

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

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

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¹⁶⁷ Circular from The Local Government Board dated 15th October 1873, requiring a classified return of the numbers admitted to the Workhouses and of the children vaccinated therein, for the year ending 29th September last.

^{15723/73} Letter from Same dated 16th Oct^r 1873, sanctioning the payment of the sum of £20 to the Clerk for his services under the Polling Districts Act.

^{15844/73} Circular from Same dated 17th Oct^r 1873, enclosing forms for furnishing particulars of the medical and educational expenditure for the past half year. The Returns in question were laid before the Board and signed by the Chairman.

Circular

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Circular from H. Bull, Greengrocer dated 20th Oct^r 1873, requiring the attention of the Clerk and the Rate Collectors to their duties under the Government Valuation Act.

Ordered Call upon the Collectors to supply the lists of tenements in their respective Districts, which require revision.

Letter from M^r O'Sullivan dated 25th October 1873 stating that he has lodged with the Union Treasurer, the amount due by him (£10:10:0) for the Aftergrass, and applying to be re-comp^d the value (£7:6:6) of three Sheep belonging to him which had been lost in the Cattle-pen on the Farm, and trusting that the Board will not see him at this loss. The

Consideration of the foregoing was postponed to a larger Board.

The new Rate Books were laid before the Board and signed by the Chairman and two Guardians, and the Rates as agreed to on the 27th September last declared duly made.

The Clerk was directed to call upon Collector Cosgrave to forthwith commence the copying of his Warrants and report thereon at next meeting, and also issue advertisements for the yearly supply of Provisions and Necessaries; tenders to be considered on the 18th November Pro^x.

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Upon the recommendation of the Medical Officer, Shoes were ordered for two inmates named Elizabeth Barker and Mary Higgs

The relief to be afforded in the case of a patient named Mary Brodenick admitted to Hospital on the 15th inst was declared "by way of loan"

Clothes were ordered for a School Boy named Pat Fleming, hired out to service, cost not to exceed 5^s

Rel. Officer Rockham submitted a memorial praying for payment to the Rate Collectors out of the Imperial Treasury for their services under the Penitentiary Act and other Acts, which was 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 - 29

Witto disallowed, - - - - -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 5

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - - - -

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

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

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

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

Ordered That the relief to be afforded in the case of a pensioner named Owen Hinegan admitted to the Workhouse Hospital on the 6th inst be declared "by way of loan"

W. Rogers

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Sunday* the

1 day of *November* 187*3*

(Signed,)

Patrick Egan
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 Loughrea UNION,
on Satur day, the 25th day of October 1873.—continued.

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

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

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

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

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 _____ 187, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 187.

_____ District, £

_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

Read Letter from Messrs. R. & M. Murray of dated 15th Oct = 1873 stating that

the party whom they intend to send to Athens to sink the Pump is engaged elsewhere. But that when ready, he will proceed to that Town, as regards the time likely to be engaged at the work, observing that it will depend upon the nature of the strata and the depth at which water may be got

W. Rogers

Population in 1871—

29139

Present Net Annual Value, —£ 7548 8 4 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of November 1873.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. total in workhouse, including those in 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 2 and under 5 years of age.		Infants under 2 years of age.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
		Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.				
Workhouse.	960	116														
Temporary Buildings.	58	1														
Additional Workhouse.																
Permanent Fever Hospital.																
Fever Shack.																
Total.	878	117														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	18	5	13	23	35	8	2	7	9	10	112	In Workhouse Hospital, 44	Inseparable } Wards, } 6			
Admitted during the Week.	10	2	1	2	1	1	1	2			20	In Fever Hospital, 1	in Wards with other inmates, 6			
Total.	18	15	15	24	37	9	3	8	11	10	132	Total, 45	Total, 6			
Discharged during the Week.	9	1	1	1	2	1			1		15					
Died.																
Total Discharged and Dead.	9	1	1	1	2	1			1		15					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	6	14	23	35	8	3	8	10	10	117						
												NIGHT LODGES OR CASUALS.				
													M.	F.	Children under 15.	Total.
												No. Relieved during Week.	8		1	9
												No. in Workhouse at date.				
												No. at corresponding period last year.				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 1st day of November 1873, 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.	5	8					Bl. forw'd.						
No. II.	6	13					No. X.						
No. III.	1	1					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. forw'd.	12	22					Total.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 8th day of November 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Captain Rogers
Messrs. William Raftery & Thomas Glynn

(Signed),

Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2065 to No. 2104 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 lodged with the Treasurer to the credit of the Union, the sum of \$1.00 being for 16 days' maintenance in Hospital of a pauper patient named Maria Gorman

That Collector Tim Lagare
has this day commenced the Copying of this
Warrants

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the Week, - - - £ 35 : 15 : 0

Paid during the Week,				\$	86	14	5
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And that the Balance on the Account of the Sum of the Guardians was £236 : 0 : 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:—

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

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

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

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

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

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

27 — 14 — 3 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 22 - 1 - 9

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 3 - 3 - 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - : 4 - 2 - 1/4

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:—

604 lb White Bread	4 lb Mould Candles
3 1/2 Butter	
97 1/2 Meat	
550 Quarts Sweet Milk	
24 lb Sugar	
3 On Heads	
2 Bottles Port Wine	
1 Quart Whiskey	
80 Eggs	
5 Ths fowl	
4 lb Spt 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 Outdoor 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 Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st day of Nov 1873 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

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

Credit Treasurer with 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.
Thomas W. Inman	Bread	r	23	12 8
Pat ^r Freney	Leaf	r		5 0
M. Reddick	Shaw	r	1	19 8
M. Hanchew	Coffins	r	4	17 9
William Kevin	Smith	r		4 8

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

2. Establishment Account.

James Hourney	Mason	r		12 0
D. Blackton	Registration Fees	r	3	8 6
D. Leonard		r	3	4 0
William Gordon	Rent	r	4	10 0
Patrick Gan	Services P. D. Act	r	20	0 0

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

£ s. d.

