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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Outdoor 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 the Clerk having returned from leave resumed his duties on the 16th inst.

That Mr. O'Zea states, the Cargo
official has arrived, and that he will next
week supply the entire of the quantity ordered
(80 Tons)

that he rejected $8\frac{3}{4}$ lbs. of iron the 17th inst. and 3 lbs. on this day. in consequence of it being tainted, and purchased meat instead from Mr. Raymond, at an extra cost to the Contractor of $1\frac{1}{2}$.

Ordered — The Services of a Mason to repair Boiler
and Allev in Hospital
100 Brick 1 Ton Straw
1 Stone Cement 1 White Wash Brush
1 Piece Timber for Window Sills

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 Mr. J. Galbraith dated 16th September 1896, stating that in consequence of not having sufficient time at present to devote to the duties, he would beg to resign the office of Poor Rate Collector in this Union.

His resignation having been accepted the Clerk was directed to advertise for the appointment of his successor on this day three weeks.

The Board having taken into consideration the question of the proposed appointment under the Burial Grounds Act agreed not to postpone to a future date imposing the additional rate in consequence of the inconvenience that would ensue by not having the Estimate of the cost of fencing in the several grave yards prepared in time for the settling of the new rate before the 1st November next. The Clerk was accordingly directed to commence the calculations in the Rate Books, upon the basis of the poundages assessed of on the 5th inst.

Collector Cognacs having attended relative to the rates outstanding in his District, and explained the cause of non collection, the Board directed that the apportionment upon tenements Nos. 412 & 723 in Loughrea Electoral Division be carried forward as arrears and the collector to lodge with the Treasurer, the sum of £3:3:3 which sums in addition to the amount referred to in the report of the Committee of the 20th June last will finally close his collection.

The relief to be afforded in the case of a patient named James (Mary), admitted to Hospital on the 18th inst, was declared "by way of loan."

Upon the recommendation of the Medical Officer, a pair of Shoes was ordered for an inmate named Ellen Stanton, and a Miss Riddle for riddling the Cinders in Hospital.

The proposal of Mr. Pat^l Kennedy for the purchase of the Apple grass on the Dromore grounds for the grazing of Sheep up to the 1st Church Street was accepted at £7—

Only one tender having been received for the supply of richy Flans at £15:15:0 2/4, for which was accepted excepting the Board postponed the further consideration thereof for 3 weeks, and directed to again advertise.

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A pauper patient named Jerry Glynn being about to take his discharge, the Board agreed to allow him the cost of a suit of clothes out of the Amount (£11:7:0) the Master has in his hands, to defray the expense of his maintenance in Hospital.

Return of the degrees of beam, for the current week was submitted

	(Horse age)
M ^r M. Dermott	10 $\frac{4}{7}$ degrees
M ^r J. Finnegan	9 "
M ^r Ridge	9 $\frac{1}{2}$ "
M ^r Cunningham	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ "

The Clerk was directed to caution M^r Cunningham, against sending in Milk of such inferior quality in future.

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 - 27

Ditto 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.)

The Board having referred to the frequent admissions of Night Lodgers and others into the Workhouse, drew the attention of the Workhouse Master to the necessity of strictly adhering in future to the terms of the General Order of the 8th February 49, by carrying out in all such cases the Rules set forth in Articles 7 + 22 thereof.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday*, the

3rd day of *October*

1874

(Signed,)

Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 63.
(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the Board of Guardians of the Loughrea UNION,
on Saturday, the 26th day of September 1874—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET :—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 63; 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, 1833.]

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 9th September 1874 (state subject).
prescribing Rules and Regulations for the appointment of the several Officers under Sec 10 of the Public Health Act and the duties to be performed, and fixing the Second day of the Weekly Meeting of the Board for the first Meeting of the Sanitary Authority.
The Clerk was directed to convene a special meeting for next Saturday to bring the foregoing subject into consideration.

