobe UNION,
on Thurs day, the 29th day of October 1868.—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District,*

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

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

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

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject)*

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners *dated* 27th Octr 1868 —
~~stating that~~
requesting the Clerk to prepare for the Printer the Notice of the Dispensary and Vaccination arrangements in the Long Dispensary District, — The Clerk reports that he has communicated with the Hon^r Secretary of the Dispensary Committee with a view of obtaining information to enable him to do so.

Robt. Fe the
Chairman

Signed,

Thomas Clay
Clerk of the Union

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Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31, 558

Present Net Annual Value, £ 57, 756, 12 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st **day of** Octr 1868

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building.	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,	519	225										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	nil										
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	584	225										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	11	50	56	5	7	21	39	12	205
Admitted during the Week,				4	3	5	,	4	3	4	2	25
Total,			1	15	53	61	5	11	27	43	14	230
Discharged during the Week,			"	"	"	4	"	"	"	1		5
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	"	"	4	"	"	"	1		5
Remaining on the above date,			1	15	53	57	5	11	27	42	14	225

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,	62	In separate Wards,	2
In Fever Hospital,	nil	In Wards with other Inmates,	2
Total,	62	Total,	2

OBSERVATIONS.

No. at corresponding period last year. 255

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 31st **day of** October 1868, **authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.**

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	2	2			2	2
No. II.	2	2			2	2
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Total forwarded.	4	4			4	4

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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. forwd.						
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 the* 5th *day of* November 1868.

Present: *In the Chair,* Robert Fe the Esq

Other Guardians—

Thomas Fe the, Thomas Brown, & the Honble Denis Bingham

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4191 to No. 4192 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

That he forwarded to George Abbott Esq. Sub Insp.r a copy of the Resolution granting accommodation in the Poor House to two Men of the Kilcommon Party during the Election.

That he informed Mr. Coker, late Schoolmaster, that the Board declined to entertain his application for renewal of the superannuation allowance which will cease from on 24th December next.

That he forwarded to Ballinlaw Mollott, and Grady copies of the Resolution requiring them to attend the Board this day.

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 . . . . . £185 : 0 : 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 3 : 17 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 505 : 5 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.	Remaining. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.
John Mollott	Ballinlahe			256 1 9	
	Ballinclalla			19 19 8½	
	Ballymore			27 11 0½	
	Clerkecastle			78 14 4½	
	Coppaghduff			25 10 10½	
	Crandel			45 19 2½	
	Dalcan			179 8 10½	
	Hollymount			229 8 8	
	Kilmaine			231 14 7½	
	Kilcommon			198 7 5	
	Knock			822 16 6½	
	Neobrack			163 19 5½	
	Queenstown			21 8 1½	
	Rathmore			78 14 10½	
	Raslee			73 17 3½	
	Shrule			160 7 4½	
					2813 4 11½
Thomas Grady	Cong			194 10 8½	
	Headmount			186 13 1½	
					380 3 9½
				£	3193 8 9

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 1 . 8 . 8 was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made thereon 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 appears that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £28. 10 s. 5 3/4 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	39	15	5
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7 1/2
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	6 3/4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...			

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

Bags of Wheat Flour, supplemental, 80 Boxes of Soap, 6 Balls of Soda, 12 lbs of Pepper, 3 [illegible] of Stone, 2 Dozen Needles, — Balls of Twine, 36 Balls Nails amounting to Seven pence, [illegible], 28 lbs of Yellow Soap, ½ Doz of Curtain Rings — 14 lbs of Washing Soda, 9 lbs of [illegible] 1 Doz Brush Handles. 1 Pair Bands, 9 lbs of Flour, 9 lbs of Mould Candles, 16 Pint Dish Candles, [illegible] lbs of Salt, 1500 lbs of Potatoes, [illegible] Bread, 170 lbs of Brown Biscuit, 60 Gallons of new Milk, 80 [illegible] amounting to £ 1 . 5 . 0.

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 31st day of Oct 1868; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,		11	0
In kind,		—	—
Total,	£	11	0

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII.				
No. IX.				
Car. forwd.				

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
Bt. forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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.
1. Elections, Law & other Expenses, &c.			
To Mary, Clerk of Union, allowance for posting collecting Warrants copied	5	0	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
To Almanack for Officer Requisites		0	0

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with above sum.

3. Account of Maintenance of Poor, Provisions, &c.

	£	s.	d.
To Union, for Half Years pension for Allowance to a deaf and dumb named Mary Ann Sparks	5	10	0

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

4. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
P. Monahan, for Groceries	7	8	4
Matthew Moran, for Meal	14	13	6
Alfred Bermingham for White Bread	41	0	10
Patrick Monahan, for New Milk	38	1	3
Patrick Teigue for Turf	11	17	6
Alfred Bermingham for Brown Bread	2	8	5
Alfred Bermingham for Indian Meal	9	18	4
Patrick Monahan for Oatmeal	14	15	0

Debit Workhouse Invoice Acct. and Credit Treasurer with above sums

5, Petty Disbursements Acct.

Clerk of Union to provide for	5	2	5

Debit ~~Workhouse Invoice~~ Petty Disb 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:—

No report from the Master this day

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

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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No. 153-22/68, dated 2d November, 1868, requesting to be furnished with a Return of the particulars respecting the Rates made, and agreed upon during month of October, 1868.

Circular Letter from same No. 25,877, 68, dated 3d Nov. 1868, transmitting a Draft on the Bank of Ireland for the Sum of One hundred and Eighty five pounds, on account of the Parliamentary Grant of last Session as Medical and Educational purposes,

£ 135. 0. 0

Receipt [illegible] the [illegible]

A Receipt for the amount of the Draft, was signed by the Chairman and two Guardians, and countersigned by the Clerk of the Union,

The Rate Books for the several Electoral Divisions of the Union were produced by the Clerk, having been duly certified by him as being in conformity with the Valuation now in force in the Ballinrobe Union, upon which the said Rate Books were adopted by the Meeting and signed by the Presiding Chairman and two Guardians present thereat.

The following Abstract shows the particulars of the Rate on each Electoral Division, as appears at foot of the Rate Books signed this day.

Names of Electoral Divisions	Net Annual Value £	S	D	Poundage of Rate S	D	Amount of Rate £	S	D
Ballinrobe	8195	1	0	2	4	956	1	54
Ballinchalla	436	0	0	"	11	19	19	4
Ballyovey	661	5	0	"	10	27	11	0
Burriscarra	2961	12	0	"	8	98	14	54
Cappaghduff	766	6	0	"	8	25	10	1
Cong	3112	10	0	1	3	194	10	1
Caonard	1838	4	0	"	6	46	19	1
Dalgan	4785	6	0	"	9	179	3	10
Hollymount	1289	18	0	"	10	120	8	[illegible]
Houndswood	3182	12	0	1	2	155	12	1
Kilmaine	6179	7	0	"	7	221	14	1
Kilcommon	5290	1	0		7	193	7	
Neale	4557	14	0	1	5	322	16	1
Newbrook	4352	11	0	"	7	153	4	
Owenbrim	513	14	0	"	10	21	3	1
Portrayal	1769	16	0	"	10	78	14	10
Roslee	2815	17	0	"	5	70	17	
Shrule	3848	16	0	"	10	160	7	4
Total	£ 59956	12	0			3177	8	1

Disclosed

Resolved That the Clerk be directed to give Notice of the Rates having been made, and authorized to employ proper persons to pact the notices throughout the Union, at an expense not exceeding One Pound.

In pursuance of the Provisions of the Act 23 Vic Cap 4. the Board of Guardians in order to make valid Rating in the Rate Books of the Union, made several departures not affecting Value, from the particulars contained in the Valuation Lists, and the Clerk was directed to report such departures to the Commissioner of Valuation.

The Collecting Warrants for the following Electoral Divisions were duly signed, sealed, and handed to the Collectors, who were in attendance;— Ballinvoke Ballinchalla. Ballyvoy. Burriscarra. Cappaghduff Cagnard. Dalgan, Hallymount. Kilmaine, Kilcommon, Neald, Newbrook. Owenbrum. Partoyal. Raslee. Shrule. Cong. and Haundswood Electoral Divisions,

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -	2
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	3
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -	nil
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -	nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	nil

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

A School-boy named John Walsh, aged 14 Years, who has been for a long period an Inmate of the Workhouse, applied for his discharge, having obtained employment with a Tailor, upon which it was Resolved That the Master be authorized to grant his discharge, and to procure Clothes suitable to his requirements, expense not to exceed One pound five Shillings,

A Tender was received from Mr. Mary Armstrong to supply potatoes to 8" Mary next, at 3 per stone — The Tender was rejected, the price being considered excessive,

Bob. Tighe
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the 12th day of November 1868

(Signed) Thomas Clay
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Barnsley UNION, on Thurs day, the 5th day of November 1868.—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

29,

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

_____ *Dispensary District,*

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

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

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

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject)*

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

Read Letter from ____ dated ____ stating that

The Clerk reports that he got printed 50 copies of the Dispensary and Vaccination arrangements in the Long Dispensary Period, and that a sufficient number of copies would be published in the District on the 6th instant,

Robt Tighe
Chairman

[Signed]

Thomas Clay
Clerk of the Union.

By Authority: Printed by Alexander Thom, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31.558

Present Net Annual Value, £ 59.956-12 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of Nov. 1868

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be conveniently contained in each building.	Total No. of Inmates belonging to 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,	579	227										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	nil										
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	644	227										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,		1	1	16	53	57	5	11	27	42	14	225
Admitted during the Week,			1	1	4	4	.	1	.	1	1	13
Total,		2	2	17	57	61	5	12	27	43	15	238
Discharged during the Week,			—	1	3	3	.	.	.	2	2	11
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,				1	3	3				2	2	11
Remaining on the above date,			2	16	54	58	5	12	27	41	13	227

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, nil
In Fever Hospital, nil	In Wards with other Inmates, 2
Total, 58	Total, 2

OBSERVATIONS.

No. at corresponding period last year. 233

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7th day of Nov. 1868, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	2	2			2	2
No. II.	3	3			3	3
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Total forward	5	5			5	5

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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. forwd.						
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 the 13th day of November 1868.

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Robert Tighe Esq

Other Guardians:—

Charles Morris Knox, Benjamin Lomas,
Thomas Tighe, Nicholas Walsh, Thomas Lloyd
James Eyres

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4121 to No. 4138 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

That Collectors of the Rates, having been made, were posted in each Electoral Division of the Union.

That he forwarded to the Commissioner of Valuation, a Report of the departures made in the Rate Books from the particulars contained in the Valuation Lists.

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 . . . . . £ 71 : : :

Paid during the week, ... £ 185 : 17 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 319 : 5 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.	Remaining. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.
John Mollett	Ballymakee			356 1 9	
	Ballinaballa			19 17 8½	
	Ballyaveg			27 11 0½	
	Berrihy cashel			98 11 4½	
	Cappaghduff			95 10 10½	
	Carnacot			96 19 2½	
	Dalgan			179 8 10½	
	Knockmarmont			220 8 8	
	Kilmanna			231 14 7½	
	Kilcommon			138 7 5	
	Neale			322 16 7½	
	Tinclash			143 4 5½	
	Tycanbeg			21 8 11½	
	Tyrone			73 11 10½	
	Tyrglob			73 17 8½	
	Shrule			140 1 4	
					2819 4 11½
Thomas Grady	Oma			194 19 8½	
	Waunsmead			186 13 1½	
					380 3 9½
				£	3199 8 9

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £29. 18 s. 4½ d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	32	0	8
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7½
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	6¾
~~Average Cost in Fever Hospital,~~			

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

[illegible] 12 lbs of [illegible], 2 [illegible] of Part [illegible], 30 Bottles [illegible], 28 lbs of Yellow soap, 14 lbs of Washing Soda, 2 lbs of [illegible], 3 lbs of [illegible], 2 lbs of [illegible], 16 lbs of dept Candles, [illegible] of Rice, 150 lbs of Meat, 1400 lbs of white Bread, 300 lbs [illegible] Bread, 400 Gallons of [illegible], 50 Boxes of Snuff,

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 7 day of Nov. 1868, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -		15	0
In kind, - - - -			
Total, - - - £		15	0

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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:

	£	s.	d.
~~1. Clothing Account,~~			
~~Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.~~			
~~2. Establishment Account.~~			
1. Acct. of Maintenance in Deaf and Dumb Asylum,			
D. O'Brien, for half year's pension for Maintenance &c. of a Deaf Mute, named John Browne.	5	0	0
Debit ~~Establishment~~ above Account and Credit Treasurer with ~~the several sums as above~~.	5	0	0

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 Dr. Raughan, Poor Law Inspector, visited the Workhouse at Seven O'Clock P.M. on Saturday the 7th Inst.

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

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

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The Revd. Thomas Hardiman, Roman Catholic Chaplain, having either lost or mislaid a Cheque for £15, drawn in his favor on the 26th. of Septr. last

It is Resolved That a duplicate of the Cheque be now drawn on the Treasurer,

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 - - - - - - -	Nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	4
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -	1
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - -	1
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - -	Nil
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	Nil

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
19th day of November 1868
(Signed) Thomas Clay
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Ballinrobe UNION, on Thurs day, the 12th day of Nov. 1868.—*continued.*

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Ballynacourt *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 Estimate was approved of, and order made upon the Contractors to supply the Medicines &c. specified therein.

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

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

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

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

_____ *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.]

15

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to 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 8 1/ and 8 2/) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

31.

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Robt. Tighe
Chairman

(Signed)

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

By Authority: Printed by Alexander Thom, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

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Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31.558.

Present Net Annual Value, £59.956.12 4

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14" day of Nov. 1868

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,	579	224										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	nil										
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	644	224										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			2	15	54	58	5	12	27	41	13	227
Admitted during the Week,			1	2	2	2	1	1	"	"	1	10
Total,			3	17	56	60	6	13	27	41	14	237
Discharged during the Week,			2	2	1	2	1	1			1	10
Died,						1						1
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	2	1	3	1	1			1	11
Remaining on the above date,			1	15	55	57	5	12	27	41	13	226

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,	
In Fever Hospital,	nil	In Wards with other Inmates,	2
Total,	58	Total,	2

Observations.

No. at corresponding period last year. 234

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14" day of Nov. 1868, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	2	2			2	2	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	3	3			3	3	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.						
Bt. forward	5	5			5	5	Total.						

COPY *of* **MINUTES** *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Thursday *the* 19" *day of* November 1868.

Present: *In the Chair,* Robert Tighe Esq

Other Guardians:— Ranhope Kenny. Thomas Tighe. Christopher Bowen. Nicholas Walsh. and [illegible] Esquires

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4137 to No. 4148 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, ... £ 9 : 0 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 310 : 5 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.
John Mellett	Ballinrobe							756	1	9			
	Ballinchalla							19	19	8¼			
	Ballyovey							27	11	0¾			
	Burriscana							98	14	4½			
	Cappaghduff							25	10	10¼			
	Coonard							45	19	2¼			
	Dalgan							179	8	10½			
	Hollymount							220	8	3			
	Kilmaine							231	14	7½			
	Kilcommon							198	7	5			
	Neale							322	16	9¼			
	Newbrook							163	4	5¾			
	Owenbrum							21	8	1¾			
	Partryal							73	14	10¼			
	Roslee							73	17	3¼			
	Shrule							160	7	4			
											2817	4	11¼
Thomas Grady	Cong							194	10	8¼			
	Havendsword							185	13	1½			
											380	3	9¾
											£ 11		1

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 4. 14. 8 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. 0 s. 7¼ d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	32	1	7½
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7¼
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	6
~~Average Cost in Fever Hospital,~~			

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

2 lb of Tea, 12 lb of Sugar, 2 Bottles of Port Wine, 24 Bottles of XX Porter, 28 lb of Yellow Soap, 14 lb of Washing Soda, 2 lb of Starch, 1/2 lb of Blue, 2 lb of Mould Candles, 16 lb of dipt Candles, 1 lb of Pepper, 150 lb of Meat, 1600 lb of whole Bread, 300 lb of Brown Bread, 410 Gallons of new Milk, 85 Boxes of Turf.

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 14th day of Nov. 1868, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -		15.	0
In kind, - - - -		nil	
Total, - - - £		15.	0

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	John Kelly	4. 0. 0			Bt. forward				
No. II.	John Hynes	4. 0. 0			No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.		8. 0. 0			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.
Michael Fearick for Shoes	15	14	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
John Flannery, for Utensils	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.
Clerk of Union. to provide for.	8	0	5

Petty Disb

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:

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

No report from the Master this day

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

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

The Clerk reports that up to the present date, he has not received from the Poor Rate Collectors, nor from any Rate-payer, a List of tenements or hereditaments requiring revision for any of the reasons set forth in Secn. 4 of Act 17th Vic cap 8.

In reference to the Clerk's report the Board has to remark that as the Collectors only received their Warrants on the 5th Instant, they have not had sufficient time to make themselves acquainted with the particulars of the tenements requiring revision in their respective Districts, however as it is indispensable that a revision should be made before striking another Rate, it is Ordered

That the Collectors be required to enter a note of all tenements requiring revision in the Column for "observations" in their Warrants, so as to be able to furnish a perfect List by the 1st of March next, at which time it would be desirable to commence the revision,

Ordered That a copy of the foregoing be forwarded to the Commissioner of Valuation,

Resolved That Mr. Mary Clerk of Union, be granted three days leave of absence from the 25th Instant and that Mr. Glaster, Workhouse Master, be appointed to Act as Clerk of Union during that time,

The Board having inspected, approved of the Shoes supplied by Mr. Michael Fenrock, and the Master was instructed to take same into stock,

Resolved That the Master be authorized to grant a pass for three days to a pauper [illegible] Robert Good, who requires to leave the [illegible] for that time on particular business,

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 - - 6

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 2

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - 2

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
26th day of November 1868
(Signed) Thomas Hall
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____ UNION,
on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 186 .—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District,*

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

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

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

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

By Authority: Printed by Alexander Thom, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31.558.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 59.956.12.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of Nov. 1868

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	Sc. 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,	579	223										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	2										
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	644	223										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	15	55	57	5	12	27	41	13	226
Admitted during the Week,				1	1	4	1	1		2	—	10
Total,			1	16	56	61	6	13	27	43	13	236
Discharged during the Week,			1	3	2	2	1	—		3	1	13
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	3	2	2	1			3	1	13
Remaining on the above date,				13	54	59	5	13	27	40	12	223

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,	59	In separate Wards,	2
In Fever Hospital,	2	In Wards with other Inmates,	3
Total,	59	Total,	3

OBSERVATIONS.

No. at corresponding period last year. 231

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21st day of November 1868, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Persons.	Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Persons.
No. I.	2	2			2	2	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	5	5			5	5	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.						
Forward	7	7			7	7	Total.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Sunday the 26th day of November 1868.

Present: *In the Chair,* Robert Joyce Esq.

Other Guardians:—

Thomas Joyce, Christopher Bowen, David Ellicott, and Nicholas Walsh Esquires

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4149 to No. 4158 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. ____ to No. ____ inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

That he forwarded to the Collector's a copy of the Order on the subject of the Revision of the Valuation.

The Clerk informed the Board that he did not avail himself of the leave of absence which the Board so kindly granted to him on Thursday last.