[illegible]

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

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501

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 Master reported

That he has lodged with the
Treasurer to the credit of the Union, the sum
of £35.7.0 being the amount realized by
the sale of the Navy."

That he had to purchase the
Small Boiler from Mr. Scanlan for £1:4:0
(the one in the Hospital Kitchen being quite
useless) and also employ a Mason to set it
in, and do other repairs to the fire places in
the Board Room, Wards &c

Approved

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

That the Hospital Nurse has been confined to her Room thro' illness since the 4th just but expects in a day or two to resume the discharge of her duties; the operation is at present acting in her stead.

That he would require for immediate use, 16 yards Corduroy and 130 yards Grey Calico, ordered,

Ordered 1 lb Thread, 1 Sweeping Brush
3/4 yards Rope fencing, 1/2 lb Cep spool
100 Nails 1/2 lb Lead
9 Fire Bricks

The Services of a Carpenter for two days to repair Gates &c

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

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

174th/33

Circular from the Local Government Board, dated 24th October 1873, advertising to a document lately issued by the Home Rule Association, and observing that the matter therein referred to, ought not be introduced at the Board's meetings as the Circular in question appears to have been addressed personally to the Clerk of the Union.

176th/33

Circular from same dated 4th November 1873 requiring a Return of Rates for the month of October last.

The Clerk laid before the Board a Receipt for his Bonds lodged with the Treasurer on the 29th Ult^o.

Recd.

Messrs Toole, Lyonn and Glynn were appointed a Committee to take the Stock of the Clothing and furnish a Report thereon;—the Committee to attend on the most convenient day for that purpose.

The relief to be afforded in the case of a patient named Pat^r Reilly admitted to Hospital on the 27th Ult^o was declared 'by way of leave'.

The Warrants for collection in Collector Galbraith's District were laid before the Board and signed.

The consideration of tenders for the supply of Provisions and Medicines was postponed to next meeting.

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

15 day of *November* 1873

(Signed,)

Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughree UNION,
on Saturday day, the 8th day of November 1873. —continued.

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

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

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

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

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 _____ 187____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 187____.

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

Sanitary Inspector Lally reported

That since the date of his last report, he has made several inspections throughout his District, morning and evening, the Occupiers to clean up and improve their respective dwellings, the parties are complying with his directions, but he will require to summon three residents in In Donnell's Lane, Athenry, who are neglecting to do so, that he expects to report that Typhus Fever is considerably on the increase in Athenry, and a family in Traquin Division has been lately attacked; that he affords prompt relief promptly to those poor people who may require it, that he believes the want of pure Water in Athenry has done much to add to the spread of the disease there.

W. Rogers

(Signed),

Patrick Regan
Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1871—

26290

Present Net Annual Value,—£ 75488.4.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of November 1873.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. who can be sent to the workhouse, under the Act.	Total No. in each house, including those who are not sent.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls, above 5 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infirm under 9 years of age.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,	760	128														
Temporary Buildings,	58	1														
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Poor School,																
Total,	818	129														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	6	14	22	38	9	3	10	10	10	11	11	11	In Workhouse Hospital, 1	In separate Wards, 1	In Hospital, 1	In Fever Hospital, 1
Admitted during the Week,	6	5	1	1			2	3	3	2	1	2	Total, 47	Total, 5		
TOTAL,	12	19	23	39	9	3	12	13	13	14	12	12	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Discharged during the Week,	5	2	1	1						1		1				
Died,	1															
Total Discharged and Dead,	6	2		2						1		1				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	6	17	23	34	9	3	12	12	13	12	12	12				
														No. Relieved during Week, 5 4 6 15		
														No. in Workhouse at date, 1 2 6 9		
														No. at corresponding period last year,		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 15 day of November 1873, 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.	6	9					Dist. forw.						
No. II.	10	26					No. X.						
No. III.	1	1					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. forw.	17	36					TOTAL,						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 22nd day of November 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lord Dunsandle & previously Capt. Rogers
Other Guardians:—

Messrs Charles O'Hara, Oliver Dolphin,
Peter A Dolphin, Thomas Glynn &
Benjamin Ryan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2105 to No. 2136 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 :

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, " " " £

And that the Balance on the Account ⁱⁿ *favor of* the Guardians was £ 89 : 15 : 11

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:—

[illegible]

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

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

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

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 £

15 = 16 = 11 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was = 22: 18: 6

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 3: 3½

Average Cost in Infirmary, = = = 4: 2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, = = =

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

624 lb White Bread	4 lb Dpt Candles
3 Butter	112 " Soap
91 Meat	4 " Mould Candles
594 Quarts Sweet Milk	
44 lb Tea	
24 " Sugar	
3 One Heads	
2 Bottles Port Wine	
2 Quarts Whisky	
7 lb Assa Kott	
80 Egg	

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 Outdoor 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 Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15 day of November 1873, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

In money, =	=	=	=	£	s.	d.
In kind, =	=	=	=	2	6	0
Total, =	=	=	=	£		

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

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

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

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:

Thomas Lally	1. Clothing Account.	£	s.	d.
Mr Maria Underwood	OP Relief Pension to due	6	0	
John Taylor	late S. Underwood	24	17	10 0
	OP Relief	2	0	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

"That the Master is unwell to day
but expects in a day or two to resume the
discharge of his duties"

"That M^r. Keller has three of the
Inferior Chimney Cemented: he having undertaken
the responsibility of completing the Contract at this
Season"

That the Hospital Nurse resumed the discharge of her duties on the 10th Inst

Ordered,
1 lb Thread
1 Gup Sticks
1 lb Black Lead
2 Bows
200 Nails
4 Screws
2 lb Cut Nails

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

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

26/12/73

Letter from the Local Government Board dated 12th November 1873, transmitting a Draft for the Sum of £173:15:8 being the Amount of the Poor^{er} Grant payable to this Union for the Medical and educational expenditure of the past half year.

The Clerk was directed to have the foregoing lodged to the Credit of the Union.

Circular from same dated 19th November 1873, requiring a Return of the Amount expended under the Poor Laws, Medical Charities and other Acts for the Year ended 29th Sept last.