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 Editors were made on them respectively as follows):

Recd Letter from The Local Govt Board dated 11th September 1876
stating that

accompanying their Scaled Orders issued under
Sec 6 of the recent Public Health Act

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Letter from Same dated 17th Sept. 1876
stating in reply to the inquiries addressed to them
by the Clerk, that the provisions of Sec 13 of the Act
of 66 are not in any way affected by the recent Public
Health Act and that the same liability attaches
to Owners and owners to be pursued as formerly in
regards to private sewers, and that all special
Expenses assessed upon Owners or Occupiers under the
provisions of Sec 14 must be subject to the like
Conditions as the Poor Rates

With reference to the

foregoing - The Board request the opinion of the
Local Government Board, whether under Sec 13 of
the Act in question, it now devolves upon them
as the Sanitary Authority for the entire Union
to enter into contracts and make other arrangements
for the lighting of the town of Laurence, which duty
had been heretofore discharged by the Town Council
and the expense thereof paid out of the
Town-Rate -

The letter of the Local Government
Board of the 10th Inst. as to the area of charge for the
proposed Sewer Works in Athenny was ordered to be
referred to the "Dwp" Committee for their opinion

(Signed),

Clerk of the Union.

James Ryan and Laurence Landner two Rels
proprietors in Athenny, having complained that
their premises are often flooded and the
Occupiers almost suffocated by a stagnant
pool, which arises from the want of a Sewer
in the main street and that they had drawn
the attention of the Sanitary Officer to this matter
and he reported it in August 73 to the Board
of Guardians

The Clerk was directed to forward a
Copy of the foregoing statement to the "Dwp"
Committee for their opinion.

James Ryan, one of the parties
above named having declined to pay his propo-
rtional part of the cost of the private Sewer
in Chapel Street, the matter was ordered to
be placed in Mr. O'Meara's hands

By the Bullaun Dwp Committee
Minute Book it appeared - that the
Committee had at their meeting of the 15th Inst.,
examined and approved the Vaccination
Register containing 119 Cases; sanctioned the
Medical Appliances referred to in Minutes
of 2nd May last and also granted the
Medical Officer Six days leave of absence
appointing Dr. O'Donoghue to act as his
Substitute

The Board approved the
proceedings of the Committee

Read

Reads (and) Resolution of the
Sherry Disp Committee at their Meeting
of the 15th Inst

That they are of opinion the
present mode of sinking the Well should be
preceded with, and the question of the jumper
hole adjourned to a future occasion

That with regard to the Communication
from Mr. Kivron, they have to inform the
Board of Guardians that the Well does not
infringe on the "Squirell Estate" but is situated
on the public path, and that the Site there of
was chosen by S. Brodie the Local Government
Inspector

Done and
Patrick Hayes
Chair of Union

Loughrea

UNION.

Population in 1871—

26402

Present Net Annual Value, £ 76177-10-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of September 1874.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 9 and under 15 years of age.	Children under 9 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.			Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	760	112											
Infirmary Buildings.	58	1											
General Workhouse.													
General Fever Hospital.													
or Sheds.													
Total.		818	113										
Remaining on previous Saturday.			7	15	21	34	4	1	14	13	9	118	
Admitted during the Week.			7	1	1				1		10		
TOTAL.			14	16	22	34	4	1	14	14	9	128	
Discharged during the Week.			9	2	1	1			2		15		
Admitted.													
Total Discharged and Dead.			9	2	1	1			2		15		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			5	14	21	33	4	1	14	12	9	113	
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.													
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 26th day of Sept^r 1874, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Recd.	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.
I.	8	8					Dist. forw.						
II.	8	10					No. X.						
III.							No. XI.						
IV.							No. XII.						
V.							No. XIII.						
VI.							No. XIV.						
VII.							No. XV.						
VIII.							No. XVI.						
IX.							No. XVII.						
Forw.	16	18					TOTAL.						

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

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Lord Dunsandle
Mr. Thomas J. Burke, Capt. Rogers,
Messrs. Oliver Daphin, John Toole, Saml. J. Clarke,
Patrick Hayes, Thomas Conway, John Holland
& Thomas Glynn.
S. Brodie Esq. attended the Meeting

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2709 to No. 2722 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 communicated to Mr. Cunningham the views of the Board, relative to the quality of the M^o supplied by him.