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 . . . . . £122 : 15 : 6

Paid during the week, ... £49 : 14 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £383 : 7 : 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.
John Mellett	Ballinrobe	51	11	2				904	10	7			
	Ballinchalla							19	19	8¼			
	Ballyovey							27	11	0¾			
	Birrescaria		12	2				98	2	2½			
	Cappahduff							25	10	10¼			
	Coomard							45	19	2¼			
	Dalgan							179	8	10½			
	Hollymount	1	15	6				218	12	9			
	Kilmaine							231	14	7½			
	Kilcommon							198	7	5			
	Neale	10	6	3				312	10	6¼			
	Newbrook	18	5	3				144	19	2¾			
	Owensbrinn							21	8	1¾			
	Portroyal		15	2				72	19	8¼			
	Roslee							73	17	3¼			
	Shrule							160	7	4			
					83	5	6				2735	19	5¼
Thomas Grady	Cong	7	3	6				187	7	2¼			
	Hawardswood	32	6	6				153	6	7½			
					39	10	0				340	13	9¾
				£	122	15	6				[illegible]	13	3

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts [illegible]

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, £29.17 s. 10 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	32	0	1½
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7¾
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	6½
~~Average Cost in Fever Hospital,~~			

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

3 lbs of Tea, 12 lbs of Sugar, One 2 pairs of Scissors, 200 Needles, 1 Bottle of Port Wine, 30 Bottles of 3 Sweeping Brushes, 3 Bags xx Porter, 28 lbs of Yellow Soap, Brooms, Clothes for Sabina Burns, 14 lbs of Washing Soda, 2 lbs of Starch, amounting to One Pound 1 lb of Blue, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 16 lbs of dipt Candles, 1 Pint of whisky, 150 lbs of Meat, 1600 lbs of Whole Bread, 300 lbs of Brown Bread, 262 Gallons of New Milk, 55 Boxes of Turf, 6 Gross of Studs.

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 21st day of Nov. 1868, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - - -	1	1	6
In kind, - - - - -		nil	
Total, - - - £	1	1	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and stimated 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account. £ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account. £ s. d.

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

The 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:—

No Report from Master this day

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

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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No. 156. M/bc dated 20th November, 1868. requesting to be furnished with Returns relating to the Expenditure of the Union for the Year ended 29th September, 1868.

Letter from Commissioner of Valuation dated 21st Nov. 1868. stating that the wishes of the Guardians will be complied with as regards postponing the revision until the 1st of March next, when it is hoped that full Lists of all changes will be furnished by the Rate-Collectors.

Resolved That the Board begs to express its thanks to the Commissioner of Valuation for his Kindness in acceding to its wishes, — The Board requests that he will be good enough to furnish new Valuation Lists for the next revision, as the Lists now in use have

have been so often revised, that the particulars of another revision if entered therein, could not be traced with any degree of accuracy;

Circular Letter from Registrar General, dated 23 Nov. 186 on the subject of Agricultural Statistics for the Year 1868. — The Returns enclosed with the foregoing Circular having been examined, and the Average Rates of produce discussed and decided upon, they were signed by two of the Guardians present at the Meeting and the Clerk was directed to forward them to the Registrar General.

Resolved That the Master be authorized to procure at an expense not exceeding One pound, Clothes suitable to the requirements of a Girl named Sabina Nevins, age 16 Years, who is leaving the Workhouse, where she has been for six Years an Inmate, in order to reside with her sister a dress maker in Wallingford,

Resolved That a quantity of Altringham Carrots on the Workhouse Farm be sold by Auction on Thursday next, and that due notice be given of the sale,

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 - - 5

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - nil

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

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

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

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

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

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 each year.)

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Robt. Tighe
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
3rd day of December 1868
(Signed) Thomas Ellcuff
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____ UNION,
on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 186 —*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District,*

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

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

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

_____ *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.]

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The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to 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 8 1 and 8 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

(Signed)

_____
Clerk of the Union.

BY AUTHORITY: Printed by ALEXANDER THOM, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31,558

Present Net Annual Value, £ 59,956.12 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28" day of Nov. 1868

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,	59	227
Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse,		
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	
Fever Sheds,		
Total,	644	227

	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,		13	54	59	5	13	27	40	12	223
Admitted during the Week,		3	2	2	"	"	2	4		13
TOTAL,		16	56	61	5	13	29	44	12	236
Discharged during the Week,				6	1	"	"	2		9
Died,										
Total Discharged and Dead,				6	1			2		9
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,		16	56	55	4	13	29	42	12	227

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,	58	In separate Wards,	nil	
In Fever Hospital,	nil	In Wards with other Inmates,	3	
Total,	58	Total,	3	

No. at corresponding period last year. 230

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28" day of November 1868, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	2	2			2	2	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	5	5	1	1	6	6	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.						
Bt. forward	7	7	1	1	8	8	TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of *Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Thursday *the* 3d *day of* December 1868.

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Robert Tighe Esq

Other Guardians:— Charles Howe Knox Esq. Major Lindsey, Stanhope Kenny, Thomas Tighe, and C. Bowen Esquires

Doctor Vaughan, Poor Law Inspector, attended the Meeting.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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and Decennial Loan thereof postponed to

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

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

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

That he gave Notice of the sale of Carrots on the Farm.

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 . . . . . £260 : 0 : 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 1 : 19 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £641 : 7 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.	Remaining. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.
John Mallett	Ballinaha			204 10 7	
	Ballinchalla			12 19 8½	
	Ballyovey			27 11 0½	
	Beurbeola			28 0 2½	
	Cappaghduff			95 10 10½	
	Counadoe			45 13 2½	
	Dalgan			179 8 10½	
	Doolgarracut			218 12 7	
	Kilbraine			231 14 10½	
	Kilcommon			198 1 5	
	Veale			312 10 6½	
	Geocloum			144 13 2¾	
	Gortnagal			21 8 1¾	
	Gussleb			72 17 8½	
	Thrule			78 17 3¼	
				160 7 1½	
					2736 13 5½
Thomas Grady	Carn			187 6 2½	
	Glandyscood			153 6 7½	
					340 13 1½
					3077 13 5

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 8. 7. 1, was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 22. 13 s. 10¾ d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	22	5	0
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7¾
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...			

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

5 lb. of Tea, 12 lb. of Sugar, 1 Barrel of Butter, 24 Barrels of XX Ale, 28 lb. of Yellow Soap, 14 lb. of Washing Soda, 2 lb. of Starch, 4 lb. of Blue, 2 lb. of Mould Candles, 16 lb. of Dip Candles, 1 lb. of Pepper, 14 lb. of Salt, 1500 lb. of Whole Bread, 240 lb. of Brown Bread, 400 Gallons of new Milk, 85 Rods of Birch,

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 28th day of Nov. 1868, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	1	12	0
In kind, - - - -		nil	
Total, - - - £	1	12	0

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Check 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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:

	£	s.	d.
~~1. Clothing Account.~~			
1. Petty Disbursements Acct.			
Clerk of Union to provide for:	3	0	0

Petty Disb

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Mlonahan; for Groceries	9	6	4
Matthew Moran, for Meat	13	4	1
A Bermingham, for whole Bread	42	3	3
A Bermingham, for Brown Bread	5	4	6
P Monahan, for new Milk	34	15	3
Patrick Fergus for Turf	12	17	3

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:—

Ordered That the Master be authorized to employ a Mason to repair the flues in connexion with the Kitchen Boilers.

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

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

Circular Letter from Registrar General, dated 27" Nov. 1868, acknowledging the Receipt of the corrected Average Rates of produce of the Crops grown in the Ballinrobe Union.

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No. 160. M/68 dated 28" November. 1868. drawing the attention of the Board of Guardians to the provisions of the Vagrant Act (10 & 11 Vic cap 84) with a view to the suppression of professional Vagrancy.

Letter from Commissioner of Valuation, dated 30" Nov. 1868. stating that he has given instructions that new Valuation Lists may be furnished at the next Revision.

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No 161. M/68. dated 2° Dec. 1868. requesting to be furnished with a Return of the particulars respecting the Rates made, and agreed upon during Month of November, 1868.

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 - - 5

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - nil

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Robt. Tighe
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
10th day of December 1868

(Signed) Thomas Clay.
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Ballinrobe UNION,
on Thurs day, the 31 day of December 1868.—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District,*

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

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

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

_____ *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.]

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The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to 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 B 1 and B 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

61.

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

By Authority: Printed by Alexander Thom, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

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Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31.558

Present Net Annual Value, £57.756.12 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5" day of Dec. 1868

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,	579	232										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	nil										
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	644	232										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,				16	56	55	4	13	29	42	12	227
Admitted during the Week,				2	2	7	—	—	1	3	1	16
Total,				18	58	62	4	13	30	45	13	243
Discharged during the Week,					5	4		1				10
Died,					1							1
Total Discharged and Dead,					6	4		1				11
Remaining on the above date,				18	52	58	4	12	30	45	13	232

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,	51	In separate Wards,	nil	
In Fever Hospital,	nil	In Wards with other Inmates,	3	
Total,	51	Total,	3	

No. at corresponding period last year. 243

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5" day of December 1868, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	3	4			8	4
No. II.	5	5	1	1	6	6
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Total forward	8	9	1	1	9	10

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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. forwd.						
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* Thursday *the* 10" *day of* December 1868.

Present: *In the Chair,* Robert Tighe Esq

Other Guardians:— Stanhope Nerny, C. Bowen, John Hearn, Nicholas Walsh, and Murtagh Faragher, Esquires.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4159 to No. 4170 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week . . . . . £ 77 : 18 : 6

Paid during the week, ... £ 128 : 1 : 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 611 : 4 : 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.
John Mollett	Ballinrobe	200	18	9				703	16	10			
	Ballinchalla							19	19	8¼			
	Ballyovey							27	11	0¾			
	Burriscana		17	6				97	4	8½			
	Cappaghduff							25	10	10¼			
	Cornard	10	1	2				35	18	0¼			
	Dalgan	21	19	2				157	9	8½			
	Hollymount	14	4	7				204	8	2			
	Kilmaine	49	18	3				181	16	4½			
	Kilcommon	10	6	4				188	1	1			
	Neale	14	16	4				297	14	2¼			
	Newbrook	13	15	0				131	4	2¾			
	Owenbrum							21	8	1¾			
	Pachoyal		10	8				72	9	0¼			
	Roslee							73	17	3¼			
	Shrule	12	15	9				147	11	7			
					349	18	6				2386	0	11¼
Thomas Grady	Cong	"	8	0				186	19	2¼			
	Houndswood	7	12	0				145	14	7½			
					8	0	0				332	13	9¾
		£			357	18	6				2718	14	9

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £30. 3 s. 5 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	32	13	4¼
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7¼
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	7
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...		nil	

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:

[illegible] lbs of Tea, 12 lbs of Sugar, 1 Bottle of Port Wine, 24 Bottles of XX Porter, 28 lbs of Yellow Soap, 14 lbs of Washing Soda, 2 lbs of Starch, ½ lb of Blue, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 16 lbs of dipt Candles, 1 lb of Pepper. 1600 lbs of whole Bread. 200 lbs of Brown Bread, 362 Gallons of new Milk, 146 lbs of Meat. 85 Boxes of Tarf.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 5th day of Dec. 1868, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	1.	17.	6.
In kind, - - - -		nil	
Total, - - - £	1.	17.	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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.

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:—

No Report from the Master this day

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

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

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No. 30301/1868. dated 9th Dec. 1868. informing the Board of Guardians that they have received the half-yearly report of their Inspector Dr. Vaughan, relative to the Union, in which he states that he visited the Workhouse and Fever Hospital on the 5th inst. and that they were clean and orderly; that the classification of the inmates appeared to receive due attention, and that the sanitary condition of the Workhouse was good.

With regard to the Schools Dr. Vaughan states that the boys are very deficient in arithmetic, grammar and spelling, but write fairly. — He is however of opinion that no blame can be attributed to the present Schoolmaster, who, it appears, is only a short time in office, and whose predecessor was a very inefficient Officer.

The Girls are stated to be generally well instructed, but as regards reading and writing there is room for much improvement; and the Commissioners request the attention of the Guardians to these matters.

Dr. Vaughan states, that the Workhouse Buildings in

in general are in a substantial state of repair, but that the Western Gable admits rain which communicates with one of the large beams of the Building; and the Commissioners also request the attention of the Guardians to the matter, with a view to remedying the defect.

The Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress were called before the Board, and their attention required to the improvement of the School-children, in accordance with the suggestions contained in the Commissioners Letter.

The South-western side wall of the Workhouse, as referred to by the Commissioners has been carefully cemented with "Portland Cement" not many years ago, and at very considerable expense, however, the Board will take the matter into consideration early next Spring, with a view of remedying the defect complained of.

The Clerk laid before the Board a copy of a Return to the House of Commons, agreed to by the Board of Guardians of the Drumahoe Union, on the 11th inst. praying that in the event of the disendowment of the Established Church, its Revenues may be applied in aid of Poor Rate expenditure.

The Medical Officer submitted an Estimate of Medicines required for the Workhouse Hospital, which was approved of, and an Order was made directing the Contractors to supply the Medicines as required there-

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - - 3

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - nil

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Robt. Tighe
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
17th day of December 1868
(Signed) Thomas Clay
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____ UNION,
on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 186 .—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District,*

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

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

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

_____ *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.]

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The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to 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 B 1 and B 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Signed

_____
Clerk of the Union.

BY AUTHORITY: Printed by ALEXANDER THOM, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

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Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861—31,558.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 57,756.12.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of Dec. 1868

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.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	579	028											In Workhouse Hospital, 59	In separate Wards, nil	
Temporary Buildings,													In Fever Hospital, 2	In Wards with other Inmates, 3	
Additional Workhouse,													Total, 61	Total, 3	
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	2													
Fever Sheds,															
Total,	644	030													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,				18	59	58	4	12	30	45	13	222			
Admitted during the Week,			2.	1	3	4	"	"	"	1		11			
TOTAL,			2	19	55	62	4	12	30	46	13	233			
Discharged during the Week,			1		1	7	"	1	2	1		13			
Died,												5			
Total Discharged and Dead,			1		1	7	"	1	2	1		18			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			1	19	54	55	4	11	28	45	13	220			

No. at corresponding period last year. 212

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19th day of December 1868, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	3	4			3	4	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	4	4	1	1	5	5	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.						
Brought forward	7	8	1	1	8	9	TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of *Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Thursday *the* 17th *day of* December 1868.

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Robert Lythe Esq

Other Guardians:—

Revd Jas Hearne, Revd James Fisher, and Sir Wm Palmer Bart

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4173 to No. 4197 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, ... £ nil : :

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 611 : 4 : 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.	Remaining. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.
John Mellett	Ballinrobe				
	Ballinchalla			703 14 10	
	Ballyovey			19 19 8¼	
	Burriscara			27 11 0¾	
	Cappaghduff			97 4 8½	
	Coonard			23 10 10¼	
	Dalgan			35 18 0¼	
	Hollymount			157 9 8½	
	Kilmaine			204 8 2	
	Kilcommon			181 14 4½	
	Neale			188 1 1	
	Newbrook			297 14 2¼	
	Owenbrum			131 4 2¾	
	Portroyal			21 8 1¾	
	Raslee			72 9 0¼	
	Sprule			73 17 3¼	
				147 11 7	
					2386 0 11¼
Thomas Grady	Cong				
	Haundswood			186 19 2¼	
				145 14 7½	
					332 13 9¾
					£ 2718 14 9

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts [illegible]

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £2, 6.3 was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made thereon 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. 5 s. 8¼d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	32	13	9¾
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	5¾
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...		2	4

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

3 Cwt of Tea, 8 Cwt of Sugar, 2 Butts of Red Wine, 24 Bottles of XX Porter, 28 lbs of Yellow Soap, 14 lbs of Washing Soda, 9 lbs of Starch, ½ lb of Blue, 9 lbs of Mould Candles, 16 lbs of dipt Candles, 1 lb of Pepper, 1½ lb of Allspice, 1 Cwt 2 lbs of White Bread, 300 lbs of Brown Bread, 130 Gallons of New Milk, 90 Pairs of Straw, 2 Hat-bags, 28 lbs of Oatmeal, 1 Cwt of Iron, 1 Board, 1 Lantern, 9 Yards of Chain, 10 Tin pints, 2 Tin quarts, 100 Tin platters, 1 Bottle of Balcarella Wine, 2 lbs of Wax Candles.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 19th day of Oct 1868, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	1.	10.	0
In kind, - - - -		nil	
Total, - - -	£ 1.	10.	0

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	John Sheridan	4 0 0		
No. II.				
No. III.				
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII.				
No. IX.				
Carried forward		4 0 0		

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
Bt. forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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.
Thomas Cleary	Clerk of Union	Salary	30	0	0
Maurice Gleeson	Master	Salary	10	10	0
Michael O'Grady	Porter	Salary	1	10	0
Rev. G. Browne	Protestant Chaplain	Salary	3	0	0
Rev. Thos. Hardiman	Roman Catholic Chaplain	Salary	15	0	0
James D. Kelly	Medical Officer	Salary	25	0	0
Peter Meagher	Apothecary	Salary	5	0	0
Ellen Manton	Schoolmistress	Salary	5	0	0
Mary Daly	Hospital Nurse	Salary	5	0	0
Mary Kelly	Assistant Nurse	Salary	5	5	0
Patrick Hynes	Relieving Officer	Salary	10	0	0
Michael Scheu	Superannuation allowance	Half	3	15	0

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

3. ~~Workhouse Invoice Account.~~

	£	s.	d.
Elections, Law, & other Expenses Acct.			
Thos May, Clerk of Union, for Salry as Returning Officer	2	10	0

Elections, Law & other Expenses

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

4. ~~Out-door Relief Invoice Account.~~

	£	s.	d.
Sanitary Expenses Account			
J. Kelly, junr. remuneration for services as Inspector of Nuisances	2	10	0
John Hynes, remuneration for services as Inspector of Nuisances	2	10	0

Debit Sanitary Expenses

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

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

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

5. Petty Disbursement's Account

	£	s	D
Clerk of Union to provide for.	18	9	2

Debit Petty Disb. Acct, and credit Treasurer with above sum.

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

No Report from the Master this day

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

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

230 approx

Resolved That a Tea Breakfast and Meat Dinner be provided for the Workhouse Inmates on Christmas-day, and that the following Articles be procured for same:-

17th Dec 1868

32 lbs of Tea
21 lbs of Sugar
240 lbs of Meat
140 lbs of Bread

The attention of the Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress was called to the Lavatories in their charge, which are in any thing but a satisfactory state, and they were cautioned to keep the Lavatories more cleanly in future, and prevent breakages of the fittings of same,

Mr. Johnstelly jun. reported the receipt of one Eviction Notice in the Houndswood Division, at the suit of Miss Jane Tynn, v Thomas Mullin, Patrick Malloy, and Patrick Byrne,

Resolved in March 1866 that a meat-dinner be provided for dinner for the inmates for Easter Sunday

330 lbs of meat 320 approx inmates dinner

In Dec 1865 resolved that the inmates get a tea breakfast - & meat dinner on Christmas Day ~~& a tea~~ breakfast ~~Easter Sunday~~ New Years Day

Ordered for 230

9 lbs of tea
54 lbs of sugar
316 lbs of meat
416 lbs of White Bread

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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 - - 6

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 02

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - 4

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

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

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

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

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Robt. Lejke
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
24th day of December 1868
(Signed) Thomas Clay
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Ballinrobe UNION,
on Thurs day, the 17th day of December 186 8.—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

The following 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):

Ballinrobe *Dispensary District,*

Account of Mr. D. Singleton *for* Salary : *Amount* £ 25.0.0

" of D. Twiss for Salary £ 25.0.0

Hollymount Dispensary District

Account of D. Barron for Salary £ 25.0.0

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

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

_____ *District,* . . . . . £

_____ *District,* . . . . . £

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

Robt Tighe
Chairman

(Signed) Homer May
Clerk of the Union.

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Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31.558.