Letter from the Sec^y to the Church Temp^{er} Commissioners dated 12th November 1873, requesting to be furnished with particulars relative to the Burial Grounds in this Union, so as to carry into effect the 26th Clause of the Act of 1869.

Letter

Letter from the Rev James Carroll, dated 13th November 1873, requesting an increase to his present Salary as Catholic Chaplain to this Workhouse from £50 to £70 a year, in consequence of the great advance in the prices of the necessaries of life &c, and thus make the Salary the same as is paid in Unions of the like Class throughout the Province.

No order was made thereon.

Letter from M^{rs} Underwood dated 21st November 1873, stating that having taken out administration to her late Husband S^r Underwood, she hopes the Board would be pleased to pay the Amount due for Superannuation and Retirement Fees and that her father S^r Dandoz will produce the "Probate".

The Board ordered a Cheque to be drawn for the Amount (£24:17:10) payable to the late S^r Underwood at the time of his death.

The Warrants for collection in Collector Beckham's District were laid before the Board and signed.

The relief to be afforded in the case of a domestic servant named Anne D. Quinn, admitted to the Workhouse Hospital on the 18th Inst was declared "by way of Comm^{em}".

The

The Board accepted the tender of Mr. Thomas Plaver for the supply of best white Bread for twelve months from the 29th inst at 8²/₂ 1/2 lb. Loaf, and of Mr. Bernard Holloway for best Peef and Mutton for a like period at 7³/₄ 1/2 lb. and On Heads at 13³/₄ each.

The consideration of tenders for cheap Groceries was postponed to next meeting

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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 - 34

Ditto disallowed, " " " " " " - -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 3

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - 1

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

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - 1

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered 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.)

Rel. Officer Lally reported

"That he would require a cheque for Out door relief purposes his funds being nearly exhausted, and as there is so much on the increase in the number of cases it would be necessary for him to have money to meet the calls that may be made upon him"

The Board granted the Relieving Officer a Cheque for £6 -

Thos. Dolphin

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

9th day of *November* *1873*

(Signed)

Patrick Regan
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 Laughlin UNION,
on Satur day, the 22nd day of November 1873.—continued.

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

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

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

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

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, 1893.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 1897, 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 _____ 1897.

_____ District, £

_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

Read Letter from the Local Government Board dated 14th November 1873 stating that

They have rec^d Dr Brodie's Report, of his recent inspection of the Athempus, drawing attention to the great increase in the number of fever cases in that District, and observing that a grave responsibility rests upon the Board of Guardians, for not improving the Sanitary Condition of the town, & providing a supply of pure water for the inhabitants.

With reference to the foregoing The Board of Guardians have to state that a Contract had been entered into on the 27th Sept last with Messrs Rep Murray & Co, for sinking a well in order to procure a supply of pure water in Athempus, and the work was commenced last week, but it appears from a memorandum left by the man employed there, that he fears it will be impracticable to obtain a supply of pure water at the site set forth in the Specification. The Board will direct that the attention of the Committee of Management be drawn to the matter immediately, and their views requested as regards the advisability of abandoning the present locality and sinking the well in the place pointed out by Dr Brodie. The Clerk has been directed to communicate with the contractor, and ascertain if they are willing to sink the well in the latter site on the same terms as set forth in their original tender and also request Mr Hemphrey's opinion, whether there can be any objections to the proposed alterations of the site or changes required in the Specification.

Recd Copy Resolutions of the Athempus Dispensary Committee dated the 11th inst drawing attention to the increase of fever &c in the District (as set forth in the foregoing letter from the Local Government Board), and requesting that immediate steps be taken towards providing a supply of pure water, and having the sewage improved.

(Signed),

Patrick Regan

Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1871—

29139

Present Net Annual Value,—£75488.4.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of November 1873

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in new buildings.	Total no. that are accommodated in the above.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 5 and under 15 years of age.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 9 and under 15 years of age.	
Workhouse, . . .	760	26										
Temporary Buildings, . . .	58	1										
Additional Workhouse, . . .												
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .												
Fever Sheds, . . .												
Total, . . .	818	27										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .	16	17	23	34	9	3	12	12	13	129	48	
Admitted during the Week, . . .	4	3	2	2			1	2	2	16	1	
TOTAL, . . .	10	20	25	36	9	3	13	14	15	145	49	
Discharged during the Week, . . .	5	3		1				3	2	14		
Died, . . .		1	1	2						4		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .	5	4	1	3				3	2	18		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .	5	16	24	33	9	3	13	11	13	124		
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.												

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2137 to No. 412 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:

the following effect:

That he handed the Draft on
of the Parly² Grant to the Treasurer
(and that the amount thereof (£173:15:8)
has been placed to the Credit of the Union

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, " " " £ 175 : 12 : 2
Paid during the Week, " " " " £ 37 : 7 : 10

Paid during the Week, £ 37 7 10

And that the Balance on the Account *in* favor of the Guardians was £ 228 : 0 : 3

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:—

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

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

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

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 £

25 = 18 = 9 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was = 22 : 16 : 4

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, : 4 : 3

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:—

684 lb. White Bread
3 $\frac{1}{2}$ Buttle
94 $\frac{3}{4}$ Meat
564 Quarts Sweet Milk
26 lb. Sugar
3 Ox Heads
7 Bottles Ale
1 do Port Wine
1 Quart Whiskey
60 Eggs
4 lb. Blue

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

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

The Outdoor 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 Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22 day of March 1873, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

£ s. d.

In money, = = = 2 = 11 = 6

In kind, = = =

Total, = = £

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
£ s. d.				£ s. d.			£ s. d.		£ s. d.
No. I.					By forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forw'd.					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 Keller	Emmenting on ap ✓	8		
Harry Conner	Brooms ✓		14	
John Costello	Carpenter ✓		12	
W. Kilcooley	Fin. Man ✓		4	1
Denis Martin	Leaf ✓	1	16	

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

2. Establishment Account.		£	s.	d.
Thomas O'Leahlin	Scilla ✓		4	
Patt. Monaghan	Shoes ✓	1		6
Thomas B. O'Connell	Bread ✓	26	3	4
S. Robinson	Coal ✓	101	10	
James Reckham	Relief ✓	6		

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

L. s. d.

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

4. Outdoor 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:—

That he had resumed his duties on the 24th Inst. and lodged with the Treasurer to the C^o of the Union on the 27th Inst. the sum of £1.16.6 being the amount realized by the Sale of the Reg^t

That Mr. Keller has completed the
Commenting of the Informary (himself), which
appears to have been well done.