That Mr. Ryan had since paid the amount (£1.10.1) applied upon him for the forgoite Issues, consigned in Affinity and which he (the Clerk) lodged with the Treasurer 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, - - - £ 4 : 13 : 4

Paid during the Week, - - - £ 89 : 16 : 9

And that the Balance in the Account of R^o of the Guardians was £ 334 : 14 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Mr. Ryan	Laugher	3	3	3	3	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-

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

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

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 £ 18-8-0 s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 20 : 9 : 7

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - : 3 : 0 $\frac{1}{2}$

Average Cost in Infirmary, " " " " - : 3 : 11 $\frac{1}{2}$

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, " " " " - : - : -

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

524 lb White Bread
2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Butter
91 " Meat
566 Quarts Sweet Milk
12 lb Sugar
3 On Heads
60 Eggs
4 lb Sift 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 6th day of Feb^r 187 $\frac{1}{2}$, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, =	-	-	-
In kind, =	-	-	-
Total, =	1	18	6

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		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. I.					
No. II.						No. II.					
No. III.						No. III.					
No. IV.						No. IV.					
No. V.						No. V.					
No. VI.						No. VI.					
No. VII.						No. VII.					
No. VIII.						No. VIII.					
No. IX.						No. IX.					
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.

Dr Lynah	Salary as Medl Officer	✓	25	0	0
Dr Lynah	Salary as Clerk	✓	25	10	0
Dr Lynah	Salary as Chaplain		12	10	0
Dr Lynah	Salary as Protestant do	✓	1	5	0
Dr Lynah	Salary as Master	✓	12	10	0
Dr Lynah	Salary as Matron	✓	6	5	0

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

2. Establishment Account. £ s. d.

Susan Faly	Nurse	✓	5	0	0
Maria Stanton	Scabmaster	✓	5	0	0
Michael Kelly	Porter	✓	3	15	0
James Stanton	Pension	✓	2	10	0
James Beckham	R. O + I D	✓	6	5	0
Thomas Kelly	"	✓	6	5	0
John Taylor	"	✓	6	5	0
Dr O'Donoghue	Loughrea Disp ^y		25	0	0
Rev Mr Holland	Rent do	✓	2	10	0
Dr Burke	Pullamen	✓	25	0	0
Catherine Lyons	Attendant	✓	2	2	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.		£	s.	d.
Catherine Culleens	Rent Kitchell	✓ 2	5	0
D. Leonard	W. Officer Mearns	✓ 25	0	0
D. Blackston	" Dr. J. J. J. J.	✓ 25	0	0
Tom Jones	Porter Linn	✓ 1	0	0
R. Birmingham	Shaw	1	2	6
Patrick Quirk	Sand	✓		10
John Maher	Turf	✓ 1	7	6
Thomas Plowes	Read	✓ 38	14	2
John Corgrave	Poundage	✓ 26	13	0

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

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

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That he rejected $5\frac{1}{2}$ lb. Mutton supplied by the Contractor on the 29th Ult^o, it being of inferior quality, and purchased a Substitute from Mr P. Kennedy, at an extra cost to the Contractor of 7^{cts}.

That the Small Pump on the Harrier
having got out of order, he sent for the Plumber to
come and repair it

"That he complied with Articles 7 & 22
of the General Order, in the Cases of the several
admissions, since last Board day"

Ordered 2 Doz Spoons, 1 Doz Small Platters
1 " Large Platters, 1 Scissors, 1 Comb,
10 yards Sheeting Linen

A Pair of Shoes for S^r Moore about
to take his discharge

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):—

185d/74 Circular from The Local Government Board, dated 29th September 1874, transmitting forms, for furnishing the Annual Return of Union Officers and Guardians

185d/74 Circular from Same dated 29th Sept-1874, forwarding a revised form, for recording the minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Poor Laws Medical Charities and Sanitary Acts

185d/74 Circular from Same, dated 2nd Oct-1874, requiring a Return of Rates for the month of September last

2122/74 Letter from Same, dated 2nd Oct-1874, transmitting the usual form of queries to be answered by the person who may be appointed Poor Rate Collector in place of Mr. James Galbraith

Letter

21326/74 Letter from Same, dated 2nd Oct-1874, forwarding a Copy of the recent report of the District Inspector upon the Mahon School, which he deemed to be in a satisfactory state.

Collector Coopers having lodged the Balance (£3.3.3) of his Warrants was ordered a cheque for his Poundage Fees and It was ordered— That the Poor Rate Collectors be called on, to furnish the Clerk with particulars of the changes in the names of Occupiers and Raters which have occurred in their respective Districts, and that those alterations be carried into the new Rate Books, and a Copy thereof transmitted to the Commissioner of Valuation

Return of the degrees of cream appearing on the Milk supplied this week was submitted

	Arreage.
Mr. M. Dermott	10 ⁵ / ₂
Mr. Hurregan	9 ⁷ / ₂
Mr. Ridge	9 ⁴ / ₂
Mr. Cunningham	9 ⁷ / ₂

Upon the application of the Medical Officer, a pair of Shoes was ordered for an inmate named Thomas Conry

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

10th day of *October* 1874

(Signed) *Patrick Quinn*
Clerk of the Union.