Present Net Annual Value, £58.756.12.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14" day of Dec 1868

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. of Inmates 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.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	579	229													
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	2													
Fever Sheds,															
Total,	644	231													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	19	54	55	4	11	28	45	18	230	In Workhouse 60; In Fever Hospital 2	In separate Wards 2; In Wards with other Inmates 3	
Admitted during the Week,			1	3	1	2		3	2	6	1	18			
TOTAL,			2	22	55	57	4	14	30	51	19	248	Total, 62	Total, 5	
Discharged during the Week,			—	3	2	3		2	2	4	1	17			
Died,															
Total Discharged and Dead,				3	2	3		2	2	4	1	17			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			2	19	53	54	4	12	28	46	18	231	No. at corresponding period last year. 243		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14" day of Dec 1868, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	3	4			3	4	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	4	4	4	4	8	8	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.						
Forward	7	8	4	4	11	12	TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 14" day of December 1868.

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Robert Tighe Esq

Other Guardians:—

Charles Ulick Bourke Esq, Patrick Burke, Michael Daugher and Nicholas Walsh, Esquires

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4198 to No. 4215 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Clerk laid before the Board a Receipt for £19.19.3 lodged with the Treasurer on this day, to credit of following Accounts:-

	£	s.	d.
Establishment Acct. for Vegetables &c. sold —	19.	3.	3
Amt received for Relief afforded in the Workhouse Hospital under Act 25 & 26 Vic cap 83. —	"	16.	0
Total	£19.	19.	3

Mr. John Kelly, jun. reported the receipt of one Eviction Notice in the Ballinrobe Electoral Divn. at the suit of Wm. Regan, v Thomas Powell — the notice was handed to the Clerk to be deposited with the Union Records.

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 . . . . . £466 : 16 : 1

Paid during the week, ... £ 22 : 9 : 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £1055 : 11 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.
John McDolt	Ballinrobe	142	19	3				560	17	7			
	Ballinchalla							19	19	8¼			
	Ballyovey	3	11	6				23	19	6¾			
	Burrisoula	17	4	2				80	0	6½			
	Cappaghduff	12	18	7				12	12	3¼			
	Coonard	4	1	2				31	16	10¼			
	Dalgan	63	2	0				94	7	8½			
	Hollymount	6	9	11				197	18	3			
	Kilmaine	75	0	4				106	16	0½			
	Kilcommon	36	10	8				151	10	5			
	Neale	19	0	2				278	14	0¼			
	Newbrook	35	7	7				95	16	7¾			
	Owenbrum							21	8	1¾			
	Portrayal	3	9	7				68	19	5¼			
	Raglee	4	13	4				69	3	11¼			
	Shrule	19	7	10				128	3	9			
					443	16	1				1942	4	10¼
Thomas Grady	Cong	22	11	9				164	7	5¼			
	Haunswood	"	8	3				145	6	4½			
					23	0	0				309	13	9¾
		£			466	16	1				2251	18	5

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts [illegible]

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 17 . 6 . 5 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, 17 s. 14 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	32	12	1
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...		2	6¼

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

3 lbs of Tea, 10 lbs of Sugar, 3 Bottles of Port Wine, 24 Bottles of XX Porter, 28 lbs of Yellow Soap, 14 lbs of Washing Soda, 2 lbs of Starch, ½ lb of Blue, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 20 lbs of dipt Candles, 1 lb of Pepper, 1400 lbs of white Bread, 224 lbs of Brown Bread, 144 lbs of Meat, 400 Gallons of New Milk, and 95 Boxes of Turf.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 19 day of Dec. 1868, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	2	6	6
In kind, - - - -	nil		
Total, - - - £	2	6	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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.
1. Petty Disbursements Account. Clerk of Union, to provide for.	7	13	1

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. 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:—

Ballinlake Workhouse,
December 24th 1868

Gentlemen,

I beg to state that I have lodged with the Union Treasurer the following amount derived from sale of Vegetables, &c. viz:-

	£	s	d
For Onions	10	1[illegible]	6
" Carrots	3	16	10
" Cabbages	2	10	6
" 237 stones of small Potatoes at 1 per	.	19	11
" 6 weeks Potato Offal, at 1/3 per	.	7	6
" Stones sold to Sisters of Mercy	.	10	[illegible]
" Received for relief in Workhouse Hospital	.	16	[illegible]
Total	19	19	5

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedt. Servant
Maurice Clarke
Clerk

To the Board of Guardians
Ballinlake Union.

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

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

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Resolved, That Mr. Jeremiah O'Brien, Churchyard, be granted leave of absence from the 24th. to the 28th. Inst.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	8
Ditto disallowed	Nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	1
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	Nil
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	Nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	Nil
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	Nil

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

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Robt. Tighe
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
31 day of December 1868
(Signed) Thomas Mary
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Ballinrobe UNION, on Thurs day, the 24th day of December 1868.—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District,*

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

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

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

_____ *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.]

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

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

The Clerk Read extracts from Minutes of proceedings of the Committee of Management of the Cong Dispensary District, on the 13th Instant, of which the following are copies:-

Cong Dispensary District.

At an Extraordinary Meeting of the Committee of Management of the Cong Dispensary District, held at the Dispensary, Cong, on Saturday the 17th day of December. 186

Present in the Chair William Bourke Esq
other Members: Thos R Weldon, Esq. Hon. Sec. Rev. E. J. Lloyd, and Mr Thomas Geoghy

The Hon. Sec. informed the Committee that the Medical Officer Dr. Campbell Fair has been ill of Fever since the 9th. Instant, and that his duties have been performed by Doctor James Dillon Kelly, Medical Officer of the Workhouse

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

Order dated _____ *(date subject.)*

Read Resolved That Dr. James Dillon Kelly, be appointed as temporary substitute for Dr. Fair, during his illness.

Read Resolved That the Committee recommends the Board of Guardians of Mallow Union, to remunerate Dr. Kelly for his services at the rate of £ a week, to commence from the 13th inst.

Signed, William Bourke
Presiding Chairman

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

The Clerk informed the Board that Dr. Yair died on Sunday the 20th Inst.

Resolved subject to the approval of the Poor Law Commission that Dr. James D'Kelly, be paid a sum of Four pounds as remuneration for his services for one week from the 13th Instant.

The Board of Guardians presume that the Cong Dispensary Committee will at once proceed to the appointment of a Medical Officer pro-tem, to discharge the duties until a successor shall have been appointed to the late Dr. Yair.

Robt. Tighe
Chairman

(Signed.)

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

By Authority: Printed by Alexander Thom, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31.558

Present Net Annual Value, £ 57.756.12.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of Dec. 1868

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,	579	232										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	1										
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	644	233										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			2	19	53	54	4	12	28	46	13	231
Admitted during the Week,			"	"	3	3	"	"	3			9
Total,			2	19	56	57	4	12	31	46	13	240
Discharged during the Week,				1	1	3	"	"	"	1		6
Died,					1							1
Total Discharged and Dead,				1	2	3				1		7
Remaining on the above date,			2	18	54	54	4	12	31	45	13	233

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,	59	In separate Wards,	4	
In Fever Hospital,	1	In Wards with other Inmates,	3	
Total,	60	Total,	3	

No. at corresponding period last year. 243

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26th day of December 1868, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	3	4	1	1	4	5	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	3	3			3	3	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.						
Cor. forward	6	7	1	1	7	8	Total.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 31st day of December 1868.

Present: In the Chair, Robert Tighe Esq

Other Guardians:—

James Ruttledge, Clawson, John Fearn, A. Walsh, and David Elliott Esquires

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4211 to No. 4224 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week . . . . . £ 19 : 17 : 3

Paid during the week, ... £ 180 : 3 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 895 : 7 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.	Remaining. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.
John Mallolf	Ballymoloe			560 17 7	
	Ballinchalla			19 17 8½	
	Ballyroe			23 19 6½	
	Berrisdrue			80 11 6½	
	Cappaghduff			12 12 3½	
	Coolnalee			31 16 10½	
	Dalgan			94 7 8½	
	Hollymount			197 18 3	
	Kilmaine			106 16 0½	
	Kilcommon			151 10 5	
	Neale			278 14 0½	
	Necobrack			96 16 7½	
	Queenborough			21 8 1½	
	Portlaoise			68 17 5½	
	Rysleek			69 3 11½	
	Shrule			128 3 7	
					1742 4 10¼
Thomas Grady	Cong			164 7 5½	
	Whitestrand			145 6 4½	
					309 13 9½
				£	2251 18 8

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £37. 5 s. 10¾ d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	37	15	4¼
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	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...		4	2

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

[illegible] lbs of Tea, 12 lbs of Sugar. 28 Bottles of XX Porter, 2 Bottles of Port Wine, 28 lbs of Yellow Soap, 14 lbs of Washing Soda, 2 lbs of Starch, 1/2 lb of Blue, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 16 lbs of dipt Candles. 1 lb of Pepper, 144 lbs of Meat. 1500 lbs of White Bread. 224 lbs of Brown Bread. 400 Gallons of New Milk. 95 Boxes of Turf

20 Cwt. of Oatmeal. Utensils &c. for Hospital Nurse, of the value of 7s/0d. 200 Fire Brick, 700 Common Brick. 3 Furnace Doors, 11. 12 feet Boards. 2-8 feet Boards.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 26 day of Dec. 1868, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - - -	3	0	6
In kind, - - - - -			
Total, - - - £	3	0	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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.

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~~ was read, ~~and Orders made thereon as follows:—~~ of which the following is a copy

Ballinrobe Workhouse,
Dec. 31st 1866

Gentlemen,

Beg to report that during the storm on last Sunday, some tiles and slates were blown off in the Dining-Hall and other parts of the Workhouse.

The Gate of the Men's Yard, as well as a [illegible] panes of Glass were also broken during the storm, I would request your authority to have these matters put in repair,

Beg to remain,
Gentlemen,
Your obedt Servant
[illegible]
Master.

To
The Guardians
Ballinrobe Union.

Ordered. That the Master be authorized to get executed the several repairs specified in his report.

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

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

In pursuance of Section 7 of Act 25 & 26 Vic, cap 83. it is Resolved That an Inmate of the Workhouse named Terence Sears, chargeable to Neale Div. be sent to surgical treatment to St Mark's Opthalmic Hospital, — Dublin. — the Board of Guardians being willing to pay for his maintenance in that Institution, and also, the Cost of his conveyance to the Workhouse when discharged from the Hospital,

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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 - - 5

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 3

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

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

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

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

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

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Wm. Tighe
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the
7th day of January 1869
(Signed) Thomas Clary
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Ballinrobe UNION, on Thursday, the 31st day of December 1868.—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

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

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

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

_____ *District.* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District.* . . . . . *£*

100

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

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to 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 Clerk read extracts from Minutes of proceedings of the Committee of Management of the Camp Dispensary Dist. on the 26th inst. of which the following are copies:-

Resolved. That in consequence of the lamented death of the late Doctor Blair, Doctor Adams Dillon Kelly be appointed to perform the Medical duties of this District from the 20th day of December inst. until the appointment of a successor to Dr. Blair.

Resolved That the Committee recommend the Board of Guardians of the Ballinrobe Union to remunerate Dr. Kelly for his services at the rate of Seven pounds per week from the 20th of December inst.

signed. Thomas O'Gildea
Hon. Sec.y to Committee.

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject)*

The Board of Guardians having had the foregoing under consideration, it was Resolved, subject to the approval of the Poor Law Commissioners, that Dr. Kelly be paid a sum of Seven pounds per week as remuneration for his services as acting Medical Officer of the Camp Dispensary District during the continuance of a vacancy in that office; such rate of remuneration to commence from the 20th instant.

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

The Clerk laid before the Board a Notice signed by two Constables of the R. I. Constabulary, certifying that the Dwelling House of Thomas Geraghty, of Ballinrobe is in such a filthy and unwholesome condition as to be a Nuisance and injurious to the health of the inhabitants.

The attention of Mr. John Kelly, junr. Dispr. of Nuisances, was called to this matter.

Robt. Tighe
Chairman

(Signed)

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

By Authority: Printed by Alexander Thom, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861—31.558. Present Net Annual Value, £ 59.956.12.7

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2d day of January 1869

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse,	579	244										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	2										
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	644	246										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			2	18	54	54	4	12	31	45	13	233
Admitted during the Week,				3	4	2		1	3	2	2	17
Total,			2	21	58	56	4	13	34	47	15	250
Discharged during the Week,					2	2						4
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead.					2	2						4
Remaining on the above date,			2	21	56	54	4	13	34	47	15	246

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,	63	In separate Wards,	4
In Fever Hospital,	2	In Wards with other Inmates,	3
Total,	65	Total,	3

OBSERVATIONS.

No. at corresponding period last year. 248

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2d day of January 1869, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Persons.	Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Persons.
No. I.	3	4			3	4	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	4	4			4	4	No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	7	8			7	8	Total.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 7th day of January 1869.

Present: In the Chair, Robert Tighe Esq

Other Guardians:— John Heane, and Christopher Lawn Esquires

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4225 to No. 4241 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week . . . . . £ 261 : 8 : 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 34 : 5 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 1122 : 10 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.
John Mollott	Ballinrake	49	19	9				510	17	10			
	Ballinchalla							19	19	8¼			
	Ballyovey							23	19	6¾			
	Burrincarra	12	1	1				67	19	5½			
	Cappaghduff							12	12	3¼			
	Cannard	3	11	9				28	5	1¼			
	Dalgan	20	7	9				73	19	11½			
	Hallymount	45	4	5				152	13	10			
	Kilmaine	17	4	1				89	11	11½			
	Kilcommon	17	12	3				133	18	2			
	Neale	27	16	7				250	17	5¼			
	Newbrook	9	2	8				86	13	11¾			
	Owenbrum							21	8	1¾			
	Portrayal	5	8	7				63	10	10¼			
	Roslee	16	11	9				52	12	2¼			
	Shrule	29	12	4				98	11	5			
					254	13	0				1687	11	10¼
Thomas Grady	Cong	1	4	9				163	2	8¼			
	Haundswood	5	10	3				139	16	1½			
					6	15	0				302	18	9¾
				£	261	8	0				1990	10	8

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £46. 1 s. 0¾ d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	33	9	2½
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	4¾
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...		2	11

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

2 lb Tea, 4 Packs, 1 Box Rice, 1 Box Bread, 4 mn Gallons of Sweet Milk, 95 Boxes of Snuff, 3 Pair Brushes, 1 Pair Scissors, Repairs of Sun Blinds, amounting to 14/7, 2½ 1 Box, 1 Cwt of Sugar, 2 Barrels of Stirabout, 28 Bottles of XX Porter, 14 lb of Washing Soda, 2 lb of Starch, ½ lb of Blue, 2 lb of Mould Candles, 16 lb of Soft Soap, 1 lb of Pepper, 14 lb of Oatmeal, 1830 lb of Stirabout Bread, 2024 lb of Flour.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 7th day of January 1865, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	1.	7.	0
In kind, - - - -			
Total, - - -	£ 1.	7.	0

Credit each Poelieving Officer, as per Poeceipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Poelieving 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:

Poelief District.	Name of Poelieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	John Kelly	3. 0 0		
No. II.				
No. III.				
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII.				
No. IX.				
Carried forward		3. 0 0		

Poelief District.	Name of Poelieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
Brought forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Poelieving 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.
W Regan, for Materials supplied to paupers leaving Workhouse	4	3	2

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Pellonahan for Meat Requisites	"	6	2
John Watson, for Tin Ware	4	11	3
Geo Kelly, for Books and Stationery	"	2	1
Despeer for Timber, returned.	8	10	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
A Monahan, for Groceries	11	7	4
Matthew Moran, for Meat	21	10	2
A Bermingham, for White Bread	55	1	4
A Monahan, for new Milk	43	15	6
A Monahan, for Oatmeal	14	15	0
Patrick Tuyes, for Turf	17	8	4
A Bermingham for Brown Bread	6	17	4

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

4. ~~Out-door Relief Invoice Account.~~ Workhouse Burial Acct

	£	s.	d.
Tuyes, for Timber for Coffins	2	6	6

Debit Workhouse Burial Acct. and credit Treasurer with above Sum.

5 Petty Disbursements Acct

Clerk of Union, to provide for,	4	0	0

Petty Disb

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 Dr. Kaughan, Poor Law Inspr. visited the Workhouse and Hospital on the 5th Inst.

The Master was authorized to employ a Carpenter to execute certain repairs required in the Workhouse, and to continue his services up to the 16th Inst. if required

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

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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, No. 30,500/68 dated 30th December, 1868. requesting to be furnished with a Return showing the number of Idiots, and Epileptic Idiots, &c. in the Workhouse, on the 31st Dec. 1868.

Circular Letter from same No. 2 M/69. dated 4th Jany. 1869 requesting to be furnished with a Return of the particulars respecting the Rates made, and agreed upon during Month of December 1868.

The Clerk read Letters &c. which he received from the Education Commissioners of which the following are copies:-

No. 5117. D 32.
Ballinrobe Poor Law Union
N School Co. Mayo.
Education Office -
Dec. 21st 1868.

Sir,

We beg herewith to forward, for the perusal

perusal of the Board of Guardians, the observations of the District Inspector who visited the above named School on the 7th Ultimo.

We are, Sir,
Your obedient Servants,
James Kelly,
Wm. H. Newell
Secretaries,

To The Clerk
Ballinrobe P.L. Union,

Extract from District Inspectors Report of 7th November.

Ballinrobe Poor Law Union N School.

"The School Accounts in the Female department are not well kept, many of the summaries being wrong, those in the Male department have been fairly kept since the present teacher took charge".

"I had time to examine the writing only, in regard to the proficiency of the pupils in this branch both departments seem to be making fair progress."

No. 5117. D 32, Ballinrobe
P.L. Union N School, Co. Mayo } Education Office
January 5th 1869

Sir,

We beg to forward, for the information of the Board of Guardians, the following observations of the District Inspector who visited the above named School on the 16th November last:-

"Proficiency attained by the pupils was, on the whole, fair, the Boys read and wrote very fairly, and wrote Dictation very well, their knowledge of Grammar and Geography is rather low, the Speed and

"Fourth classes have a fair Knowledge of Arithmetic,
"but the second class is rather backward in this respect.
"Discipline and order are good.

The Girls read quite too fast; but their
"answering in Arithmetic, Grammar, and Geography shews
"that the teacher has successfully devoted considerable
"attention to these important branches, They write fairly
"and spell well"

We are, Sir,
Your obedient Servants
James Kelly
W H Newell
Secretaries.

To the Clerk
Hallinrahe Union,

Mr John Hynes, reported the receipt of one Eviction Notice in the Electoral Division of Burriscarra, at the suit of Wm Willis & John Carley, the notice was handed to the Clerk to be deposited with the Union Records.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -	2
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	5
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -	nil
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -	nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	nil

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.)

Robt. Light
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
14th day of January 1869
(Signed) Thomas Mary
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Ballinrobe UNION, on Thurs day, the 7th day of January 1864.—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Ballinrobe UNION, on Thurs day, the 7th day of January 1869.—*continued.*

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District,*

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

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

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

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject)*

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners *dated* 4th January 1867 *stating that*

expressing their sanction to the proposed payment of a sum of £4, to Dr. Kelly for his services as temporary Medical Officer of the Cong Dispensary District.

Robt. Tighe
Chairman

(Signed)

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

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Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31,558

Present Net Annual Value, £ 59,756.12 11

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th **day of** Jany **186**7

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,	579	255										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	1										
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	644	256										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	2	21	56	54	4	13	34	47	15	246		
Admitted during the Week,	"	6	6	2	1	"	1	2	2	20		
Total,	2	27	62	56	5	13	35	49	17	266		
Discharged during the Week,		2	1	"	"	1	3	1	2	10		
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,		2	1			1	3	1	2	10		
Remaining on the above date,	2	25	61	56	5	12	32	48	15	256		

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,	65	In separate Wards,	2	
In Fever Hospital,	1	In Wards with other Inmates,	3	
Total,	66	Total,	3	

No. at corresponding period last year. 255

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9th **day of** January **186**7, **authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.**

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	3	4			3	4	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	3	3			3	3	No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car forward Total	6	7			6	7	Total.						