That a deserted child admitted on the 20th Inst, was refused to be taken in charge by two women named Walsh and Wodehouse both of whom left the Asylum, to avoid being compelled to do so; a woman named Catherine Flanagan consented until the matter be brought before the Board.

under the notice of the Board, and that she might be allowed extra rations of 400g Tea & 1lb Sugar weekly to compensate her for the loss of her feet at night &c. The Board granted the

The Board granted the foregoing allowance. That on the 26th Inst. a "tamp," named Mary Reilly, having been admitted "casually," next morning, applied to be allowed to remain for another day, which he refused. She then broke the 4 panes of glass in the window of the "Fuel" Ward, and urged it not that he seized her and pushed her out the gate, she would have done more injury; she stated that she wanted to go to jail.

Paidred, 1 Lad Lick, 1 Leaf Bucket
 Services of a Carpenter for one day.
 To be repaid to S. Sanchez & P. Ponce,
 3 Buckets
 1 Quart.

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

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

Letter from The Assistant General
Magistrate, dated 27th November 1873, stating
that instructions have been given to the Staff
Officer at Ennis, to deduct from the pension
of the man John Linnegan the sum due for
his maintenance in the Workhouse Asylum, and
pay it over to the Board of Guardians.

Letter from J. Ball, General
Commissioner of Valuation, dated 28th November
1873, acknowledging the receipt of the list of
Tenements in this Union which require
revision.

The Clerk submitted "Plan" and
"Book of Reference" of the intended Railway
from Moyon to Loughrea which had been
lodged with him that morning.

The

The Warrants for Collection in College
Carrigish District were laid before the
Board and signed, as were also the Warrants
for the Ballyvaughan and Drumkeary Electoral
Divisions of Collector in Donagh's District. The
Warrants for the remaining Electoral Divisions
namely, Loughborough, Mablethorpe & Woodford
will be submitted for signature at next
Meeting.

The Board directed the clothes
which belonged to a deceased pauper named
Patt Mander to be given up to his brother for
the use of the late inmates' family.

The question of the application
made by the Rev. James Carroll at last
Meeting having been adjourned to - the fol-
- lowing "Notice of Motion" was received -

I give
notice that I will on this day fortnight
move, that the Salary of the Rev. James
Carroll, as Chaplain to this
Workhouse be taken into consideration
with a view of increasing same from £50
to £70 a year.

Dated 29th November 1873

(Signed) Patrick Carr

The Board allowed Mr. Keller, the
sum of £8, on acc. of his Contract for
concentrating the chimneys, pending the
approval of the Work

Upon

Upon the application of the
Medical Officer for Sussaping
were ordered for Hospital-uses

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was = 15

ditto disallowed.

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - - - 2

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

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

The following Tenders were accepted
for Supplies for twelve Months from this date
namely 29th Nov 1891

John Scanlon for Duck Teas	at	2.1	q. lb
Soft Sugars	:	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	"
Rice	:	2.3	Stone
Shoulderandles	:	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	lb
Mac do	:	1.4	"
Starch	:	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	"
Whiskey	:	16.0	gal
Port Wine	:	36.0	doz
Marsala do	:	20.0	"

Mary Turpin for Black Pepper	at	8	apll
Pearl Barley	.	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	'
Corn Flour	,	6	. PK
Sift Candles	.	5 $\frac{1}{2}$, lb
Blue	.	6	" "
Washing Soda	,	7.6	. Ct
x + Porter	,	2.6	. dozy

John de Carthy for Arrowroot at 6 yd
Scap 22.0 ct
French Brandy 3-6 Boute

Thomas Greene for Salt at 3.6 yd

The Consideration of
Tenders for Furs and Biquettes was postponed
to next meeting, and the Clerk directed to
re-issue advertisements for the Supply of
Cornmeal and Indian Meal

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

day of *December* 187 *8*

(Signed,)

Patric Regan
Clerk of the Union.

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea UNION,
on Saturday, the 29th day of November, 1873.—continued.

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

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

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

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

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 _____ 187, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 187.

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

~~Read Letter from~~
~~stating that~~

Board Order from Copy Characters & Stationery Department
stating that
Committee dated 25th November 1893, stating
that the question of the Well having been taken
into consideration, and after hearing the statement
of the man employed in sinking it, it was
resolved that he be directed to stop working
where he is at present engaged and to commence
at once on the site recommended by Dr Brodie
and Leonard, and approved by the Committee
as the most suitable place.

to notice the Committee took into consideration Dr. Leonard's application for an increase of salary, and unanimously resolved, that having regard to the extent of his parish obligations, him to keep a second Horse to discharge his arduous duties, the care and attending he bestows, and the great increase in the cost of living, to they would recommend and request of the Board of Guardians, that his Salary be increased from £100 to £130 a Year.

The Committee suggested that at their next meeting, Sanitary Inspector Lally's suggestions (of 30 August last) for improvement of the drainage in Cross Street North Gate Street and in Donald's Lane would be taken into consideration.

submitted a letter from Messrs Rop Murray & Co to the effect that they will be prepared to

(Signed),

Peter K. Egan
 Clerk of the Union.

to sink the well in the new place, ¹⁴¹ on
the same terms as stated in their original
tender, only changing in addition, the
expense of their man, while engaged at
the old site, and also a letter from Mr.
Kempster, stating that he has no objection
to the proposed alteration of the site, nor is
there any change required in the Specifications

The Board accordingly approved
the proceedings of the Committee as regards
obtaining the site of the bell.