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1993/79 Head Letter from the Local Govt Board dated 26th September 1874 stating that

requesting that the annual Return of the Hon^{ble} Officers of the several Dis^{trict} Committees be transmitted to them. The Clerk was directed to arrange with Mr. Carroll, the day of meeting for the Wardens Dis^{trict} Committee and forward the Returns when completed.

Letter from same dated 2nd Sept. 1874, stating in reply to the inquiry addressed to them, that the lighting of the Town of Athlone will have to be carried out as usual under the direction of the Town Commissioners, and the expense thereof defrayed out of the Town Rate.

Letter from Mr. Kempster, dated 2nd Oct. 1874, stating that having inspected the Well at Athlone on Monday last, he considers it unsafe at this period of the year to continue the supplying any deeper, and that the pump ought to be placed forthwith over the Well.

The Clerk was directed to forward a copy of Mr. Kempster's letter to the Athlone Dis^{trict} Committee and request their views thereon, and also inform them that Mess^{rs} Rep & Allanby have again applied for the payment of £100 on 14th of them Contract.

S. Brodie having called the attention of the Board to the filthy state of certain premises, he had lately visited in the town of Athlone, S. D. Lally was asked for an explanation thereon and he stated that he had previously on two occasions, reported to the Board of Guardians, the want of a man, never to convey the filth from the houses in that locality, and that his reports were referred to the Dis^{trict} Committee, but no action has been taken in the matter.

The immediate attention of the Athlone Dis^{trict} Committee was ordered to be drawn to the foregoing.

(Signed),

Clerk of the Union.

Minutes of Proceedings of The Sanitary Authority.

The Clerk having produced the Sealed Order of The Local Government Board of the 9th Ult^o, and the Circular convening the Special Meeting for this day, S. Brodie drew the attention of the Board to the provisions of The Public Health Act, and explained the course to be pursued, in carrying out the intention of the Legislature. The Board of Guardians accordingly acting as the Local Sanitary Authority for the Union proceeded to the appointment of the several Officers, required by Act of Parliament, and Sealed Order, referred to.

For the Office of Sanitary Officer S^r Leonard, Blackton, Burke & Donohue are - in pursuance of Sec 10 of the Public Health Act - declared the Sanitary Officers for their respective Districts at a Salary of £10 each *per annum*.

Sanitary Sub Officer - Mess^{rs} Rockham, Lally and Taylor are appointed for the Districts in which they have heretofore acted, at a Salary of £15 each a year, being £5 in addition, to the amount previously allowed for his Services as Sanitary Inspector Consulting Sanitary Officer - S. Lynch M^{er}ical Officer of the Workhouse is declared elected to that office at a Salary of £10 *per annum* (1993/79)

Exec. Sec.

Executive Sanitary Officer - The Clerk of the Union is hereby appointed as such at a Salary of £20 a year.

Resolved - That in pursuance of the Sealed Order of the Local Government Board, we appoint the Rural Sanitary Officer referred to, but as the present Sanitary State of the Union is satisfactory, we deem the appointment of new officers to carry out the provisions of The Public Health Act quite unnecessary, - particularly a Consulting Sanitary Officer, and protect against the great hardship of this increasing the burden of the already over taxed Rate payers.

(passed unanimously)

Dunsandle
 P. Egan
 Clerk of Union

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Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1871 26402 Present Net Annual Value, £ 76 17 7 = 10-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of October 187 4

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. of inmates actually 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 5 and under 15 years of age.		Children under 5 years of age.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
		Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children under 5 years of age.	Children under 2 years of age.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	760	123											
Temporary Buildings.	58	1											
Additional Workhouse.													
Permanent Fever Hospital.													
Fever Sheds.													
Total.	818	124											
Remainning on previous Saturday, as per last Return.		5	14	21	33	4	1	14	12	9	113		
Admitted during the Week.		5	4	3	2	1	1	3	3	1	23		
TOTAL.		10	18	24	35	5	2	17	15	10	136		
Discharged during the Week.		5	3	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	12		
Died.													
Total Discharged and Dead.		5	3	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	12		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.		5	15	24	34	5	2	16	14	9	124		
											NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
											M.	F.	Total.
											No. Relieved during Week.		
											4	2	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 3rd day of October 187 4, 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	8					Dist. forw.						
No. II.	8	10					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.	16	18					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 10th day of October 187 4