COPY *of* **MINUTES** *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Thursday *the* 14th *day of* January **186**7.

Present: *In the Chair,* Robert Tighe Esq

Other Guardians:—

Thomas Tighe, [illegible] and David Elliott Esquire.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4942 to No. 4911 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week . . . . . £ 110 : :

Paid during the week, ... £ 153 : 19 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 963 : 0 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.	Remaining. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.
John Molloy	Ballinrobe			510 17 10	
	Ballinchalla			19 19 8½	
	Ballyovey			98 19 6½	
	Feerisara			67 19 5½	
	Cappaghdarff			15 12 8½	
	Coonagh			98 5 11½	
	Dalgan			73 17 11½	
	Hollymount			152 13 10	
	Kilmaine			89 11 11½	
	Kilcommon			133 18 2½	
	Moate			250 17 5½	
	Newbrook			86 18 11½	
	Owenbrin			21 8 1½	
	Pollnayal			63 10 10½	
	Razlek			50 19 0½	
	Shrule			98 11 5	
					1687 11 0½
Thomas Grady	Cong			163 2 8½	
	Ahaunisnaw			139 16 1½	
					302 18 9½
					£ 1990 10 3

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 £ 11 . 1 " 3 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 . 6 s. 5¾d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	35	0	2¼
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was .		2	6¾
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	4¾
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...		2	9¼

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:

56 lbs of Tea, 10 lbs of Sugar, 2 Bales of Shirting Flannel, 36 Rolls of Yellow Soap, 28 lbs of Mottled Soap, 14 lbs of Washing Soda, 9 lbs of Starch, 1½ lb of Blue, 9 lbs of Mould Candles, 16 lbs of Dips Candles, 1 lb of Pepper, 150 lbs of Meal, 1200 lbs of Whole Bread, 400 lbs of Brown Bread, 430 lbs of Flour, 98 lbs of Rice, 6 Mops, 6 Scrubbing Brushes, 3 Whitewash Brushes, 4 Dusting Brushes, 4 Hair Combs, 4 lbs of Sandstone, 1 Gallon of Prepared Oil, 1 Horse of Whole Seed, 1 Gallon of Sweet Oil.

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 7th day of Jan. 1865, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -		18	6
In kind, - - - -			Nil
Total, - - -	£	18	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Check 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

The 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~~ was read, ~~and Orders made thereon~~ as follows:—

Ballinrobe Workhouse
January 14th 1869

Gentlemen,

Need to report that the Hospital Nurse has been ill (from the effects of cold) for the last week, during which time the duties of the Hospital have been discharged by the Matron,

Hereto remain,
Gentlemen,
Your Obt. Servant
[illegible],
Master.

To The Board of Guardians
Ballinrobe Union,

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

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

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -	10
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	6
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -	1
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -	1
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - -	1
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	nil

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

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Robt. Firth
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the 21st
day of January 1869
(Signed) Thomas Mary
Clerk of the Union.

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Ballinrobe UNION, on Thurs day, the 14th day of January 186 7.—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

_____ . _____ *Dispensary District.*

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

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

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

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

The Clerk laid before the Board Reports from Doctors Twiss, and Singleton, showing that 272 persons had been successfully vaccinated in the Ballinrobe Dispensary District, during the Half Year ended 31st Decr. 1868.

Robt. Tighe
Chairman

(Signed)

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

By Authority: Printed by Alexander Thom, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31,558

Present Net Annual Value, £59,956.12.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of January 1869

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse,	579	275										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65											
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	644	275										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			2	25	61	56	5	12	32	48	15	256
Admitted during the Week,			1	3	3	7	1	2	4	4	2	27
Total,			3	28	64	63	6	14	36	52	17	283
Discharged during the Week,			1	1	1	2		1	1			7
Died,					1							
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	1	2	2		1	1			8
Remaining on the above date,			2	27	62	61	6	13	35	52	17	275

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,	70	In separate Wards,	4	
In Fever Hospital,	4	In Wards with other Inmates,	3	
Total,	70	Total,	3	

No. at corresponding period last year. 263

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16th day of January 1869, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	4	5			4	5	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	4	4			4	4	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.						
Cor. forward	8	9			8	9	Total.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 21st day of January 1869.

Present: In the Chair, Robert Tighe Esq

Other Guardians:— Thos. Tighe, John Kearns, [illegible] and Francis C Bowen, Esquires.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4261 to No. 4287 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week . . . . . £272 : 0 : 4

Paid during the week, ... £37 : 18 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £1201 : 2 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.
John Mellett	Ballinrobe	106	13	10				404	4	0			
	Ballinchalla	"	6	5				19	13	3¼			
	Ballyovey	"	19	0				23	0	6¾			
	Burriscarra	8	12	1				59	7	4½			
	Cappaghduff							12	12	3¼			
	Cronard	6	0	5				22	4	8¼			
	Dalgan	12	19	0				61	0	11½			
	Hollymount	5	19	7				146	14	3			
	Kilmaine	5	11	7				84	0	4½			
	Kilcommon	28	4	3				105	13	11			
	Neale	29	2	0				221	15	5¼			
	Newbrook	25	11	4				61	2	7¾			
	Owenbrum	3	14	7				17	13	6¾			
	Portroyal	16	7	5				47	3	5¼			
	Roslee	8	7	8				44	4	6¼			
	Shrule	4	11	2				94	0	3			
					263	0	4				1424	11	6¼
Thomas Grady	Cong	6	14	10				156	5	10¼			
	Houndswood	2	3	2				137	12	11½			
					9	0	0				293	18	9¾
				£	272	0	4				1718	10	4

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amount [illegible]

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 6. 4. 8 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, £33. 11 s. 4¼ d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	36	3	8¾
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	6¾
Average Cost in Infirmary,		3	4½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,		nil	

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

3 lbs of Tea, 12 lbs of Sugar, 2 bottles of Port Wine, 48 Bottles of XX Porter, 28 lbs of Yellow Soap, 14 lbs of washing Soda, 2 lbs of Starch, ½ lb of Blue, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 16 lbs of dipt Candles, 1 lb of Pepper, 130 lbs of Meal, 2400 lbs of White Bread, 400 lbs of Brown Bread, 460 Gallons of New Milk, 96 Boxes of Soap, 10 cwt of Indian Meal.

Timber, Slates, Cement &c. Amounting to £6. 16. 6.

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 16th day of Jany 1869, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,			
In kind,	1	4	0
Total,	£ 1	4	0

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.	John Hynes	3.0.0			No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd. Total		3.0.0			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.
1. Petty Disbursements Acct.			
Clerk of Union to provide for	11	0	5

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

2. ~~Establishment Account.~~

Account of Expenses under the Registration Acts.

Hastings Twiss, Registrar, Fees,	4	10	0
William Singleton, Registrar, Fees,	1	15	0
A Browne, Deputy Registrar, Fees,	2	10	10
G E Barron, Registrar, Fees	4	2	6

Debit ~~Establishment Account~~ Acct. of Expenses under the Registration Acts and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

The 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:—

No report from the Master this day

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

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

Resolved. That the Clerk be authorized to procure Thom's Official Almanac and Directory, for the year 1869.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -	11
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	6
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -	1
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -	nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	nil

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.]

Robt. Tighe
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
28" day of January 1869
(Signed) Thomas Mayf
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____ UNION,

on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 186 .—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

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

_____ District, ... £

_____ District, ... £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

By Authority: Printed by Alexander Thom, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31.558 *Present Net Annual Value,* £ 59.956.12 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23 day of January 1869

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse,	579	259										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	7										
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	644	266										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			2	27	62	61	6	13	35	52	17	275
Admitted during the Week,			4	"	5	6	"	"	"	2	"	17
Total,			6	27	67	67	6	13	35	54	17	292
Discharged during the Week,			5	3	3	3	1	2	4	4	1	26
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	3	3	3	1	2	4	4	1	26
Remaining on the above date,			1	24	64	64	5	11	31	50	16	266

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,	74	In separate Wards,	4
In Fever Hospital,	7	In Wards with other Inmates,	3
Total,	81	Total,	3

OBSERVATIONS.

No. at corresponding period last year. 260

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23 day of January 1869, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	3	4	1	1	4	5	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	4	4			4	4	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.						
Cor. forward	7	8	1	1	8	9	Total.						

COPY of MINUTES of *Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Thursday *the* 28th *day of* January 1869.

Present: *In the Chair,* Robert Tighe Esq

Other Guardians:— Christopher Bowen, and John Clunn Esquires

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4288 to No. 4304 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, ... £ 25 : 0 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 1176 : 2 : 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.
John Mollett	Ballinrobe							404	4	0			
	Ballinchalla							19	13	3¼			
	Ballyovey							23	0	6¾			
	Burriscarra							59	7	4½			
	Cappaghduff							12	12	3¼			
	Coonard							22	4	8¼			
	Dalgan							61	0	11½			
	Hallymount							146	14	3			
	Kilmaine							84	0	4½			
	Kilcommon							105	13	11			
	Neale							221	15	6¼			
	Newbrook							61	2	7¾			
	Owenbrim							17	13	6¾			
	Portroyal							47	3	5¼			
	Aasleo							44	4	6¼			
	Shrule							94	0	3			
											1424	11	6¼
Thomas Grady	Cong							156	5	10¼			
	Haundswood							137	12	11½			
											293	18	9¾
										Ld	1718	10	4

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the 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, £44. 9 s. 4¾ d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	37	6	5¼
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	6¾
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	3¾
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...		3	6¼

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

[illegible] of Tea, 12 lbs of Sugar, 6 [illegible] of Port Wine, 40 Bottles [illegible] Porter, 28 lbs of Yellow Soap, 14 lbs of Washing Soda, 2 lbs of Starch, 1/2 lb of Blue, 2 lbs of Hard Candles, 16 lbs of dipt Candles, 1 lb of Pepper, 1800 lbs of White Bread, 300 lbs of Brown Bread, 150 lbs of Meat.

460 Gallons of New Milk, and 95 Boxes of Turf

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 23 day of Jany 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	2	3	6
In kind, - - - -		nil	
Total, - - - £	2	3	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Check 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

The 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~~ was were read, ~~and Orders made thereon~~ as follows:—

Ballinrobe Workhouse,
January 28th 1869

Gentlemen,

As it will be soon time to proceed with the cultivation of the land, I would request of you to allow me the services of some paid labourers to assist the inmates in enabling me to do so.

I would also require your authority to purchase the necessary seeds and other matters requisite for farming operations.

Seeds for farm

I beg to remain,
Gentlemen
Your obedt Servt
Maurice Gorler
Master

To the Board of Guardians
Ballinrobe Union.

Farm

Resolved. That the Master be authorized to employ labourers to assist in the cultivation of the workhouse farm, and to procure such seeds and other matters as may be necessary.

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

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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No. 11 M/69 dated 20th January 1869, requesting to be furnished with a return showing the amount (if any), Expended under the Burial Grounds Acts, in each of the Years ended 29th Sept., since 1856, out of the ordinary rate, or out of any special rate made under the provisions of those Acts.

Resolved That Walter Kelly, Workhouse Tailor, be granted fourteen days leave of absence, from 1st Prox.

Resolved That the chargeability of a pauper Inmate named Bridget Tully, be altered from Dalgan E Division to that of the Union at Large.

Mr. Margaret Donahoe and Mr. Malachy Donahoe, having satisfied the Board as to the loss of four Poor Rate Receipts given them by Collector Mellett, for a Rate made on the Dalgan Divn. on 5th Nov 1868, amounting to £6.9.0. — it is Resolved That Collector Mellett be authorized to issue duplicates of the Receipts which have been lost.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -	8
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - -	Nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	4
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -	1
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -	1
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - -	Nil
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	9

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

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Wm. Taylor
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
11th day of February 1869

(Signed) Thomas Marr
Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Ballinrobe UNION, on Three day, the 28" day of January 1869—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District. Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

Kenwood that the allowance of the Poor Law Commissioners be called to a Resolution contained in copy of Minutes of proceedings of the Board on the 31st of December last — proposing to remunerate Dr James Dillon Kelly, Medical Officer of the Workhouse, at the rate of Four Pounds per week from the 20th Dec. last, in respect of his services as acting Medical Officer of the Cong Dispensary District, and that the Commissioners be requested to sanction that proposal.

The Board of Guardians has been informed that on the 26th inst. Dr Reynolds was appointed to the Office of Medical Officer of the Cong Dispensary District, in room of the late Dr Farr, but owing to other arrangements he said that he was not able to enter upon the discharge of his duties before the 2nd of March next, up to which date, Dr Kelly's services will be required in that District.

The Clerk laid before the Board a Report from the Cong Dispensary District, showing that 82 persons had been successfully Vaccinated by the late Dr Farr, during the Half Year ended 31st Dec. 1868.

Robt Tighe
Chairman

[Signed]

Thomas Mayo
Clerk of the Union.

By Authority: Printed by Alexander Thom, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31.558

Present Net Annual Value, £ 59.956.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of Jan.y 186 9

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	Number in Workhouse on Saturday last.	Number in Workhouse 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, .	679	260										
Temporary Buildings, .												
Additional Workhouse, .												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	1										
Fever Sheds, . . .												
Total, .	644	261										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, .			1	24	64	64	6	12	31	47	16	266
Admitted during the Week, .			"	"	4	4	"	1	"	1		10
TOTAL,			1	24	68	68	5	13	31	50	16	276
Discharged during the Week, .			1	1	3	4	1	1	"	2	1	14
Died, ...					1							1
Total Discharged and Dead, .			1	1	4	4	1	1		2	1	15
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . .			"	23	64	64	4	12	31	48	15	261

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, 73	In separate Wards, 2	
In Fever Hospital, 1	In Wards with other Inmates, 3	
Total, 74	Total, 5	

No. at corresponding period last year. 263

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30 day of Jan.y 186 9, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
I.	4	5				
II.	4	4			4	5
III.					4	4
IV.						
V.						
VI.						
VII.						
VIII.						
IX.						
Forward	8	9			8	9

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
Bt. forwd.						
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 the 4th day of February 186 9.

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Robert Tighe Esq

Other Guardians:—

Thomas Tighe, C Stevens, Walsh Fauvacher, and David Elliott, Esqrs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4305 to No. 4315 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Clerk informed the Board that the Accounts of the Union for Half Year ended 29th Septr. last, would be audited by James Martin Esq. on the 23d. Instant.

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 . . . . . £ 219 : 1 : 4

Paid during the week, ... £ 8 : 18 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £1386 : 5 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.
John Mellott	Ballinrobe	92	16	2				311	7	10			
	Ballinchalla							19	13	3¼			
	Ballyovey							28	0	6¾			
	Burriscara	6	12	8				52	14	8½			
	Cappaghduff							12	12	3¼			
	Coonard	6	10	8				15	14	0¼			
	Dalgan	4	16	4				56	4	7½			
	Hollymount	1	5	7				145	8	8			
	Kilmaine	9	5	7				74	14	9½			
	Kilcommon	7	12	8				98	1	3			
	Neale	25	15	11				195	19	6¼			
	Newbrook	18	0	1				43	2	6¾			
	Queenbrim	9	18	5				7	15	1¾			
	Portrayal	4	2	11				43	0	6¼			
	Gisla	8	0	3				36	4	3¼			
	Shrule	9	4	1				84	16	2			
					204	1	4				1220	10	2¼
Thomas Grady	Cong	8	10	11				147	14	11¼			
	Haundswood	6	9	1				131	3	10½			
					15	0	0				278	18	9¾
		£			219	1	4				1499	9	0

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 £ 8 . 2 . 7 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, £ 34 - 1 s. 7 2/7 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	36	16	10 3/4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7 4
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...		2	11

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

5 lbs of Tea, 12 lbs of Sugar, 8 Bottles of Port Wine, 42 Bottles of XX Porter, 28 lbs of Yellow Soap, 14 lbs of Washing Soda, 2 lbs of Starch, 1/2 lb of Blue, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 16 lbs of dipp Candles, 2 lbs of Pepper and Allspice, 150 lbs of Meat, 1800 lbs of White Bread, 300 lbs of Brown Bread, 460 Gallons of New Milk, and 95 Boxes of Turf.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 30th day of Jany 1869, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	1	4	6
In kind, - - - -			
Total, - - - £	1	4	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Chm Kelly	3 0 0			Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd. Total		3 0 0			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.
1. Petty Disbursements Account			
Clerk of Union to provide for	4	0	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Mrs. Thom for Books . .	4	13	3

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
P. Monahan, for Groceries	8	18	0
Matthew Moran, for Meat	13	8	10
A. Bermingham, for White Bread	48	0	7
A. Bermingham for Indian Meal	9	18	4
P. Monahan, for New Milk	40	1	10
Patrick Fergus, for Turf	15	0	10
A. Bermingham, for Brown Bread	7	0	5

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:—

no Report from the Master this day

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

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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, No. 24 M 69. dated 2d February. 1869. requesting to be furnished with a Return of the particulars respecting the Rates made, and agreed upon during Month of January. 1869.

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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 - - 5

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 11

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

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

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

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

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

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Robert A. Rutledge, Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the 11th day of February 1869

(Signed) Thomas May

Clerk of the Union.

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

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Ballinrobe UNION,
on Thurs day, the 4th day of February 186 7—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

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

_____ District, ... £

_____ District, ... £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 30th Jan.y 1862 N.o 94 stating that

may on the subject of the present state of small Pox in Ireland.

Letter from same, dated 30th Jan.y 1862. N.o 2341/62 enclosing a copy of a Letter which the Commissioners have addressed to the Committee of Management of Cong Dispensary District, expressing their approval of the appointment of D.r Patrick B Reynolds as Medical Officer for said District, at a Salary of £100. per Annum.

Letter from same, dated 5 February 1862 N.o 2585/62 expressing their sanction to the proposal to remunerate D.r Dillon Kelly for his services as Temporary Medical Officer of the Cong Dispensary District at the rate of Eleven pounds per week.

Thomas Burke Esq.r Chairman

(Signed)

Thomas Clary

Clerk of the Union.

BY AUTHORITY: Printed by ALEXANDER THOM, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31.568.

Present Net Annual Value, £57.756.12.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of February 1862.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be lodged in each class.	No. lodged on the night of this Return.	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.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	519	275													
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,	66	1													
Fever Sheds,															
Total,	644	276													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	23	64	64	4	12	31	48	15	261	In Workhouse Hospital, 72 / In Fever Hospital, 1 / Total, 73	In separate Wards, 2 / In Wards with other Inmates, 3 / Total, 5	
Admitted during the Week,			1	5	5	4		2	4	9	3	33			
Total,			1	28	69	68	4	14	35	57	18	294			
Discharged during the Week,			1	4	3	4				5		17			
Died,					1							1			
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	4	4	4				5		18			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,				24	65	64	4	14	35	52	18	276			

No. at corresponding period last year. 268

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of February 1862, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	4	5			4	5	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	4	4			4	4	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	8	9			8	9	TOTAL. -						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 11th day of February 1862.

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Robert Wyttledge Esq.r

Other Guardians:—

Christopher Bowen, D.L. (the Chairman of the Board), Farrell Malley, Benjamin Hemmings, and John Elwood Esq.rs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4014 to No. 4047 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

Mr. Patrick Kelly, jun^r. Relieving Officer, reported the receipt of Six Evidence Notices in the Ballinroke Electoral Div^n, at the suit of Charles Howard Knox, Esqr. v. John Malley. Julia Malley. Peter Toole, Peter Murphy, John Feeny, Pat^k Hogan, Ellen Hession, — Ryles, Burke, James Burke, and Richard Burke. The Notices were handed to the Clerk to be deposited with the Union Records.