The following Notice of Motion was received. —

I will move on this day fortnight, that in accordance with the recommendations of the Athenry Dispensary Committee, Dr. Leonard's salary as Medical Officer be increased from £100 to £130 a year.

Dated November 29th 1873

(Signed

Michael Herendly

Major Daly,
Taylor
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Sta Blake,
Chapman,
Davy.

OBSERVATIONS.		
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P.	Children under 15.	TOTAL.
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aded SATURDAY
at this Meeting.

Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
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100	100

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1871—

Present Net Annual Value—£75488.4.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of December 1873.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. sent out for work or other purposes.	Total No. in each building on the date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons above 18 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children 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,	760	117												
Temporary Buildings,	58	6												
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Fever Sheds,														
Total,	818	123												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			5	14	23	33	9	3	12	10	12	12	1	
Admitted during the Week,			3	3	2	1			2	1	12	16	15	
TOTAL,			8	17	25	34	9	3	12	12	13	28	16	
Discharged during the Week,			2	2	1	1			1	2				
Died,														
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	2	1	1			1	2				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			6	15	24	32	9	3	11	10	13	12	1	

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 16th day of December 1873, 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.	8	20					Dist. forwd.						
No. II.	9	18					No. X.						
No. III.	1	1					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.	18	39					TOTAL,						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 13th day of December 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lord Dunsandle

Other Guardians:— Sir Thomas J. Butler Bart. Major Daly, Capt. Rogers, Mep^r Wick Clarke, John Diamond, Billy Taylor, Wm. B. Stoman, Walter Lambert, Pte. H. Dolphin, Denis Deely, Edw. Cavanagh, John Toole, Bryan Ryan, John Blake, Pte. Blake, Mich^r. Humeilly, Tim^r. Keene, Charles C. Farrell, Thomas Glynn, Pat^r. Hayes, Pat^r. Carr, Oliver Dolphin & Thomas Flaherty.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2153 to No. 2179 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 lodged with the Treasurer to the Cr of the Union, the Sum of £2:0:8: £1 being on Cr of the Am't due by Dan Tormey and the remainder for 29 days' maintenance in the Workhouse Hospital of Pensioners Owen Finnegan.

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, - - - £190 : 1 : 0

Paid during the Week, - - - £146 : 3 : 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £272 : 18 : 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.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Galbraith	Shenny	72	6	10									
	Brayhall	1	-	-									
	Kilgillinch			19			6						
	Harrode	1	2	5									
	Frutcher	7	11	8									
	Fraser (Abey)	9	15	11									
	Kilgillinch	2	9	4									
	Kiltulla	5	-	4									
	Raford	2	15	2									
	Donkey	11	5	4									
	Donkey	1	5	5									
McKee	Capprahall	17	9	1									
	Kilmer	11	2	1									
	Tragun	1	9	2									
	Donkey				145	13					754	10	1
	Brucklagh	7	1	8				41	9	2			
	Kilgillinch	2	10	9				103	13	8			
	Kilmer	3	0	0				44	9	2			
	Kilmer	15	11	5				88	17	7			
	Kilmer	2	12	4				39	16	9			
	Kilmer	3	18	5				58	8	1			
	Donkey	8	14	4				64	16	8			
Lagane	Donkey				43	8	9				441	11	1
	Donkey							600	5	10			
	Donkey							38	5	9			
	Donkey							38	1	4			
	Donkey							73	2	7			
	Donkey							53	3	6			
	Donkey							58	0	5			
	Donkey							71	19	0			
	Donkey							15	18	4			
	Donkey										948	14	2
	Donkey							40	0	8			
McDonagh	Donkey							59	1	8			
	Donkey							11	1	2			
	Donkey							63	7	4			
	Donkey							76	19	9			
	Donkey										250	10	7
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					189	1	0				2395	6	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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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

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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:

That on the 8th Inst, he rejected 84 lbs
Hutton, required for the patients in Hospital
and that the Contractor subsequently supplied
Meat of a good quality in its stead.

Ordered 5³/₄ Barrels Lime
1 Saddle
4 Screws
1 Pair Catches for a Door in Hapt.
A Pass for one day to Elizabeth Clarke
A Pair of Shoes for an inmate named John
Lee (upon recommendation of Medl. Officer)

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

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

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Circular from the Local Government Board, dated 3rd December 1873, requiring a Return of Rates for the month of November last.

Circular from the Clerk, Limerick Union, dated 7th Dec 1873 transmitting Copies resolutions and Petitions on the subject of relieving the Rates off certain expenses imposed under the Registration and Poor and Juvenile Acts &c.

The Board approved the principle of the proposed movement.

Letter from the Secy. for Poor Institution dated 9th Dec 1873 applying for payment of the Year's Subscription for the Workhouse, and four Disbursements amounting to 3:3:0

A cheque was ordered for the foregoing

The Warrants for Collection in the Loughborough, Marblehill and Woodford Electoral Divisions were laid before the Board and signed

The Estimate for the Supply of Clothing for the ensuing 12 months having been submitted and approved, the Clerk was directed to advertise for the quantity named therein, tenders to be received on the day fortnight.

Drs

30	Pairs Blankets
250	Yards Shirting Lincen
80	Reeps
140	Yards Canvas
560	" Grey Calico
100	" Shirting Lincen
132	" Flannel
120	" Check
100	" Chambray
100	" Bengal Stripe
150	" Linsey Woolsey
160	" Shodding Calico
40	" Fringes
80	" Corduroy
1	Doz Men's Caps
2	" Boys' do
1	" Pair Men's Socks
2	" " Boys' do
1	" " Women's Stockings
2	" " Girls' do
12	lb Thread
10	Pieces Tape
6	Gross Buttons
3	Doz Needles
8	Pack Pins
3	Doz Pins (large Men's Boys' & Children's)

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The question of Mr. P. Fallon's claim for the value of his 3 Sheep drowned in the Gap-pool on the Workhouse farm having been taken into consideration the Board agreed to allow him a sum of £3.13.3 being one half the loss alleged to have been sustained

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 22

Ditto disallowed, - - - - -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 10

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - ~

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

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

The following tenders for "Lundries" to be supplied the Workhouse up to the 29th Nov^r next were accepted, namely:

James Cag	for Quait Tins	at 5.0 y doz
	Pint do	3.0 "
	Quait Platters	5.0 "
	Pint do	3.0 "
John Scallan	Sweeping Brushes	2.6 each
	Wool Wash do	2.2 "
	Iron Spans	.9 doz
Henry Tarpay	Bup Brushes	1.7 each

The only one tender received for Natural and Indian Meal being deemed excessive, the Board directed to purchase the meal, when required, at the current prices of the market

Pursuant to notice:

Mr. Carr proposed, and Mr. J. A. Dolphin seconded, -

That the Salary of the Rev. James Farrell as Roman Catholic Chaplain be increased from £50 to £70 a Year

Amendment to which was moved by Mr. Timond, seconded by Mr. Dechy, -

That the increase to the Salary be from £50 to £60.

Upon a division of the Board, those voted for the Amendment - 9 Against - 12.

The Resolution being next put from the Chair those voted for - 7. Against - 15.

(Resolution and Amendment were accordingly declared lost)

John M. Dolphin

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

20th day of *December* 187*3*

(Signed)

Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea UNION,
on Satur day, the 13th day of December 1873.—continued.

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

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

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

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

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 15th December, 1853.]

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

_____ District, £

_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

Read Letter from Mr. Blackton dated 10th December 1873 stating that

requesting that the Board would take into consideration his present salary as Medical Officer of the Woodford Dispensary District and grant him an increase thereof in consequence of the great extent of his District and the additional Depot which he has to attend, imposing extra duties upon him
(No order)

Pursuant to notice

propounded, and Mr. P. Blake seconded, Mr. Fennelly

That in accordance with the recommendation of the Altham Dispensary Committee Dr. Leonard's salary as Medical Officer be increased from £100 to £130 a year.

which the following Amendments were moved.

I By Mr. Dr. P. Burke, seconded by Mr. Fennelly That no increase take place, and that the salary remain as at present fixed namely at £100 a year.

II By Mr. Dechy, seconded by Mr. Burke That the increase to his (Dr. Leonard's) salary be from £100 to £120
(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

III By Major Daly, seconded by Capt Rogers.

That a gratuity of £25 be awarded to Dr. Leonard for the present year

Upon a division of the Board there voted on the first Amendment for - 12 - Against - 12

Upon the second Amendment for - 8 - against - 16

Upon the third Amendment for 12, against - 12

The original Resolution being then put, there voted for - 9 against - 14

The resolution as well as the several Amendments was accordingly declared lost.

The Clerk submitted Dr. Blackton's Report (Form H) of 61 Cases successful vaccination performed in the Woodford Dispensary District, and stated that he had examined the Register with the return in question, and found it correct.

Ordered - To lie on the Table for 28 days

Robert H. O'Sullivan Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1871—
26290

Present Net Annual Value,—£ 75485.4.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of December 1873.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	Total No. of inmates accommodated 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 2 and under 5 years of age.	Children under 2 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
		Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Lunatics in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse,	762 116												
Temporary Buildings,	18 6												
Additional Workhouse,													
Permanent Fever Hospital,													
Fever Sheds,													
Total,	800 122												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,		6	15	24	32	9	3	11	10	13	123	In Workhouse Hospital, 44	In separate Wards, 1
Admitted during the Week,		4	1	3	4					2	13	In Fever Hospital, 6	In Wards with other inmates, 5
Total,		10	15	27	36	9	3	11	12	13	136	Total, 50	Total, 5
Discharged during the Week,		5	1	1	2					2	12		
Died,		1								1	2	No. Relieved during Week, 3	
Total Discharged and Dead,		6	1	1	2					2	14	No. in Workhouse at date, —	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,		4	14	26	34	9	3	11	10	11	122	No. at corresponding period last year, —	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 13th day of December 1873, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 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.	8	20					Et. forw.						
No. II.	7	15					No. X.						
No. III.	1	1					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. forw.	16	36					TOTAL,						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 20th day of December 1873

PRESENT: In the Chair, Peter H. Doepkin Esq
Other Guardians:—
Capt Rogers, Messrs Oliver Doepkin
Benjamin Taylor, John Diamond, Bryan Ryan
+ Thomas Glynn

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2180 to No. 2192 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:

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

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

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ 9 3 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £263 - 15 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.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Thompson	Loughrea							600	5	0			
	Kilcumshing							38	5	9			
	Lackalea							38	1	4			
	Kilchreest							73	2	7			
	Castleby							53	3	6			
	Arle							58	0	5			
	Mountain							71	1	0			
Gallbraith	Long Carr							15	18	4			
	Thorn										948	14	9 1/2
	Clayhall												
	Killybeg												
	Mayode												
	Brathill												
	Long Carr												
	Kilcumshing												
	Kilchreest												
	Raford												
McKenna	Long Carr												
	Long Carr												
	Brathill							41	9	2			
	Kilchreest							103	13	8			
	Kilcumshing							44	9	2			
	Long Carr							88	17	7			
	Brathill							39	16	9			
McKenna	Kilchreest							58	8	1			
	Long Carr							64	16	8			
	Long Carr										1441	11	1
	Long Carr												
McKenna	Long Carr							40	0	8			
	Long Carr							59	1	8			
	Long Carr							11	1	2			
	Long Carr							63	7	4			
	Long Carr							76	19	9			
McKenna	Long Carr										250	10	7
	Long Carr												
											2395	6	6 1/2

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 £

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 £

16 = 16 = 6 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

23: 9: 10

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was

3: 3 $\frac{1}{4}$

Average Cost in Infirmary,

4: 3 $\frac{1}{4}$

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:—

664 lb White Bread
24 $\frac{1}{2}$ Butter
96 Meat
542 Quarts Sweet Milk
30 lb Sugar
3 Oz Heads
1 lb Indian Meal
60 Eggs
4 lb Sifted Flour
4 lb Mould do