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 . . . . . £ nil : :

Paid during the week . . . . . £ 180 : 3 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 1054 : 2 : 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.	Remaining. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.
John Mollett	Ballinroke			311 7 10	
	Ballinabella			17 18 3½	
	Ballynery			23 0 6½	
	Beneraveen			59 111 8½	
	Cappagholliff			19 19 3½	
	Coonagh			15 14 0½	
	Dalgan			56 4 7½	
	Hollymount			145 8 8	
	Kilmaine			74 14 2½	
	Kilcommon			98 1 3	
	Toale			135 13 6½	
	Nicholstown			43 2 6½	
	Queenheim			7 15 11½	
	Tyr royal			43 0 6½	
	Tyrolee			36 4 3½	
	Thirtle			84 16 2	
					1220 10 2½
Thomas Grady	Camp			147 14 11½	
	Harlandswood			131 3 10½	
					278 18 7½
				£ 1498 9 10	

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts 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, £34. 12 s. 7½ d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	36	17	8
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...		6	1½

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

lbs of Tea, 12 lbs of Sugar, 4 Battles of Port Wine, 36 Battles of XX Porter, 25 lbs of Yellow Soap, 14 lbs of Washing Soda, 2 lbs of Starch, ½ lb of Blue, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 16 lbs of dipp Candles, 1 lb of Pepper, 1 Pint of Cherry, 150 lbs of Oatmeal, 1800 lbs of White Bread, 300 lbs of Brown Bread, 460 Gallons of New Milk, 75 Boxes of Fairy, 1 Battle of Calcavella Wine.

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 6th day of Feby 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	1	8	0
In kind, - - - -		Nil	
Total, - - -	£ 1	8	0

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.	John Hynes	4 0 0			No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd. Total		4 0 0			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.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

The 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~~ was read, ~~and Orders made thereon as~~ follows:—

Ballinrobe Workhouse
February 11th 1869

Gentlemen

I beg to report that Doctor Kaughran, Poor Law Insp^r, visited the Workhouse, Infirmary, and Fever Hospital, on the 5th Inst.

Since the last Meeting of the Board, the Milk Contractor failed to procure the required quantity of Milk for supper; but substituted Tea and Butter in lieu of it.

I beg to remain
Gentlemen,
Your obed^t. Servant
Maurice Glacier,
Master.

To The Guardians,
Ballinrobe Union,

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

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

Mr. Walter Kelly, Workhouse Master, being temporarily incapacitated from performing his duties owing to illness, on the recommendation of the Visiting Committee, the Master employed Mr. John Ryan, Tailor, on Monday the 8th inst. to make clothes for the Men and Boys, which were required for urgent use

Resolved. That the Board approves of the employment of Mr. John Ryan, for such time as may be necessary, at a remuneration for his services of 5/- per day.

The Workhouse Master and Relieving Officers were called upon to lay before the Board on Thursday next, a List of all deserted Children in the Workhouse, with a view to the institution of Legal proceedings against the parents of such Children.

Resolved. That the Clerk be directed to advertise by printed handbill, and in the "Rathmolee Chronicle, Mayo Constitution" and "Mayo Examiner" for Tenders for the following Contracts:-

Workhouse Supplies
Repairs.
Medicines &c. for Workhouse and Dispensaries,

Tenders to be considered on Thursday the 11th proximo,

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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 - -	11
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	8
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -	1
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -	nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	2

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

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Robt. Tighe
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the 18" day of February 1869

(Signed) Thomas Mary

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Ballinrobe UNION, on Thurs day, the 11th day of February 186 7.—*continued.*

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

An Estimates of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the Ballinrobe, Cong, and Clonbur Dispensary Districts, approved by the Committees of Management, and laid before the Board, with Requisitions from the Committees for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon as follows:

The Estimates were approved of, and Orders made upon the Contractors to supply the Medicines &c specified therein,

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):

Ballinrobe Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. H. Irwin for Vaccination Fees Amount £9. 4. 0

" of D. Singleton for Vaccination Fees . £4. 8. 0

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

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

_____ 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.]

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

Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

The Clerk laid before the Board, a Report from Doctor Barron, showing that 138 persons had been successfully Vaccinated in the Hollymount Dispensary District, during the Half Year ended 31st Dec. 1868

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

(Signed)

Thomas Mann
Clerk of the Union.

By Authority: Printed by Alexander Thom, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

Rathmore UNION.

Population in 1861— 31,558

Present Net Annual Value, £ 57,756. 19 0

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse,	679	274										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	2										
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	644	276										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			24	65	64	4	14	35	52	18	27	6
Admitted during the Week,			"	"	7	2	"	"	1	1		11
Total,			24	72	66	4	14	36	53	18	28	7
Discharged during the Week,			2	5	1				2	1		11
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	5	1				2	1		11
Remaining on the above date,			22	67	65	4	14	36	51	17	27	6

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,	75	In separate Wards,	24
In Fever Hospital,	2	In Wards with other Inmates,	8
Total,	77	Total,	8

OBSERVATIONS.

No. at corresponding period last year. 266

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of February 1869, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Persons.
No. I.	4	5			4	5
No. II.	3	3	1	1	4	4
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Bt. forward	7	8	1	1	8	9

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Persons.
Bt. forwd.						
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 the 18th day of February 1869, Thursday

PRESENT: In the Chair, Robert Sigho Esq

Other Guardians:—

Thomas Stoker to Thomas [illegible]
Elwood Garrett Wallis Nicholas Walsh and
David Ellegatt Esquires

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4348 to No. 4358 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

That he advertised in manner directed for Tenders for Contracts for Workhouse supplies, Repairs, Medicines, &c.

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 . . . . . £276 : 17 : 6

Paid during the week, ... £ 37 : 2 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £1495 : 16 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.
John Mellett	Ballinrobe	63	9	1				247	18	9			
	Ballinchalla	2	3	7				17	9	8¼			
	Ballyovey	6	10	11				16	9	7¾			
	Burrisoleen	4	10	6				48	4	2½			
	Cappaghduff	2	18	11				9	13	4¼			
	Coonard	10	18	8				4	15	4¼			
	Dalgan	3	1	6				53	3	1½			
	Hollymount	23	11	2				121	17	6			
	Kilmaine	31	7	7				43	7	2½			
	Kilcommon	19	11	8				78	9	7			
	Neale	30	0	8				165	18	10¼			
	Newbrook	8	4	3				34	18	3¾			
	Owenbrinn	1	14	4				60	0	9¾			
	Portroyal	5	15	6				37	5	0¼			
	Roslee	7	8	8				28	15	7¼			
	Shrule	40	10	6				44	5	8			
					261	17	6				958	12	8¼
Thomas Grady	Cong	5	0	9				142	14	2¼			
	Hazelwood	9	19	3				121	4	7½			
					15	0	0				263	18	9¾
					276	17	6				1222	11	6

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

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

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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, £35 . 10 s. 7¾ d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	37	15	10¾
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	6½
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	2½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	3

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

3 lbs of Tea, 12 lbs of Sugar, 2 Bottles of Port Wine, 36 Bottles of XX Porter, 1 Pint of whiskey, 28 lbs of Yellow Soap, 14 lbs of washing Soda, 2 lbs of Starch, 5 lb of Blue, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 16 lbs of dept Candles, 1 lb of Pepper, 150 lbs of Meat, 2000 lbs of white Bread, 200 lbs of brown Bread, 460 Gallons of Cow Milk, 95 Boxes of Turf. 20 Cwt. of Oatmeal.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 13 day of Feby 1869, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	1	5	0
In kind, - - - -	nil		
Total, - - - £	1	5	0

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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.
Account of Maintenance in Deaf & Dumb Asylum			
D O'Brien, for six months pension for Maintenance &c. of a deaf mute named Martin Joyce	7	10	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. 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~~ was read, ~~and Orders made thereon~~ as follows:—

Ballinrobe Workhouse,
February, 18th 1849

Gentlemen,

I beg to report that the Contractor still continues to be deficient of the supply of Milk required for the suppers of the Workhouse Inmates — I have to add, that in every case in which the milk was short, the Contractor supplied Tea and Butter as a substitute in lieu of it.

I beg to remain,
Gentlemen,
Your obedt. Servt.
M Flaherty, Mar.

To The Guardians
Ballinrobe Union.

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

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

Circular Letter from Sir William Carroll, Knt. — Lord Mayor of Dublin, dated 4th February 1867 — enclosing copy of Petition to the House of Commons on the subject of the Irish Railways, upon which it was Unanimously Resolved, That the Petition be adopted; and forwarded to Lord Bingham, MP. for presentation to the House of Commons.

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The Workhouse Master and Relieving Officers, laid before the Board a list of 29 deserted Children relieved in the Workhouse, upon which it was Resolved. That Mr. John Kelly, Relieving Officer, be directed to prosecute John Gallaher for deserting his Child Bridget, on the 4th inst.

That Notices be prepared by the Clerk for the parents of several of the Children named in the list, requiring them to come into the Workhouse, to be there lodged and Maintained, in pursuance of Sect. 58 of Act 1 & 2 Vict cap 56, and that such Notices be submitted for the Guardians signature on Thursday next.

A man named John Burke came before the Board and complained that his wife Margaret, received improper treatment whilst a patient in the Workhouse Hospital,

The Board could not investigate the complaint in the absence of Margaret Burke who was unable to be present owing to illness

Resolved. That a pauper Inmate named Margaret Moran, be prosecuted for assaulting another Inmate named Ellen Kelly.

The Medical Officer submitted an Estimate of Medicines &c required for the Workhouse Hospital, which was approved of, and an Order was made directing Contractors to supply the Medicines &c specified there

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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 - - 7

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - Nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 10

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

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

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

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

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

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Robt. Pighe
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
25" day of February 186 9
(Signed) Thomas Clay
Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the_____UNION,

on_____day, the_____day of_____186 .—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

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

_____ District, ... £

_____ District, ... £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Signed,

_____
Clerk of the Union.

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Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861—31,558 *Present Net Annual Value,* £53,956,12,0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of February 1867

Number of Rooms for which accommodation is provided.	Number of Rooms for which separate accommodation is not provided.	Number of Rooms for which separate accommodation is provided.
Workhouse,	577	280
Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse,		
Permanent Fever Hospital,	66	2
Fever Sheds,		
Total,	644	282

	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,	29	67	66	4	14	36	51	17	276	
Admitted during the Week,	2	4	5	1	1	4	2		19	
TOTAL,	24	71	70	5	15	40	53	17	295	
Discharged during the Week,	1	4	5	"	"	"	2	1	13	
Died,										
Total Discharged and Dead,	1	4	5	"	"	"	2	1	13	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	23	67	65	5	15	40	51	16	282	

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,	80	In separate Wards,	27	Night Lodgers relieved during week Male — 1, Females, incl. Children under 16 — incl. 1 of that class remaining in workhouse at end of week Male, incl. Females, incl. Children, nil
In Fever Hospital,	2	In Wards with other Inmates,	3	
Total,	82	Total,		
No. at corresponding period last year.	266			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20th day of February 1867, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	3	4	1	1	4	5	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	3	3	1	1	4	4	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	6	7	2	2	8	9	TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 25th day of February 1867.

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Robert Blythe Esq

Other Guardians:—

Thomas Blythe, John Hearne, Thomas Nicholas, Walsh, and David Elliott Esqrs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4358 to No. 4377 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Clerk lodged with the Treasurer on the 20th Inst. a Sum of £24. 7. 6, being the amount deducted from the pension of the late John McGrath, Constabulary Pensioner, for maintenance of his wife from 1st Oct. 1864 to 30th June, 1868.

The Clerk reports that he forwarded to Lord Bingham M.P. a Petition for presentation to the House of Commons, on the subject of the Irish Railways.

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 . . . . . £24 : 7 : 6

Paid during the week, ... £11 : 12 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £1508 : 11 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.
John Mollett	Ballinrobe							247	18	9			
	Ballinchalla							17	9	8¼			
	Ballyovey							16	9	7¾			
	Burriscarra							48	4	2½			
	Cappaghduff							9	13	4¼			
	Coonard							1	15	4¼			
	Dalgan							53	3	1½			
	Hollymount							121	17	6			
	Kilmaine							43	7	2½			
	Kilcommon							78	9	7			
	Neale							165	18	10¼			
	Newbrook							34	18	8¾			
	Owenbrin							6	0	9¾			
	Portrayal							37	5	0¼			
	Raslee							28	15	7¼			
	Shrule							44	5	8			
											958	12	8¼
Thomas Grady	Cong							142	14	2¼			
	Haundswood							121	4	7½			
											263	18	9¾
											£ 1222	11	6

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 5. 19. 7 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 35. 7 s. 9 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	37	17	1¼
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	6½
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	11½

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

1½ lbs of Salt supplemental, 3 lbs 15 Boxes of Snuff, 24 sticks of Sealing wax, 1 Pint of Chamber, 1 Gross of Iron Rat Trap, 24 lbs of Yellow Soap, 4 Pounds, 6 Dozen fine Combs, 14 lbs of washing Soda, 2 lbs of Candles, 4½ lbs of Black, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 16 lbs of Sperm Candles, 1 lb of Pepper, 160 lbs of Meal, 1894 lbs of White Bread, 20 lbs of Brown Bread, 460 Gallons of skim Milk, 95

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 20th day of Feb.y 1869, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -			
In kind, - - - -	1.	5.	6
Total, - - -	£ 1.	5.	6

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward.				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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.
1. Petty Disbursements &c.for.			
Clerk of Union to provide for	19	4	5

Petty Disb.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. 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~~ was read, ~~and Orders made thereon~~ as follows:—

Ballinrobe Workhouse,
February 25th 1869

Gentlemen,

Beg to state that I attended at the County House on Monday last, for the purpose of having the case of Ellen Kelly against Mary Moran for assault at the Workhouse on the 16th Inst. brought before the presiding Magistrates, but the case was afterwards withdrawn by the complainant,

The Milk Contractor still continues to be deficient in the supply of Milk, but substitutes the usual allowance of Tea and Butter in lieu,

I am Gentlemen,
Your obedt Servt
[illegible]
Master

To the Board of Guardians.
Ballinrobe Union,

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

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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No. 47. M/69 dated 17th February 1869, on the subject of the Returns of Work House Inmates, and requesting that the number of persons admitted each week as Night Lodgers may be entered on the Monthly, and the weekly Returns.

Letter from Poor Law Comm.rs No. 4584/69. dated 24th February 1869 in reference to a complaint made by a Man named John Burke to the effect that his wife received improper treatment while she was a patient in the Union House Hospital; and requesting that the Guardians will obtain a written explanation from the Medical Officer and Hospital Nurse on the subject as far as they may be aware of the circumstances of the case,

Resolved That copies of the above Letter be furnished to the Medical Officer and Hospital Nurse, and

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and that they be requested to furnish written explanations on next Board-day.

Resolved That in future the Hospital Nurse be directed to report to the Master any complaint made of ill-treatment of Patients in the Hospital by the pauper Nurses employed attending the sick, and that such complaint be forthwith entered by the Master on his Journal, and submitted to the Guardians at the next Meeting.

The Clerk submitted for signature Notices to the parents of deserted Children relieved in the Workhouse, requiring them to come into the Workhouse to see their Children maintained, in pursuance of Section 28 of 8 & 9 Vic. Cap 83 — The Names of the parties for whom Notices were submitted are as follows:—

Ellen Burke	of	Ballinrobe
Charles Joyce	of	Cannonbrook
Bridget Downey	of	Ballinrobe
Anne Hoban	of	Tawnyinane
Catherine Hoppins	of	Ballinrobe
Charles Feeney	of	Cannaraya
Michael Reilly	of	Carrowkeel
Mary Lynskey	of	Knockgrove
John Hennion	of	Kilcashane
Paul Roach	of	Drumaney
Pat Garvey	of	Knockgrove
Bridget Coleman	of	Kilcarnbeg & Killaspugbrone
John O'Neill	of	Kilcommon

These Notices were duly signed, and the Relieving Officers directed to send copies of same with as little delay as possible, — should any of the above parties express to the Master a willingness to maintain her

or her child or children outside the Workhouse the Clerk is authorized to discharge such child or children.

The Clerk laid before the Board of Guardians, the audited Abstracts of the Union Accounts for the Half Year ended 29th Sept. last, which were approved of and signed by the Chairman on behalf of the 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 - - 8

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - nil

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Robt. Tighe
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
4th day of March 1869

(Signed) Thomas Day
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____ UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 186 .—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

_____ _____*Dispensary District,*

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

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

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

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Signed,

_____
Clerk of the Union.

By Authority: Printed by Alexander Thom, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861—31,558 *Present Net Annual Value, £57,956. 12 0*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of February 1867

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. then in the Workhouse.	Total No. relieved during the week ending this 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, . . .	579	274										
Temporary Buildings, .												
Additional Workhouse, .	66	2										
Permanent Fever Hospital,												
Fever Sheds, . .												
Total, . .	645	276										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . .			23	67	65	5	15	40	51	16	282	
Admitted during the Week, .			"	"	1	2	"	.	"	"	2	5
TOTAL,			23	68	67	5	15	40	51	18	287	
Discharged during the Week, .			1	3	2	1	1	2	1		11	
Died, ...												
Total Discharged and Dead, .			1	3	2	1	1	2	1		11	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			22	65	65	4	14	38	50	18	276	

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, 84	In separate Wards, 7
In Fever Hospital, 2	In Wards with other Inmates, 3
Total, 86	Total, 8

OBSERVATIONS.

Eight Lunatics or Cases

	Males, above 15	Females, above 15	Children under 15	Total
Number relieved during week	nil	nil	nil	nil
Number in Workhouse at date of Return	nil	nil	nil	nil

No. at corresponding period last year. 279

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of February 1867, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	3	4	1	1	4	5	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	4	4	1	1	5	5	No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	7	8	2	2	9	10	TOTAL, -						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the Thursday 7th day of March 1867.

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Robert Wight Esq

Other Guardians:—

Thomas Wight, John Hearne, Gallagher, Nicholas Walsh, John Bennett, Farrell Kelly, and Nicholas Yeomans, Esqrs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4378 to No. 4382 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

That he furnished to the Medical Officer, and Hospital Nurse, copies of the Poor Law Commissioners Letter of the 24th Ultimo, No. 4584/67.

That he furnished the Hospital Nurse and Workhouse Master with copies of the Resolution in reference to complaints which may be made of ill-treatment of patients in the Workhouse Hospital by the pauper Nurses employed attending the Sick.

Mr. John Kelly, jun. Relieving Officer, reported the receipt of one Eviction Notice in the Electoral Division of Neale, at the suit of Richard Augustus Cooper Esq. v James Conry and Bridget Conry. — the Notice was handed to the Clerk to be deposited with the Union Records.

Mr. Kelly also reported that John Gallagher was convicted of having deserted his child, and sentenced to one fortnight's imprisonment at hard labour.