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

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

The Outdoor 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 Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15 day of December 1873 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

In money, = - - - £ s. d.
In kind, = - - - 2: 10: 4
Total, = - - - £

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with 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.
Wm. Naughten	✓	1	11 6
P. Kennehy	✓		14 4
J. Batells	✓		2 0
Wm. Dillon	✓		15 0
Wm. Shadwell	✓	1	6 6
John Martin	✓	1	15 0

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

2. Establishment Account.

Sarah Ridge	Milk	✓	16	13	4
May M. Perrott	do	✓	17	5	11
L. Burke	Regulation	✓	3	1	0
John M. Carthy	Provisions	✓	15	16	2
Rob. Murray	Rumbar	✓	4	5	0
Thomas Kelly	Printing	✓	5	4	0
Bernard Fallon	Meat	✓	78	2	3
James Beckham	R. & S. D.	✓	6	5	0
Thomas Lally	do	✓	6	5	0
John Taylor	do	✓	6	5	0

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

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

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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 :

That Mr. McDermott was 44 quarts of Milk
deficient on the 17th inst, and the usual substitute
of Ice and Butter used instead, the difference in
price (£1.4.4) is to be charged to this Contractor.

That the usual fare on Christmas Day
is respectfully requested for the Paupers

Ordered 127 lb Beef for Dinner, and a Bread
+ Tea Breakfast on Christmas Day

Ordered
1 Stock Lock, 1 Pad Lock,
1 White Wash Brush
1 Yarn Basin for Infirmary Women's Day Room
A Pap for 2 days to Catherine Mangum
3 Hams to Mary Jones

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

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

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Letter from The Local Government Board dated 16th December 1873. Requesting to be furnished with the Returns of Rates collected and lodged since the signing of the new Rates.

Clerk stated, that he had complied with the foregoing.

Circular from The Cork Harbour Union dated 13th Dec^r 1873 transmitting a Copy of a Petition to The Chief Secretary praying for the payment of half the Union Clerk's Salaries out of the Consolidated Fund.

The Board approved the foregoing, and directed that a similar Petition be prepared and submitted for signature at next meeting.

Letter

Letter from The Rev. James Carroll dated 20th Dec^r 1873, requesting to be furnished with a reply to his application for an increase of Salary as Rectorial Chaplain to this Workhouse.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Rev. Gentleman, as to the result of the "Motion" brought forward at last meeting.

Letter from The Workhouse Porter dated 20th December 1873, requesting that the Board would be pleased to grant him a weekly allowance of Tea and Sugar as part of his Rations.

Ordered Postponed to a later Board.

Upon the recommendation of the Medical Officer, a pair of Shoes was ordered for an inmate named John Slattery.

The Board having admitted to the Collection of the Current Rates.

Ordered That the following rates be fixed on for the Rate Collectors to attend the Clerk for the examination of their Accounts, namely:

Collector	First attendance	Subsequent attendance
Longrave	Tuesday 30 th Dec ^r 73	Each alternate Tuesday
Gulbunith	Saturday 27 th " "	Each alternate Saturday
Reckham	Monday 29 th " "	Each alternate Monday
De Donagh	Thursday 1 st Jan ^y 74	First Thursday in each month

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

24th day of *December* 187*3*

(Signed)

Patrick Egan
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 Loughrea UNION,
on Satur day, the 20th day of December 1873.—continued.

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

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

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

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

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 29 September 1873, 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 29 September 1873.

<u>Loicghrea</u>	District,	£ 66 - 17 - 11
<u>Beilaura</u>	District,	£ 82 . 0 . 0
<u>Athlun</u>	District	£ 94 - 9 . 0
<u>Woodford</u>	District	£ 60 . 6 . 7
	<u>Total</u>	<u>£ 303 - 13 - 6</u>

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Lt. Burke's Report, (Form H), of 122 Cases successful vaccination performed in the Bullaun Disp. District, and 71 Cases registered in which the children had been vaccinated by other Medical Practitioners having been recd. from the Committee of Management Ordered To lie on the Table for 28 days

W. Rogers

(Signed),

Patrick Regan
Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1871—
26402

Present Net Annual Value,—£ 75888.4.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of December 1873.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	Total No. in each of the above.	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 2 and under 9 years of age.		Infants under 2 years of age.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
		Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children above 2 and under 9 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.				
Workhouse,	760	113														
Temporary Buildings,	58	8														
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Shields,																
Total,	818	121														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,		4	16	25	33	8	6	13	11	12	128	In Workhouse Hospital, 44	Inseparate Wards, 5			
Admitted during the Week,		6	1	2	1		1		1		12	In Fever Hospital, 8	In Wards with other inmates, 5			
Total,		10	17	27	34	8	7	13	12	13	140	Total, 52	Total, 5			
Discharged during the Week,		7	13	13	2		1		1	1	18					
Died,											1					
Total Discharged and Dead,		7	13	13	2		1		1	1	19					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,		3	14	23	32	8	6	13	11	12	121					
												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
													M.	F.	Children under 16.	TOTAL.
												No. Relieved during Week,	6		1	7
												No. in Workhouse at date,				
												No. at corresponding period last year,				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 27th day of December 1873, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
					Cases.	Persons.						Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	11	27					Dist. forwd.						
No. II.	9	24					No. X.						
No. III.	1	1					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.	21	52					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 3rd day of January 1874

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

Captain Rogers
Messrs. Oliver Dolphin, Bryan Ryan
+ Thomas Glynn

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2193 to No. 2217 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, as directed by the Board he called the attention of the Contractor to the Meat supplied to the Workhouse, and that he, (the Contractor) promised to send for the future, the Meat of a good quality, and give no further cause for complaint.

That the Treasurer has allowed a Sum of £7.2.8, Interest upon the Current Account for the past half year

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, - - - £ 78 : 16 : 10

Paid during the Week, - - - £ 148 : 1 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account *fund* of the Guardians was £ 194 : 10 : 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.			Total.	Remaining.			Total.
		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	
J. Galbreath	Athony	13	10	8		185	10	6	
	Edinburgh	1	9	9		59	19	4	
	Killogilgreen	3	4	1		77	17	10	
	Moyade		3	0		36	13	7	
	Smithill		14	7		39	11	3	
	Longalbury	1	18	2		23	13	11	
	Kilnamogin		3	7		65	7	8	
	Kiltilla		10	4		60	9	1	
	Reford		9	5		39	2	5	
	Clontarreen		6	4		32	1	9	
	Comanstown					13	10	2	
	Cappaluck	3	0	4		47	19	2	
H. Lagrave	Killiney	3	7	2		24	9	9	
	Traguen		16	7		24	5	3	
					29 19 0				724 11 1
J. Reckham	Lougher	13	15	1		586	10	9	
	Kilcomelting					38	5	9	
	Luckalee	5	10	3		32	11	1	
	Kilchrist					73	2	7	
	Cutlough					53	5	6	
	Kille					58	0	5	
	Mountain	10	1	10		60	15	2	
J. Reckham	Longlam					15	18	4	
					29 7 2				919 7 7
	Lettin	1	6	1		40	3	1	
	Brackley					103	13	8	
	Killishill	6	6	9		38	2	5	
	Kilmeen					88	10	11	
	Quilnam					39	16	9	
H. W. Dwyer	Kilmeekle		5	6		58	2	5	
	Grange	4	3	0		60	13	8	
					12 8 0				429 3 1
H. W. Dwyer	Ballinagar					40		8	
	Drumkerry					59	1	8	
	Laytonock					11		12	
	Woodford					63	7	4	
						76	19	9	
									250 10 7
					71 14 2				2323 12 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 £

24 5 5 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 28 7 1

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was 4 1

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - 4 2 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

584 lb White Bread
3 Butter
99 1/2 Meat
570 Quarts Sweet Milk
24 lb Sugar
3 One Heads
5 Cut whole Flour
1 Buttermilk
1 Quart Whiskey
60 Eggs
4 lb Soft 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 Outdoor 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 Outdoor 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 December 1873 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure of Outdoor Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ s. d.
In kind, - - - - - 3 1 0

Total, - - - - - £

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with 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.
Dr. Litch	Salary as Med. Officer	✓	25	0 0
Pat. Egan	Clark	✓	22	10 0
Mr. James Farrell	Chaplain	✓	12	10 0
Mr. Edward Rush	do	✓	1	5 0
John Higgins	Master	✓	12	10 0

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

2. Establishment Account.

Margaret A. Young	Matron	✓	6	5 0
Susan Fahy	House	✓	5	0 0
Maria Stanton	Chambermaid	✓	5	0 0
Michael Kelly	Porter	✓	3	15 0
James Stanton	Superannuation	✓	2	10 0
D. O'Donoghue	Med. Officer	✓	25	0 0
Penke	Bullaun	✓	25	0 0
Leonard	Attorney	✓	25	0 0
Blackton	Deford	✓	25	0 0
Oliver Dolphin	Rent Bullaun Disp.	✓	6	0 0

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

Michael Keller	Counting	V	4	00
Ellen Fitzgerald	Milk	V	13	11 3
James R. Kippen	OP Relief	V	6	

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

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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:

That a girl named Kate Darveth and her infant child, admitted to Hospital on the 1st Inst, have been transferred to the custody of the House. The Board upon inquiry, allowed this inmate to remain in the House.

That the storm of the 29th Nov. blew
some slates off the Roof of the Coal-store, Kitchen
and Dead House; he called upon Mr. Keller, to have
the injury repaired, but he has not done so as yet.

Ordered Call again upon the Contractor

Ordered
12 yards Shroud
100 Nails, 1 Day Spoons.
1 Day large Platters
1 " Small do
1 " Leggit Pins
1 " Pint do

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

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

18th/10/73 Circular from the Local Government Board, dated 23rd December 1873, transmitting Statistics of the total Expenditure, under the Poor, Laws, Medical Charities and other Acts, incurred in the several Poor Law Unions, for the year ended 29th September last.

Letter from the Registrar General dated 29th December 1873 forwarding for the opinion of the Guardians, the Returns of the average prices of produce, of the various Crops grown in this Union in the year 1873.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Registrar General, that the Board have no cause to doubt the correctness of the averages obtained by the Enumerators.

Letter

Letter from Mr Ball Greene Esq^r dated 30th December 1873, appraising the Board of Guardians that he has appointed Mr. William Pabon to make the annual revision of the valuation of this Union for the year 1874.

Letter from Mr. Mahon, Thompson, Gullygar, dated 31st December 1873, requesting to be supplied with a Copy of the Abstract of the Union Accounts, Copy Estimate of present Rate and other Statistics, relating to this Union.

The Board having referred to the use made of such similar information, furnished this gentleman on a former occasion, was of opinion, that the particulars now sought for ought not be supplied.

Letter from Mr. Michl Keller dated 3rd January 1874, requesting payment of the Balance (£4) due him for repairing the Infirmary-Chimneys, and stating that he will give an undertaking that the work will remain staunch and good for the next twelve months.

The Board granted the Contractor a cheque for the foregoing, as it appeared that Mr. Thompson did not attend to inspect the work, altho' he had been requested to do so.

Upon the application of the Medical Officer three small Cantharides were ordered for Hospital use.

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The Petition to the Chief Secretary
praying for the payment of half the Union Works.
Syllabus out of the consolidated Fund, was
laid before the Board and signed.

The Clerk was directed to issue advertisements
for a renewal of the Contract for keeping the
State's Work of the Workhouse in repair; -
tenders to be received on this day fortnight

The following tenders for the supply
of Bedding and Clothing materials were accepted
namely.

Pat Laughwell	for 30 Pair Blankets	at 13-0 y. pair
	80 Rees	7. 6/ each
Martin Tappin	500 yds. poly. lico	6 y. yd.

The consideration of the remaining tenders
for clothing, was postponed to next meeting.

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

Witto disallowed,

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was

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

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

W. Rogers

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

10 day of *January* 187*4*

(Signed,)

Patrick Hogan
Clerk of the Union.

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