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 . . . . . £ 201 : 3 : 3

Paid during the week, ... £ 12 : 4 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 1697 : 10 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.
John Mellett	Ballimake	32	19	1				214	19	8			
	Ballinchalla		5	11				17	3	9¼			
	Ballyavey	1	4	1				15	5	6¾			
	Burriscana	6	2	7				42	1	7½			
	Cappaghduff	1	2	0				8	11	4¼			
	Coonard	1	0	0				3	15	4¼			
	Dalgan	36	16	1				16	7	0½			
	Hollymount		6	3				121	11	3			
	Kilmaine	4	2	2				39	5	0½			
	Kilcommon	3	8	5				75	1	2			
	Neale	28	13	9				137	5	1¼			
	Newbrook	21	3	8				13	14	7¾			
	Owenbrum							6	11	9¾			
	Portrayal	1	16	6				35	8	6¼			
	Roslee	13	12	11				15	2	8¼			
	Shrule	2	9	10				41	15	10			
					155	3	3				803	9	5¼
Thomas Grady	Cong	26	12	3				116	1	11¼			
	Houndswood	19	7	9				101	16	10½			
					46	0	0				217	18	9¾
				£	201	3	3				1021	8	3

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 £ 8. 11. 5 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £50. 12 s. 10½ d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	38	5	11¼
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	6½
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	1
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...		6	4

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

3 lbs of Tea. 12 lbs of Sugar, 1 Bottle of Old Wine, 24 Bottles of Water, 28 lbs of Yellow Soap, 14 lbs of Washing Soda, 2 lbs of Lard. 1/2 lb of Blue. 2 lbs of Mould Candles. 16 lbs of dipt Candles. 1 lb of Pepper. 166 lbs of Meat. 1824 lbs of White Bread. 224 lbs of Brown Bread. 460 Gallons of New Milk, and 75 Boxes of Sulphur

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 27th day of Feby 1869, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	1.	12.	6
In kind, - - - -		nil	
Total, - - - £	1.	12.	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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.
Mr. Thomas Sarsfield for straw	5	6	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
P. Monahan for Altar Requisites		2	2

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
P. Monahan, for Groceries	10	18	0
Matthew Moran, for Meat	13	16	6
A. Birmingham, for White Bread	51	1	7
P. Monahan, for New Milk	42	10	10
P. Monahan, for Oatmeal	14	15	0
Patrick Feyers, for Turf	15	0	10
A. Birmingham, for Brown Bread	6	1	2

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

4. ~~Out-door Relief Invoice~~ Polly Deils Account.

	£	s.	d.
Clerk of Union to provide for	4	0	0

Credit Treasurer and Debit ~~Out-door Relief Invoice~~ Polly Deils 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:—

No report from the Master this day

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

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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No. 50 M/67, dated 1st March 1867, requesting to be furnished with a Return of the particulars respecting the Rates made, and agreed upon during Month of February 1867.

Referring to the Poor Law Commissioners Letter of the 24th Ultimo, No. 4584/67, the Clerk read explanations received from the Medical Officer and Hospital Nurse, of which the following are copies:—

Ballinrobe
3 March 1867

Gentlemen

In compliance with the Letter of the Commissioners of last thursday: I beg to submit a resume of the case of Margaret Burke lately an inmate in the Infirmary.

Margaret Burke was admitted on the 16th January

16th January, I sent her at once to the lying in ward as she stated that her time had expired, she was safely delivered of a male child on the 2d of February: five or six days subsequently she was attacked with slight hemorrhage for which I ordered some Medicine and directed the Ward to be kept cool, she was perfectly recovered in a few days and left the Infirmary of her own accord on the 15th of February.

During the time she was in Hospital she never made the slightest complaint of bad treatment, although I saw her every morning and frequently asked her if she cared for anything in particular, and if she was comfortable,

She gave me as a reason for leaving Hospital that she thought she would not recover and she did not like to die in the Workhouse,

I think it well to state that she came into the Hospital merely for her confinement, but she was suffering from Bronchitis and Organic disease of the heart accompanied with great difficulty of breathing.

I remain, Gentlemen
Your obedient Servant
James Dillon Kelly
Medical Officer

To the Guardians of the Poor
Ballinrobe

Workhouse, Ballinrobe
4th March 1867

Gentlemen

In reference to a complaint made to me on the 18th Ultimo, by a man named John Burke of improper treatment of his wife Margaret Burke while she was a patient in the Workhouse Hospital, I respectfully beg to explain that Mrs. Burke was admitted

admitted on the 14th of January last, and left it on the 15th Ultimo, during which time I treated her with marked kindness, and was most particular in giving her what was ordered by the Medical Officer; owing to her weakly state, I never missed a day or night that I did not visit her several times. Mr. Burke never complained to me of improper treatment, nor made any allegation of neglect on the part of the pauper Nurse in charge of her Ward.

I observed from a Report of your proceedings on the 18th Ultimo, which appeared in the "Ballinrobe Chronicle" of the 20th Ultimo, that John Burke stated that he was informed by his wife "that the Workhouse" "Matron threw a bason of water on the fire in her" "Ward and quenched it" In justice to the Matron, I feel bound to say that such was not the fact, and that the Matron had nothing whatever to do with the quenching of the fire in her ward, I quenched it at Eleven O'clock at night, and I did so by the direction of the Medical Officer, who was desirous that Mr. Burke should

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -	2
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	5
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -	nil
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -	nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	nil

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.)

should be kept perfectly cool.

Mr. Burke often asked me to extinguish the fire in her ward, and never complained of cold.

When Mr. Burke was leaving the Hospital on the 15th Ultimo, she said her reason for doing so was that she had no hope of recovering, and would wish to die in her own house, she added, "Mr. Fahey, "I leave you my thousand blessings, as nothing could "exceed your kindness to me"

I have the honor to be
Gentlemen,
Your most obedt. Servant
Mary Fahey
Hospital Nurse

To The Board of Guardians
Ballinrobe Union.

Resolved, That the Board of Guardians is of opinion that the explanations of the Medical Officer and Hospital Nurse are satisfactory,

Resolved, That in the cases of deserted children claimed by their parents who have not clothes in store suitable to their present requirements, the Master is authorized to give such children on their leaving the Workhouse, as much of the Workhouse clothes now in store as may be required for their wants,

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Robt. Tighe
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the
11th day of March 1869

(Signed) Homer Clary
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Ballinrobe UNION, on Thurs day, the 14th day of March 1867.—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

Dong *Dispensary District,*

Account of Mr. Kelly *for* remuneration: ~~*Amount £*~~

for services as temporary Medical Officer: Amt. £45.2.10

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

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

_____ *District,* . . . . . £

_____ *District,* . . . . . £

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners *stating that*

No. 43-M/69. dated 18th February 1869. transmitting for the information of the Board of Guardians, a copy of a Circular Letter which they have addressed to the Committee of Management of each Dispensary District, with a copy of the revised form of Medical Relief Register which accompanied it.

Circular Letter from same, No. 44-M/69. dated 23rd February 1869. on the subject of the small Pox epidemic, and stating that the only protection against danger arising from that disease, consists in a well-conducted enforcement of the provisions of the Compulsory Vaccination Act.

Referring to the Commissioners Circular Letter of the 18th Instant No. 43-M/69. the Clerk informed the Board that he had in stock three Medical Relief Register Books, and 2 Attendance and Prescription Books, according to the forms prescribed in the Dispensary regulations, upon which it was Resolved that when the Books in stock are used, the Board will provide Register Books according to the revised forms.

Robt. Pyke
Chairman

Signed

Thos. Clay
Clerk of the Union.

By Authority: Printed by Alexander Thom, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31,558.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 59,956. 12 0

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				
Workhouse, . .	579	260										
Temporary Buildings, .												
Additional Workhouse, .												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	4										
Fever Sheds, . .												
Total, . .	644	264										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . .				22	65	65	4	14	38	50	18	276
Admitted during the Week, .			"	"	5	6	1	1	3	2		17
TOTAL,				22	70	70	6	15	41	52	18	293
Discharged during the Week, .			"	3	4	3	—	4	11	5	5	28
Died, ...						1						1
Total Discharged and Dead, .				3	4	4		4	4	5	5	29
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .				19	66	66	5	11	37	47	13	264

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, 78	In separate Wards, —	Hospital Cases 11 Casuals
In Fever Hospital, 4	In Wards with other Inmates, 3	
Total, 82	Total, 3	

Members Relieved during week — —
Number in workhouse at date of Return — —

No. at corresponding period last year. 271

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of March 1869, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	3	4	1	1	4	5
No. II.	4	4			4	4
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward	7	8	1	1	8	9

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
Bt. forwd.						
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* Thursday *the* 11th *day of* March 1869

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Robert Pyke Esq

Other Guardians:—

Christopher Bowen, Esq. James Thomas Bowen, Richard Walsh, and David Ellard Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4383 to No. 4399 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Clerk laid before the Board a copy of the List of duly qualified candidates nominated for Office of Guardian in Ballinrobe Union, for year ending 25th March 1870.

The Clerk submitted a Receipt from the Treasurer for a sum of £5, "Restitution Money" handed to him by the Revd. Thomas Hardiman, P.P. of Ballinrobe.

The Clerk laid before the Board a receipt from the Treasurer for a sum of £5.5.10, received as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
For Maintenance of the late Bridget McGrath, wife of the late A. McGrath, Constabulary Pensioner, to 27th Sept. 1868	1	11	7
For Maintenance of Constabulary Patients	3	14	3
Total	£5	5	10

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 . . . . . £ 5 : 0 : 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 197 : 14 : 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 1504 : 16 : 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.
John Mellett	Ballinrobe							214	19	8			
	Ballinchalla							17	3	9¼			
	Ballyavey							15	5	6¾			
	Burrescarra							42	1	7½			
	Cappaghduff							8	11	4¼			
	Coonard							3	15	4¼			
	Dalgan							16	7	0½			
	Hollymount							121	11	3			
	Kilmaine							39	5	0½			
	Kilcommon							75	1	2			
	Neale							137	5	1¼			
	Newtrook							13	14	7¾			
	Owenbrum							6	0	9¾			
	Portroyal							35	8	6¼			
	Raclee							15	2	8¼			
	Shrule							41	15	10			
											803	9	5¼
Thomas Grady	Cong							116	1	11¼			
	Hounds wood							101	16	10½			
											217	18	9¾
											£ 1021	8	3

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £84 10 s. 10¾ d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	37	17	5¼
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7¼
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	2½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	10¾

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

1 Bag Flour, 10 Pr of Sugar, 3 Bottles Sauce, Jamaican, of the Value
of Shillings, 24 Bottles of XX Beer, of One pound
Ten Pr of Mutton Candles, 14 lb of
Washing Soda, 2 lb of Starch, 1½
lb of Black, 2 lb of Mould Candles,
16 lbs of dipt Candles, 1 lb of Pepper,
1½ lb of Mace, 1848 lbs of
Potatoes Bread, 2240 lbs of Bread
Bread, 1440 Gallons of Skim Milk
1 Barrel of Salt Herrings for

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 10 day of March 186?, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	1	11	6
In kind, - - - -		nil	
Total, - - -	£ 1	11	6

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	John Kelly	4-0-0			Bt. forward				
No. II.	John Kyle	4-0-0			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.				
Carr. forwd.		8-0-0			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.
Petty Disbursements account			
Clerk of Union to provide for	4	11	0
Petty Disb.			

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Postage &c. for Medicines, &c.	16	13	8

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

The 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 Dr. Kaughan, Poor law Insp. visited the Workhouse, Infirmary, and Sever[illegible] hola on Yesterday, at 10 O'clock A.M.

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

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

1

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 5753/1863 dated 10th March 1863, referring to the slow progress made by Mr. Gadsby, Poor Rate Collector in the collection of the Rate, and requesting that the Guardians will impress on him a more rapid discharge of duty.

Ordered, That the Clerk do acquaint Mr. Gadsby's Collection is very unsatisfactory, —

That he be furnished with a copy of the Letter and Extract dated of the 10th inst. No. 5753, and called upon to collect and lodge a Sum of £100 with the Union Treasurer on or before the 8th proximo, exclusive of the Amount of his Collection for Fortnight ending 10th inst.

John Orpheus Berry named Clarence Hemmant, age 12 Years, who has been for a long time an Inmate of the Workhouse, having obtained suitable employment for 10/, which he has advanced

It was Resolved That the Master be authorized to give Clarence Hemmant his discharge, and to procure Clothes suitable to his requirements, expense not to exceed One Pound.

The several Tenders for Workhouse Supplies having been opened and considered, It was Resolved that the following Tenders be accepted of.

For One Year from 26th March 1863 to 25th March, 1864

John Butler, Purveyor of Milk — at - 5½ per Gallon

Edmund Hyde Smallbone, Timber Merchant, Stamford

10 feet Planks	9 x 3	at	3/11 each
11½ feet do	9 x 3	at	3/5 do
16 feet do	9 x 3	at	3/11 do
12 feet ¾ inch Boards		at	10½ do
14 feet ¾ inch Boards		at	1/0½ do

Malcolm Sergeant, Stamford

Sweet Oil		at	3/0 per Gallon
Linseed Oil		at	2/11 per do
Prepared Oil		at	3/9 per do
Best white Lead - 101		at	4½ per Stone
Black Lead		at	8/6 per do
Scouring Bricks, etc.		at	2/6 per Cwt.
White Lead		at	3/6 do
Copper Lead		at	1/4 do
Common Lead		at	1/0 per do
Black Lead		at	5/0 per do
Glue		at	4/4 do

Nicholson Pennallow, Glue Manufacturer, Stamford

Glue		at	
Size		at	
Neat's Foot Oil		at	
Curd Soap		at	

John Gill	2½ Nails	at 6	per	lb.
	2/0 Nails	at 5½	per	"
	1/8 Nails	at 5	per	"
	1/0 Nails	at 4½	per	"
	8 Nails	at 4	per	"
	6 Nails	at 3½	per	"
John Bavell	Glazing Diamond panes, finding Materials,	at 1¾	per	Pane
	Square panes,	at 8	per	Superficial Foot
Charles Reeve	16 Gallon Urns with Water Brackets with Iron handles	at 5/0		Each
		at 3/0		do
John Wallace	Lime	at 9/	per	Barrel.
Thomas Hewison	Erecting workhouse blocks in the Square.	£2	per	Annum.
Jeffrey Kellett	Bass Brooms No 6.	at 15/6	per	Dozen
	Short Sprigs	at 6/2	per	Gross.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	12
Ditto disallowed	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	10
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	one
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	nil
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	1

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

Michael Berne, Sweeping Chimneys of Workhouse and Union Hospital. £5. 5. 0 per Annum.

For one year from 30th September 1869. to 29th September 1870.

Patrick Rogers, Good Black or Brown Snuff, at Eight pence per Stated Box.

The Board opened a Tender from Messrs Rebbeck for supply of Medicines, as to the several Items and Dispensaries, which were not accepted, as the Board did not consider it advisable to enter into the Contract at present, and it was Resolved that the Clerk be directed to advertise in the Bacchanalian Examiner, Mayo Constitution and Mayo Examiner, giving notice that the Board will on the day fortnight, proceed to consider Tenders for supplying the Workhouse and Dispensaries with Medicines, &c. from 25th March 1869. to 25th March 1870.

That with a view of including certain Items for the Medicines Contract, the Clerk be instructed to state in the Advertisement, that the Contractor will be permitted by clause 6. Section, packages &c, but must allow the tare price charged for same on their being returned, and also to state that the Board will not bind itself to accept the lowest Tender.

Robt. Light
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
18th day of March 1869
(Signed) Thomas Hay
Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____ UNION,

on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 186 .—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

Ballinrobe Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. P. Leslie & Co. for Medicines: Amount £21. 16 9

Cong Dispensary District
Account of P. Leslie & Co. for Medicines £9. 19. 3
of Frances Mary Vair, Administratrix
of the late Dr. Vair, for Salary due him. £22. 9. 3
of Frances Mary Vair, for Vaccination Fees
due to the late Dr. Vair. £4. 2. 0

Ballinamore Dispensary District.
Account of P. Leslie & Co. for Medicines £21. 11. 10
of Gerald E. Mahon for Vaccination Fees £6. 18. 0

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

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

_____ *District* . . . . . £

_____ *District,* . . . . . £

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Robt. Tighe
Chairman

(Signed)

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union

By Authority: Printed by Alexander Thom, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31.558

Present Net Annual Value, £57.956.12.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13" day of March 1869

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.
Workhouse,	579	265
Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse,		
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	8
Fever Sheds,		
Total,	644	273

	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,		19	66	66	5	11	37	47	13	264
Admitted during the Week,	1	3	7	6	1		3	8	1	30
Total,	1	22	73	72	6	11	40	55	14	294
Discharged during the Week,	1	1	3	2	1	1	2	6	1	18
Died,		1	2							3
Total Discharged and Dead,	1	2	5	2	1	1	2	6	1	21
Remaining on the above date,		20	68	70	5	10	38	49	13	273

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,	73	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,	3
In Fever Hospital,	8		
Total,	81	Total,	3

Observations.

Night Ladgers or Casuals

	Males	Females	Children	Total
Numbers Relieved during week	1	1	4	6
No. in Workhouse at date of Return	–	–	–	nil
No. at corresponding period last year.	279			

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13" day of March 1869, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	3	4	1	1	4	5
No. II.	3	3			3	3
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward	6	7	1	1	7	8

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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. forwd.						
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 Thursday **the** 18 **day of** March **186**9

Present: *In the Chair,* Robert Tighe Esq

Other Guardians:— Thomas Tighe. Christopher Bowen.

and Murtagh Lanaghes Esquires.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4400 to No. 4429 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

That he forwarded to Collector Grady, a copy of the Poor Law Commissioners Letter of the 10th Inst. together with a copy of the Resolution calling upon him to lodge a sum of £100. on or before the 8th proxima.

That he Advertised in manner directed for Tenders for supplying the Workhouse and Dispensaries with Medicines &c. to 25th March, 1870.

The Clerk laid before the Board a receipt from the Treasurer for a sum of £5.5.10 received as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
For Maintenance of the late Bridget McGrath, wife of the late John McGrath, Constabulary Pensioner, to 27th Sept. 1868	1	11	7
For Maintenance of Constabulary Patients	3	14	3
Total	£5	5	10

The Clerk informed the Board that Mr. Michael Berne stated to him that he would not fulfil his contract for sweeping the workhouse Chimneys to 25th March, 1870. upon which it was Resolved, That the Master be authorized to employ a sweep when necessary.

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 . . . . . £295 : 14 : 10

Paid during the week, ... £96 : 3 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £1704 : 7 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.
John Mallett	Ballinrake	39	17	5				175	2	3			
	Ballinchalla	.	10	7				16	13	2¼			
	Ballyovey	4	4	5				11	1	1¾			
	Burriscarra	27	15	4				14	6	3½			
	Cappaghduff	5	16	10				2	14	6¼			
	Cornaid	.	17	11				2	17	5¼			
	Dalgan	7	17	9				8	9	3½			
	Hollymount	72	18	9				48	17	6			
	Kilmaine	27	14	8				11	10	4½			
	Kilcommon	25	8	11				49	13	2			
	Neale	28	18	6				108	6	7¼			
	Newbrook	2	4	10				11	9	9¾			
	Owenbrium	1	9	2				4	11	7¾			
	Portroyal	2	6	11				33	1	7¼			
	Roslee	14	1	6				1	1	2¼			
	Shrule	3	17	3				37	18	7			
					265	14	10				587	14	7¼
Thomas Grady	Cong	18	6	9				97	15	2¼			
	Haundswood	11	13	3				90	3	7½			
					30	0	0				187	18	9¾
				£	295	14	10				725	13	5

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 5 . 7 . 1, was produced and passed.

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

1. The Weekly Reclief 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, £ 34 . 3 s. 10 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	37	: 18 :	10¼
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		: 2 :	7½
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		: 3 :	3½
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:

Linseed Seed amounting to £ 5 . 1 . 0, 300 lb of Starch, 200 lb Soap, 1 lb of Twine, 6 Camel hair Pencils, 3 Sheets, 28 lb of Twine, 1 Cooking Book, 1 Ticket week Book, 1 Cleaning Brush, 1 Set of Blacklead Brushes, 1 Pair, 4 - 15 feet Boards, 1 Set of Cattins, 1 Broom, 1 Scrubbing Brush, 1 Piece of Yellow Board, 6 Yards of Plaid, 600 Gun Needles, 8 Bottles of Port Wine Supplemental, 3 lb of Tea, 10 lb of Sugar, 8 Bottles of Port Wine, 36 Bottles of XX Beer, 2 Pints of Anchovy, 28 lb of Yellow Soap, 14 lb of washing Soda, 28 lb of Starch, 4 lb of Blue, 2 lb of Mould Candles, 16 lb of Dipt Candles, 1 lb of Pepper, 4 lb of Loaf Sugar, 120 lb of Salt, 1600 lb of whited Bread, 224 lb of Brown Bread, 400 lb of Oatmeal, 7 Pairs of Shoes, 2 lb of Yarn Candles,

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

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

The Out-door Reclief 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 Reclief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 13th day of March 1869, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Reclief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	1	1	6
In kind, - - - -	nil		
Total, - - -	£ 1	1	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Check 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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.~~ Establishment Acct.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Y Mary. Clerk of Union. Salary	30	0	0	Geo Kelly, for Advertising	2	10	0
M Glaster. Master Salary	12	10	0	Alfred H Sheridan for Advertising	2	10	0
Robin Gready. Collector. Salary	7	10	0	Thos Rimes. for Repairs of			
Chas G Shawness. Chapl's Salary	3	0	0	Plumbers work	8	0	0
Chas Headman. R.B.C. Salary	15	0	0	Geo Kelly. for Bank Notes	8	14	0

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

James D Kelly. Medical Offr. Salary	25	0	0	Establishment Account. Jas M Ralph, for Vouchers	2	8	6
Pell M Ralph. Apothecary. Salary	5	0	0	Messrs Odell & Pownall Co.			
Chas Stanton. Schoolmaster. Salary	5	0	0	for Groceries, &c.	2	8	1
M Tahey. Hospital Nurse. Salary	5	0	0	Stamps for Envelopes, &c.			
John Kelly. Nat. Officer. Salary	6	5	0	" "	19	14	6
John Hynes. R Officer. Salary	6	5	0				
John Walker. Superannuation							
allowance as Sch. Schoolmaster	3	15	0				
George M Daly, for Rent	10	15	2				
Norman Bale. for Advertising	2	10	0				

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

	£	s.	d.
2 ~~5. Workhouse Invoice Account.~~			
Elections, Law, & other Expenses Acct.			
Thos May, Clerk of Union, for Salr. as Returning officer.	2	10	0
Debit Elections Law & other Expenses Acct. and credit Treasurer with above sum.			
3 Sanitary Expenses Acct.			
A. Kelly, Junr. remuneration for services as Inspr. of Nuisances	2	10	0
John Hynes, remuneration for services as Inspr. of Nuisances	2	10	0

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

	£	s.	d.
4. ~~Out-door Relief Invoice Account.~~			
Workhouse Burial Account			
P. Keyes, for timber for Coffins	.	5	8
Debit Workhouse Burial Acct. and credit Treasurer with above sum.			
5 Petty Disbursements Acct.			
Clerk of Union, to provide for.	24	5	1

Credit Treasurer and Debit ~~Out-door Relief Invoice~~ Petty Disbursements 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:—

No Report from the Master this day

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

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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dtd 6. Feb. 1867 dated 13th March 1867, requesting to be furnished with a Return required by an Order of the House of Commons, dated 7th Inst., showing the Annl. Population, and Expenditure for relief of the Poor; also a comparative statement of the Poor Rate under the present system, and under Union rating, for each Electoral Division of the Union,

Letter from Baines No 6684/1867, dated 15th March 1867 acknowledging receipt of Minutes of proceedings of the Board on the 11th Inst. from which they perceive that the Guardians have accepted Tender for a supply to the Workhouse of "pure new Milk" at 5½ per Gallon, and in reference thereto observing that the price contracted for seems rather low; but it is the duty of the Workhouse Master to reject the Milk sent by the Contractor unless it is pure new milk and to provide a substitute at the Contractors expense,

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The Commissioners at the same time desire to state that, in the event of the supply of Milk not being of the quality contracted for, the attention of the Medical Officer should be specially drawn to his prescribed duty contained in No 5 of the Workhouse Rules, with a view to his advising as to the best substitute to be given on any occasion that the Milk supplied is not equal to that contracted for, and that the Master may receive instructions accordingly,

Resolved in reply to the foregoing Letter, that the Poor Law Commissioners be informed that the Guardians have in the last seven years provided for the supply of a substitute in case of a deficiency by a special covenant in the Bond of which the following is a copy:—

"It is further expressly agreed to by the said _____ that in case of a deficiency in the supply of new milk he will, at the Workhouse-Master and his defaults provide instead of one Gallon of new Milk, 16 oz of Sugar, 8 oz of Butter, and 1 pint of Water to be

That the substitute so covenanted to be supplied has been approved of by Dr. Wareham, Poor Law Inspr. when he filled the office of Medical Officer of the Walkden Workhouse, and the present Medical Officer Dr. Kelly, has also duly expressed his approval of it: in point of fact, no other substitute could be reasonably procurable,

The Clerk informed the Board that he received a Subpœna to attend at the Salford Assizes as a witness in the case of Clerk & Lancaster v. John Winstanley, and to produce at the trial all Rolls now kept by the Plaintiff to the Guardians in the years 1866, 1867, & 1868, and all Minute Books containing records of such Rolls, - He also informed the Board that Mr. Kelly had

[illegible] Medical Officer.

Relieving Officer, received a Subpœna to attend on
the hearing of the same case,

Resolved. That Mr. Maurice Glester,
Workhouse Master, be appointed to act as Clerk of Union
until Mr. Murphy returns from the Galway Assizes.

That Mr. Solon Hynes, Relieving Officer,
be called upon to discharge the duties of that office
in the Unattended Relief District until Mr. Kelly
returns from the Galway Assizes.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - 4

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 6

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - (nil)

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - 2

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

Robt. Tighe
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the 25th day of March 1867

(Signed) Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rathmolee UNION, on Thurs day, the 18th day of March 1869.—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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):

Ballinrobe *Dispensary District,*

Account of Mr. D. Singleton *for* Salary *: Amount* £ 25.0-0

of D. Twiss *for* Salary *: Amt* £ 25.0-0

of W B Falkiner *for* Rent of Cappaghduff Dispensary *: Amt.* £ 4-0.0

Cong Dispensary District

Account of D. Reynolds *for* Salary *: Amount* £ 6.11.6

of J S Blake *for* Rent of Cross Dispens^y. £ 4.0.0

Hollymount Dispensary District.

Account of D. Barron *for* Salary *: Amount* £ 25.0.0

of Wm. Burke *for* Rent of Hollymount Dispens^y. £ 4.0.0

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

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

_____ *District,* . . . . . £

_____ *District,* . . . . . £

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Robt Tighe
Chairman

(Signed)

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

By Authority: Printed by Alexander Thom, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31.558.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 57.956.12 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20" **day of** March 1869

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.
Workhouse,	579	258
Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse,	65	9
Permanent Fever Hospital,		
Fever Sheds,		
Total,	644	267

	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,		20	68	70	5	10	38	49	13	273
Admitted during the Week,	–	2	2	1	–	1	1	2	1	10
Total,		22	70	71	5	11	39	51	14	283
Discharged during the Week,	"	"	4	6	"	"	"	2		12
Died,			2	2						4
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	8				2		16
Remaining on the above date,		22	64	63	5	11	39	49	14	267

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,	69	In separate Wards,	
In Fever Hospital,	9	In Wards with other Inmates,	3
Total,	78	Total,	3

OBSERVATIONS.

Night Lodgers or Casuals

	Males	Females	Children	Total
No. Relieved during week	–	–	–	nil
No. in Workhouse at date of Return	–	–	–	nil

No. at corresponding period last year. 280

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20" **day of** March 1869, **authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.**

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	3	4	1	1	4	5
No. II.	3	3			3	3
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Tot. forward	6	7	1	1	7	8

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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. forwd.						
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* Thursday *the* 25th *day of* March 1869

Present: *In the Chair,* Robert Tighe Esqr

Other Guardians:—

Thomas Tighe. John Hearne
Christopher Bowen and Francis Bowen Esq

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4430 to No. 4439 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week . . . . . £ 81 : 12 : 1

Paid during the week, ... £ Nil : — : —

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was, £1785 : 19 : 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.
John McNally	Ballinrobe	32	14	2				142	8	1			
	Ballinchalla		17	3				15	16	11¼			
	Ballynrow		18	1				10	8	0¾			
	Brecrecana		4	4				14	1	1½			
	Cappachoriff		2	11				2	11	7¼			
	Cornadd		8	9				2	8	8¼			
	Dalpew							8	9	3½			
	Hollymount		6	8				1,18	11	8			
	Kilmeane		6	6				11	3	10½			
	Kilcommon	12	5	10				37	7	4¼			
	Neale	41	9	5				103	17	2¼			
	Newbrook		18	10				10	10	11½			
	Queenberry							4	11	7¼			
	Rathnyal		14	8				32	6	11¼			
	Rosloe							1	1	2¼			
	Strade							37	18	7			
					54	2	9				483	12	7¼
Thomas Grady	Cong	19	6	1				78	9	1¼			
	Havendenwood	2	18	2				87	5	6½			
					22	4	3				165	14	6¾
		£			76	6	3				649	7	2

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

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

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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, £35 . 7 s. 10¾ d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	38	1	1¾
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7¾
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	2
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:

3 lbs Tea, 12 lbs Sugar, 6 Bots Port Vine, 36 Bots ++ Porter, 28 lbs Yellow Soap, 14 lbs Washing Soda, 2 lbs Starch, ½ lb Blue, 2 lbs Mould Candles, 16 lbs dipt Candles, 1 lb Pepper, 1 Pint whiskey, 214 lbs of Meat, 2360 lbs of White Bread, 304 lbs of Brown Bread, 580 Gallons of New Milk, 115 Boxes of Turf, 20-12 feet Boards, 20-14 feet Boards, 1 for Coffins, 8 Sweeping Brushes, 2 Iron Rakes, 8 Bass Brooms, 12 lbs of 8 Nails, 12 lbs of 12 Nails, 6 lbs of 20 Nails, 6 lbs of 2/0 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 20th day of March 1869, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	1	1	6
In kind, - - - -	nil		
Total, - - - £	1	1	6

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

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

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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.

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:

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

No Report from the Master this day

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

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

The Tenders for the Supply of Medecines &c to the Workhouse and Dispensaries having been laid before the Board and Considered It was Resolved

That the Board accepts of the Tender of the Governor and Company of the Apothecaries Hall Ireland for the Supply of Medecines &c for the Workhouse and Dispensaries of the Union to 25th March 1870

On the Application of Wm O'Brien Workhouse Schoolmaster it was ordered That he be granted leave of absence from the 29th inst to the 1st April for the purpose of attending an examination in Tuam to which he has been Summoned by the District-Inspector of National Schools

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -	3
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - -	nil.
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	Nil
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -	Nil
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -	Nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - -	1
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	1

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

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Robt. Tighe
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the 1st day of April 1869

(Signed) Maurice Gloster
Acting Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Ballinrobe UNION,
on Thurs day, the 25th day of March 1869—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District,*

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

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

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

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

229.

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Signed,

Maurice Keatinge
Acting Clerk of the Union.

BY AUTHORITY: Printed by ALEXANDER THOM, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31.558

Present Net Annual Value, £ 59.956.12.0

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

Number of Inmates for which Accommodation is provided.	No. (this line) to be struck out if Accommodation is not provided.	Total No. to be filled in 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,	579	251										
Temporary Buildings,	—											
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	10										
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	644	261										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			22	64	63	5	11	35	43	14	267	
Admitted during the Week,			1	4				2	1	3	11	
TOTAL,			23	68	63	5	11	41	50	17	278	
Discharged during the Week,				6	7	1		1	1	1	17	
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,				6	7	1		1	1	1	17	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			23	62	56	4	11	40	49	16	261	

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, 69	In separate Wards,	
In Fever Hospital, 17	In Wards with other Inmates, 3	
Total, 74	Total, 3	

No. of night lodgers or casuals relieved during week ending this day — Nil

No. at corresponding period last year. 281

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

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	3	4	1	1	4	5	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	3	3			3	3	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	6	7	1	1	7	8	TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 1st day of April 1869.

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Robert Yeates Esq

Other Guardians:—

C. C. Mellett, Thomas Staples, Martin Brown, Francis C. Brown, John Blennerhassett and David Ellicott, Esqrs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4440 to No. 4447 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 3380 to No. 3399, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The Clerk reports that he returned from the Galway Assizes on the 27th Ultimo, and resumed the discharge of his duties.

The Clerk laid before the Board a certified copy of the Return of Guardians elected in Ballinrobe Union for Year ending 25th March, 1870.

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 . . . . . £ nil : :

Paid during the week, ... £305 : 6 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £1480 : 13 : 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.
John Mollett	Ballinrobe	41	14	1				100	14	0			
	Ballinchalla	1	2	4				14	13	7¼			
	Ballyovey	3	2	6				7	5	6¾			
	Burriscarra							14	1	11½			
	Cappaghduff		7	6				2	4	1¼			
	Cannard		3	7				2	5	1¼			
	Dalgan	3	13	10				4	15	5½			
	Hallymount	27	8	1				21	3	2			
	Kilmaine	2	12	8				8	11	2½			
	Kilcommon	25	6	11				12	0	5			
	Neale	45	16	6				58	0	8¼			
	Newbrook	1	11	4				8	19	7¾			
	Owenbrum							4	11	7¾			
	Portrayal	4	3	6				28	3	5¼			
	Roslee							1	1	2¼			
	Shrule	11	2	2				26	16	5			
					168	5	0				315	7	7¼
Thomas Grady	Cong		11	10				77	17	3¼			
	Houndswood	7	5	2				80	0	3½			
					7	17	0				157	17	6¾
				£	176	2	0				473	5	2

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts [illegible]

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 23 " 5 " 4 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 34 . 14 s. 8½ d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	37	6	0¼
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7¾
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...		6	0¾

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

2 lbs of Tea, 10 lbs of Sugar, 5 Bottles and 20 Cwt of Indian Meal, of Port Wine, 36 Bottles of XX Porter, 1 Pint of whiskey, 28 lbs of Yellow Soap, 14 lbs of Washing Soda, 2 lbs of Starch, ½ lb of Blue, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 12 lbs of dept Candle, 1 lb of Copper, 180 lbs of Meat, 1200 lbs of whole Bread, 224 lbs of Brown Bread, 440 Gallons of New Milk, 90 Boxes of Tarp

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 27 day of March 1869, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	1	8	7
In kind, - - - -		nil	
Total, - - - £	1	8	7

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 Check 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
S. Monahan, for Graceries	10	0	5
Matthew Moran for Meat	14	6	2
A Bermingham, for white Bread	46	4	2
A Bermingham, for Brown Bread	5	1	3
S. Monahan, for new milk	39	2	2
Patrick Fergus for Turf	14	5	0

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:—

No Report from the Master this day

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

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

This being the first Meeting after the Annual Election of Guardians — Moved proposed by Robert Stephenson Esq seconded by Nicholas Walsh Esq. and Unanimously Resolved That Robert Shallcross Esq be elected Chairman of the Board for the Year ending 25th March 1870

Proposed by E. B. Mellor Esq
seconded by Christopher Dawson Esq.
and Unanimously Resolved That Robert Stephenson Esq be elected Vice Chairman of the Board for the Year ending 25th March, 1870,

Mr Stephenson having taken the Chair,

Proposed by E. B. Mellor Esq.
seconded by Paul Ellgood Esq
and Unanimously Resolved

That Christopher Dawson Esq be elected Deputy Vice Chairman of the Board for the Year ending 25th March, 1870.

Resolved

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Resolved That Stanhope Kenrick, Thomas Hughes, John Heaine, Nicholas Walsh, David Ellgood, and Alexander Gaugher Esquires, be appointed Members of the "Finance and Visiting Committee" to 25th March, 1870

Resolved That the Chairman, Vice Chairman, and Deputy Vice Chairman, be Ex-officio members of the "Finance and Visiting Committee", and of all other Committees relating to the ordinary administration of the Poor Laws, which may be appointed during their Year of Office,

In pursuance of Section 20 of Act 1 & 2 Vic cap 56. It is
Resolved That the following persons be appointed Wardens for the Year ending 25th March, 1870.

Names of Persons appointed	Residences	Parishes or parts Electoral Divisions of Parishes for which respectively appointed parts of Parishes are situate
Henry Rose Dawson Waldron J.P.	Chapel Field	Part of Long Lane and Vauxhall
Rose Thomas Browne J.P.	Caldecott	Part of Tithebarn Street and
Rev R Saville J.P.	Mount Pleasant	Part of Tithebarn Bolton and Copperhouse
Rose Schwellenbach Esq J.P.	Parbold	Part of Tithebarn Parbold
William Walker Esq	Dalton Park	Whole
James Dooley	Bellash	Part of Tithebarn Dalton
Richard Geraghty	Gathurst	Part of Whelmstone Dalton
Andrew Hamilton	Woodcock Hall	Part of Whelmstone Whelmstone
John Rothwell	Copperhouse	Part of Rose Township

Moved

moved by Thomas Tighe Esq.
Seconded by C. C. B. Miller Esq. and unanimously
Resolved That as Mr. Gladstone has intimated his intention of appropriating a portion of the proceeds of the Irish Church Property towards the support of our County Infirmaries, we beg to invite the attention of our County Members to the importance of applying this proposed Aid towards Workhouse Hospitals and Infirmaries which are now so generally used, as affording more convenient and useful Medical and Surgical Relief.

That we regard this subject as all important, considering the uselessness of County Infirmaries unless within a circle of a few miles of the County Town, the difficulty of the poor getting admission, and the heavy burden of such institutions on County Rates, while in every respect Workhouse Hospitals afford more substantial Relief, and the Medical attendants thereof are obliged to have every qualification necessary for the Surgeons of County Infirmaries,

Resolved That copies of the above be forwarded to

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -	6
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	6
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -	1
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -	nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - -	1
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	nil

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

to our County Members, and to the Boards of Guardians of the several Unions in the Counties of Mayo and Galway,

Resolved. That James Donnelly, Workhouse Porter, be granted two days leave of absence,

Robt. Tighe
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
8th day of April 1869

(Signed) Thomas Clay
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Baldinoch UNION, on Thurs day, the 18th day of April 1867.—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

Resolved, That the Poor Law Commissioners be informed, that the Clerk has laid before the Board this day, a correct List of the Members of the Board entitled to be members of the respective Dispensary Committees in the Union.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 15th December. 1853.]

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

District, ... £

District, ... £

Continuation of List of Rate-payers elected to be Members of Committees of Management.

Ballymount Dispensary District, Rob. R. D. Falkiner of The Common Glebe
Wm. Marlay Moselle of Knockroe
Wm. William Weller of Ballymount
Alexander Simpson of Clonaghlis
Samuel O'Beirne of Ballyheenagh
Michael Leech of Broomstown,

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

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to 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 8 1 and 8 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees: namely:—

Ballinrobe Dispensary District, Rev. G. O. Brownrigg of Ballinrobe Rectory
Rev. Lett. Elmlock of Neale Rectory
Captain H. B. Lynch of Parkmore House
Wm. Henry Blake of Springvale
Wm. Dominick E. Blake of Ballinrobe
Wm. William Egan of Ballinrobe
Wm. Michael Hoare of Ballinrobe
Wm. Patrick B. Lepper of Ballinrobe
Wm. Anthony Thyne of Parkville
Wm. Andrew Kilgallen of Ballymartin
Wm. Patrick Mellett of Knockballard
Wm. Thomas Burke of Benmaconnish
Wm. Bryan Hennelly of McKeevan
Wm. David Comer of Bakenakot
Wm. Patrick Burke of Ballinacourt
Wm. Isaac Clayne of Springvale
Wm. Stephen Cloosh of Glencin
Wm. Michael Mylott of Creevagh
Wm. Michael Mc Grath of Lennaculy
Wm. John Murphy (Hones) of Greydiff.

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

Order dated _____ relative to [illegible]

Cong Dispensary District, Rev. E. Dillon of Cong Rectory
Wm. Thos. A. Gildea of Pawark
Wm. G. A. Stacey of Castlebourne
Wm. John Commins of Shrule
Wm. Matthew Dunican of Wineford Lodge
Wm. Thomas Grady of Ballymacgibbon
Wm. Patrick Garvey of Shrule
Wm. John Cummins of [illegible]

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Resolved That the following days be fixed upon for the first Meeting of the respective Committees of Management of the Dispensary Districts in the Union:—

Saturday 3rd Inst. at 1 o'clock PM, for Hallymount Dispensary District.

Tuesday 6th Inst. at 12 o'clock noon, for Long Dispensary District

Thursday 8th Inst. at 12 o'clock noon, for Ballinrobe Dispensary District.

Notice of Motion

I hereby give notice that on this day fortnight I will propose that the Electoral Divisions of Ballyaney, Cappadiff, Dwenbrum, and Ballinchalla, be formed into a separate Dispensary District.

Croasdaile, C. B. Miller,
April 1st 1869.

Robt. Tighe
Chairman

(Signed) Thomas Mary
Clerk of the Union

By Authority: Printed by Alexander Thom, 87 and 88, Abbey-street, Dublin.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31,558. Present Net Annual Value, £ 59,956:12 A

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3 day of April 1869

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse,	579	254										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	11										
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	644	265										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,				23	62	56	4	11	40	49	16	261
Admitted during the Week,				1	2	7		1	1	2		14
Total,				24	64	63	4	12	41	51	16	275
Discharged during the Week,				2	2	2				3	1	10
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,				2	2	2				3	1	10
Remaining on the above date,				22	62	61	4	12	41	48	15	265

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, 70	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 3
In Fever Hospital, 11	
Total, 81	Total, 3

OBSERVATIONS.

Night Lodgers or Casuals

	Males	Females	Children	Total
Numbers Relieved during week	–	–	–	nil
Number in Workhouse at date of Return	–	–	–	nil

No. at corresponding period last year. 264

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3 day of April 1869, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	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.	2	3	1	1	3	4
No. II.	4	4			4	4
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward	6	7	1	1	7	8

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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. forwd.						
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 Thursday the 8th day of April 1869

Present: In the Chair, Robert Tighe Esq

Other Guardians:— Thomas Tighe, Christopher Bowen, Francis C Bowen, Nicholas Walsh, David Elliott, and John Elwood Esquires,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4448 to No. 4467 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

That he forwarded to Lord Bingham M.P. George Wellesley Esq. M.P. and to the Boards of Guardians of the several Unions in the Counties of Mayo and Galway, copies of the Resolution on the subject of applying a portion of the proceeds of the Irish Church property towards the Maintenance of Workhouse Hospitals and Infirmaries.

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 . . . . . £176 : 2 : 0

Paid during the week . . . . . £154 : 15 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £1501 : 19 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.	Remaining. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.
John Mollet	Ballinasloe			100 14 0	
	Ballinchalla			14 13 7¼	
	Ballyovey			7 5 6¾	
	Brierfield			14 1 11½	
	Cappaghduff			2 4 11¼	
	Coonald			2 5 14	
	Dalgan			4 15 6½	
	Hallymount			21 3 2	
	Kilmaine			8 11 2½	
	Kilcommon			12 0 5	
	Neale			58 11 0¾	
	Newbrook			8 13 7¾	
	Queenstown			14 11 7¼	
	Portumna			28 8 6¼	
	Ruded			1 1 2¼	
	Thrule			26 16 6	
					315 7 7¼
Thomas Grady	Carn			77 7 3¼	
	Shanbrowan			80 0 3½	
					157 7 6¾
					£ 473 5 2

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £4 . 3 . 6 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, £34 11 s. 1 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	37	4	8
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7¾
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	3
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:

3 Bag Tea, 12 lbs of Sugar, 10 Bottles of Port Wine, 36 Bottles of XX Porter, 1 Pint of whiskey, 28 lbs of Yellow Soap, 14 lbs of washing Soda, 2 lbs of Starch, ½ lb of Blue, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 12 lbs of dipt Candles, 1 lb of Pepper, 210 lbs of Meat, 1800 lbs of whole Bread, 224 lbs of Brown Bread, 440 Gallons of New Milk, and 90 Boxes of Turf

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 8° day of April 1869, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	1	6	0
In kind, - - - -			
Total, - - - £	1	6	0

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Check 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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.
Petty Disbursements Account.			
Clerk of Union, to provide for	6	0	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Woodlock & O'Donnell for Insurance	7	13	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account. £ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account. £ s. d.

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

The 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 Report of the Visiting Committee was read of which the following is a copy:-

We visited the House this day, the Hospital and Infirmary showed very great care and attention, the general appearance of the House was highly creditable to the Master and Matron, the provisions good, the School-rooms and Lavatories very satisfactory.

Thomas Tighe
Nicholas Walsh

April 8th. 1869.

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

That preparatory to the painting of the Workhouse Buildings the Master be authorized to employ a Carpenter to repair some of the Doors, Frames, Window Sashes, &c. and to procure the necessary materials for same, Wages of the Carpenter not to exceed One pound per week.

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

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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No 65-M/62 dated 2d April 1862, requesting to be furnished with a Return of the particulars respecting the Wales made and copied upon during Month of March, 1862.

Letter from Commissioner of Valuation, dated 2d Apl. 1862, stating that he has appointed Lt. Denis Mc. Elligott to make the annual Revision of the Valuation of Ballinrobe Union, and that he will commence about the 12th inst.

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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 - - 2

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 4

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

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

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

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

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

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Ballinrobe Union

Board Room,
8th April 1869

Gentlemen,

I beg to lay before you now, the Bonds and other securities in force in the Union.

My own Bond is deposited for safe custody in the hands of Robert Tighe Esq. Vice Chairman,

One of the sureties of the Westhouse Collector is dead.

In my opinion, the sureties of the several Union officers, and Contractors are solvent,

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen
Your obedient Servant
Thomas Henry
Clerk of Union

To. The Board of Guardians
Ballinrobe Union.

Resolved That the Westhouse Collector be called upon to submit for the Boards approval on or before the 6th proximo, the name of a solvent person willing to become one of her sureties in room of the late P. Henry

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Robt. Tighe
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
15th day of April 1869
(Signed) Thomas Day.
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Billinrobe UNION,
on Thurs day, the 8th day of April 1869.—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District,*

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

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 25" March *1869, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* 25 March *1869.*

Ballinrobe *District,* . . . . . £ 147. 1. 9

Cong *District,* . . . . . £ 110. 19. 10

Hallymount *District* . . . . . £ 85. 11. 10

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 31st March 1869 stating that

on the subject of the Annual appointment of Dispensary Committees, Wardens, &c.

Letter from same No. 68. - m/69. dated 6th April 1869 requesting to be furnished in duplicate with a Return of the Officers of the several Dispensary Committees in the Union.

Robt. Tighe
Chairman

(Signed)

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union

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Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861— 31.558. Present Net Annual Value, £59.956.12.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of April 1869

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse,	579	250										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	11										
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	644	261										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,				22	62	61	4	12	41	48	15	265
Admitted during the Week,			1	2	8	—	—	1	1	2	1	16
TOTAL,			1	24	70	61	4	13	42	50	16	281
Discharged during the Week,			1	4	4	4			1	5	1	20
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	4	4	4			1	5	1	20
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,				20	66	57	4	13	41	45	15	261

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, 69	In separate Wards, 5
In Fever Hospital, 11	In Wards with other Inmates, 3
Total, 80	Total, 3

OBSERVATIONS.

Night Lodgers or Casuals

	Males	Females	Children	Total
No. Relieved during week	2			2
No. in workhouse at date of Return	nil	nil	nil	nil

No. at corresponding period last year. 277

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of April 1869, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Persons.	Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Persons.
No. I.	2	3	1	1	3	4	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	5	5			5	5	No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car forward	7	8	1	1	8	9	TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 15th day of April 1869.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Robert Tighe Esq

Other Guardians:— C. C. R. Miller, Thomas Tighe, John Hearne, Christopher Bowen, Francis C. Bowen, Nicholas Walsh, and Robert Holmes Esquires

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4463 to No. 4478 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

Referring to a Resolution of the Board on the 11th ultimo, calling upon Mr. Thos. Grady, Poor Rate Collector, to lodge a sum of £100, on or before the 8th Inst., the Clerk reports that up to the 10th Inst., Mr. Grady has only lodged a sum of £82. 1. 3.

Resolved That Mr. Grady be called upon to attend the Board on Thursday next, and submit his Collecting Warrants for examination, in order that the Board may be in a position to judge whether he could have complied with the requirements of the Resolution of the 11th of March last.

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 . . . . . £125 : 1 : 3

Paid during the week, ... £ 13 : 13 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £1613 : 7 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.
John Mallett	Ballinrobe	35	0	8				65	13	4			
	Ballinchalla	13	2	1				1	11	6¼			
	Ballyovey		4	1				7	1	5¾			
	Burriscarra							14	1	11½			
	Cappaghduff							2	4	1¼			
	Cannard							2	5	1¼			
	Dalgan	1	1	1				3	14	4½			
	Hollymount							21	3	2			
	Kilmaine	3	1	6				5	9	8½			
	Kilcommon		5	3				11	15	2			
	Neale	5	10	10				52	9	10¼			
	Newbrook		2	5				8	17	2¾			
	Owenbrim	3	19	4					12	3¾			
	Portrayal	7	8	3				20	15	2¼			
	Rurlee							1	1	2¼			
	Shrule	3	5	9				23	10	8			
					73	1	3				242	6	4¼
Thomas Grady	Cong	12	13	8				65	3	7¼			
	Houndswood	39	6	4				40	13	11½			
					52	0	0				105	17	6¾
				£	125	1	3				348	3	11

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts [illegible]

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £4 . 3 . 2 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, £43 . 19 s. 0 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	37	7	7
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	3 1/2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	8 3/4

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

5 lbs of Tea, 12 lbs of Sugar, 2 Bottles of Port Wine, 36 Bottles of XX Porter, 1 Pint of Whiskey, 28 lbs of Yellow Soap, 14 lbs of Washing Soda, 2 lbs of Starch, 1/2 lb of Blue, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 12 lbs of dipt Candles, 1700 lbs of White Bread, 224 lbs of Brown Bread, 186 lbs of Meat, 429 Gallons of New Milk, 90 Boxes of Turf, 20 Cwt of Oatmeal, 1 Quart of Sweet Oil, 1 White Wash Brush, 10 Barrels of Lime, and One Ton of Salt. Clothes for Walter Joyce. amount £1 . 5 . 0

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 10th day of April 1869, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	1	8	6
In kind, - - - -	nil		
Total, - - - £	1	8	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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.
1. Petty Disbursements Acct.			
Clerk of Union to provide for	5	0	0

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

2. ~~Establishment Account.~~

Account of Expenses under the Registration Acts

William Singleton,	Registrar, Fees	1	17	6
Hastings Twiss	Registrar. Fees	6	4	6
Patrick B. Reynolds	Registrar. Fees	4	7	9
Gerald E. Barron	Registrar. Fees	4	15	0

Acct of Expenses under the Registration Acts

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account. £ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account. £ s. d.

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

The 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:—

no Report from the Master this day

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

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

Resolved. That the Clerk be directed to Advertise by printed handbill, and in the "Ballinrobe Chronicle, Illaun Constitution, and Illaun Examiner" giving notice that on this day fortnight Tenders will be received and considered for painting the Workhouse and Fever Hospital externally and internally, with two coats of paint,

The Board of Guardians will provide all materials except Brushes and other working tools.

An Orphan Boy named Walter Steyce, age 14 years, who has been for the last five years an Inmate of the Workhouse, having obtained suitable employment

It is Resolved, that the Master be authorized to grant him his discharge, and to procure for him suitable to his wants, expence not to exceed £1. 5. 0.

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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 Repair Books.

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -	7
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	8
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -	1
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -	nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	nil

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

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Robt. Tegu
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
29th day of April 1869
(Signed) Thomas Clay
Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Ballinrobe UNION, on Friday day, the 15th day of April 1869.—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

250,

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

_____ Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

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

_____ District, ... £

_____ District, ... £

_____ District, ... £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

In pursuance of notice of motion, it was proposed by Standish O'Grady Esq, seconded by Thomas Hyde Esq and Resolved That the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to form the four Electoral Divisions of Ballinchalla, Ballyovey, Cappaghduff, and Owenbrin into a separate Dispensary District, with a separate Committee of Management, as suggested in their Letter of the 13th April 1864 –

That it appears that the Average Rating of the Electoral Divisions of Ballinchalla, Ballyovey, Cappaghduff and Owenbrin, for the last 5 Years amounts to but Ten pence in the pound yearly – and that the Average yearly Rating of the other Electoral Divisions of the Ballinrobe Dispensary District during the same period amounts to £1 5s – in the pound – and since the arrangement now proposed cannot into effect, the Average Rating of the Electoral Divisions of Ballinchalla, Ballyovey, Cappaghduff, and Owenbrin, would still exceed £1 5s in the £.

Mr Robert Holmes, the Guardian elected for the District of Electoral Divisions of Ballyovey, and Cappaghduff, dissented from the foregoing Resolution

Robt Teigh
Chairman

Signed

Thomas Magee
Clerk of the Union

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Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1861 — 31.558 *Present Net Annual Value, £* 55 756. 12 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of April 1869

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated on each floor of the several buildings.	Total No. that can be accommodated on the above dates.	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.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	379	258													
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	7													
Fever Sheds,															
Total,	644	265													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,				20	66	57	4	13	41	45	15	261	In Workhouse 68 / In Fever Hospital 7 = Total 75	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 3 = Total 3	
Admitted during the Week,				4	4	6	1	-	9	7	1	25			
TOTAL,				24	70	63	5	13	50	52	16	286	Night-Lodgers or Casuals		
Discharged during the Week,				3	14	11	-	-	8	4	2	20			
Died,					1							1			
Total Discharged and Dead,				3	5	14			8	4	2	21			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,				21	65	89	5	13	40	48	14	265	No. at corresponding period last year. 278		

	Male	Female	Total
Admitted during week	2	3	5
In Workhouse at date of Return	1	1	2

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17th day of April 1869, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	2	3	1	1	3	4	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	7	7			7	7	No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car forward	9	10	1	1	10	11	TOTAL. -						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 29 day of April 1869.

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Robert Teigh Esq

Other Guardians:— D. & H. Keller, Standish O'Grady, Thomas Hyde, Francis Browne, Stockdale Wade, and Robert Holmes, Esqrs

Dr Rowan, Poor Law Inspector, attended the Meeting, having previously inspected the Workhouse, Dispensary, and Fever Hospital,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4477 to No. 4503 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

That he advertised for Tenders for painting the Workhouse,

That he forwarded to Mr. Grady, Poor Rate Collector, a copy of the Resolution calling upon him to attend the Board this day, and to submit his warrants for examination

Mr. Grady attended, and submitted his warrants which were examined, he also handed in a Receipt from the Treasurer for a sum of £18, lodged on this day.

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 . . . . . £ nil : :

Paid during the week, ... £ 19 : 4 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £1594 : 3 : 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.
John McNeill	Ballinrobe							65	13	4			
	Ballinchalla							1	11	6¼			
	Ballyovey							7	1	5¾			
	Burrisoana							14	1	11½			
	Cappaduff							2	4	1¼			
	Coonard							2	5	1¼			
	Dalgan							3	14	4½			
	Holymount							21	3	2			
	Kilmaine							5	7	8½			
	Kilcommon							11	15	2			
	Neale							52	9	10¼			
	Newbrook							8	17	2¾			
	Owenbrun								12	3¾			
	Portroyal							20	15	2¼			
	Roelle							1	1	2¼			
	Shrule							23	10	8			
											242	6	4¼
Thomas Grady	Cong							65	3	7¼			
	Houndswood							40	13	11½			
											105	17	6¾
										£	348	3	11

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

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

~~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. 14 s. 9 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . .	36	2	2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7½
Average Cost in Infirmary, ...		3	1¾
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, ...		7	0

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

3 lbs of Tea, 12 lbs of Sugar, 5 Bottles of Port Wine, 36 Bottles of XX Porter, 2 pints of Whiskey, 28 lbs of Yellow Soap, 14 lbs of Washing Soda, 2 lbs of Starch, ½ lb of Blue, 1 lb of Pepper, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 12 lbs of dipt Candles, 1400 lbs of White Bread, 200 lbs of Brown Bread, 400 Gallons of New Milk, 160 lbs of Meat, 90 Boxes of Sheep

1 Bottle of Calcavella wine, Clothes for Robt. Good of the Value of £1. 10. 0

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 17th day of April 1869, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	2	0	6
In kind, - - - -			
Total, - - - £	2	0	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Check 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 Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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:

	£	s.	d.
1. Clothing Account,			

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

~~2. Establishment Account.~~

	£	s.	d.
Petty Disbursements Acct.			
Clerk of Union to provide for payment of	9	0	5

Petty Disb.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

The 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:—

No Report from the Master this day

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

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

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No. 9977/1869, dated 21st April 1869, enclosing copy of specification for Painting the Workhouse and Fever Hospital.

In pursuance of Section 3 of Act 6 & 7 Vic cap 92, Notices were duly signed calling upon the occupiers of Tenements for which the Immediate Lessor has been Rated in the Rate made on 5th Nov. 1868, to pay to Mr. John Mellett Poor Rate Collector, within one Calendar Month, the amount of Rate now due in respect of such Tenements

The number of Notices signed for each Electoral Division is as follows:-

Ballinrobe Division	—	12
Neale	"	14
Dalgan	"	3
Hollymount	"	3
Newbrook	"	3
Kilmaine	"	2
	Total	37

The Board of Guardians having entered into a Contract with the Governor & Co. of the Apothecaries Hall of Ireland for supply of Drugs &c. to the Workhouse and Dispensaries to 25 March 1870, one of the conditions of which is, that full price will be allowed for all Hampers, Jars, Bottles, packers, &c. which may be returned to the Governor &c.

His Resolved That the Medical Officer of the Workhouse, and of each Dispensary District in the Union, be requested to preserve carefully all empties which may be received during the continuance of the Contract, so that they can be returned whenever the Board of Guardians shall make arrangements for that purpose.

That a copy of the foregoing Resolution be forwarded to the Medical Officer of the Workhouse, and of each Dispensary District in the Union.

Resolved That Mrs. Olgady, Workhouse Matron, be granted fourteen days leave of absence from the 30th Inst. and that Miss Stanton, Schoolmistress, be appointed to discharge the duties until she returns to the Workhouse.

Resolved That the Master be authorized to procure Clothes suitable to the requirements of Robert Ford, a pauper boy, aged 15 years, in order to enable him to leave the Workhouse where he has been seven years an Inmate, expense of the Clothes not to exceed £1.10.0.

Resolved That proceedings be instituted against Mary Lynskey, in pursuance of Section 58 of Act 1 & 2 Vic cap 56, for refusing to be lodged and maintained in the Workhouse, her illegitimate child named Mary Lynskey, of the reputed age of Four years, being an Inmate of the Workhouse, and receiving Relief therein.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - 3

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - - nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 3

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

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

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

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

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

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Victor Taylor
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
25th day of April 1867
(Signed) Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____ UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 186 .—*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

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

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

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

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

_____ *District,* . . . . . *£*

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Signed,

_____
Clerk of the Union.

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