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lord Dunsandle

Other Guardians:-

John H. Blake, John Toole
Patrick Carr, Bryan Ryan
Thomas Conboy (Att. Sec. of proceedings)
Andrew D. Kephin

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No 2723 to No 2741 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 Paddy Quinn was proceeded to the Gaol Loughness Getty Prison for the care of the Cost of his maintenance while a patient in Hospital, and a Decree obtained against him for the Amount - £11.10.5

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, " " " £ *100* :

Paid during the Week, = = = = = £ 167 : - : 2

And that the Balance on the Account to R of the Guardians was £ 170 : 17 : 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

[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 £ was produced and passed.

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

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

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

30 = 7 = 11 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 20: 9: 0

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - : 3 : 0 $\frac{1}{4}$

Average Cost in Infirmary, = = = = - : 3 : 11

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 1 Flask Gin
25 " Butter 112 lb Tea
92 $\frac{1}{2}$ Meat 4 " Mould candles
607 Quarts Sweet Milk
24 lb Sugar
8 " Pepper
3 Or. Apples
1 Quart Whisky
7 lb Iron Cook
80 Eggs

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 3rd day of Oct. 1874, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

£ s. d.
In money, = = = =
In kind, = = = = 1. 18. 6
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.

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

2. Establishment Account. £ s. d.

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

243 s. d.

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

100

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

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

Ordered 2 Buckets for Nursery and School Room

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):—

Letter from Mrs. Mathews, dated 10th October 1894, requesting that the Board would be pleased to allow her mother to visit her three times a week at the Workhouse, as she is a feeble aged Woman, and has no one else to care for her.

The Board, - under the circumstances, - granted permission to the mother to visit her at the Workhouse, three days each week.

Upon the application of the Medical Officer, an artificial Leg was ordered for a patient named Bridget O'Leary, upon whom a surgical operation had been lately performed and Shoes for three inmates named O'Brien, Fergus and Shaughaman, and the Shoes of P. O'deman to be supplied.

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A Girl named Annio Kichlaw, - from the Loughrea Industrial School, was admitted to the Workhouse Hospital, and the Relief ordered her "by way of loan"

Return of the degrees of cream for the current week was submitted

M. M. Dermott	(Average)
E. J. Funnegon	11 ⁵ / ₇
L. Ridge	8 ⁵ / ₇
D. Cunningham	9 ¹ / ₇
	9 ¹ / ₇

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 - 21

Ditto disallowed, " " " " " " " " - 1

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 1

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.)

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

17th day of October 1874

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea UNION,
on Saturday, the 10th day of October 1874—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 the Local Government Board dated 8th October 1874 stating that

requiring attention to the manner in which they intend to recommend the Treasury to sanction the additional Salaries, under Sec 10 of the Public Health Act, and the Scale to be fixed by the several Sanitary Authorities

Letter from R. Lynch dated 6th October 1874 acknowledging the receipt of the intimation of his appointment as Consulting Sanitary Officer, thanking the Board for their kindness in selecting him, but protesting against the Salary assigned for the office which he considers quite inadequate for the performance of the duties attached thereto (No Order)

(Signed),

Patrick K. Jones
Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1871 26402

Present Net Annual Value £ 76177: 10: 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of October 1874

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be received in the above building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 9 and under 9 years of age.	Children under 2 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.	76	121															
Temporary Buildings.																	
Additional Workhouse.	5	2															
Permanent Fever Hospital.																	
Fever Sheds.																	
Total.	81	123															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			5	15	24	34	5	2	16	14	9	124	In Workhouse Hospital.	54	In separate Wards, with other inmates.	14	
Admitted during the Week.			12	2	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	22	Total.	56	Total.	4	
TOTAL.			17	17	26	36	5	3	16	15	11	146					
Discharged during the Week.			12	3	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	23	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died.			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	M.	F.	Children under 15.	TOTAL.	
Total Discharged and Died.			12	3	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	23	No. Relieved during Week.	12	2	2	16
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			5	14	24	34	4	3	16	14	9	123	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 10 day of October 1874, 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	8					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	8	10					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.	16	18					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on 17 day of October 1874.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:-

Mr. John Diamond, Mr. Pat. Lee, Mr. J. M. Rafferty, Mr. O. Dolphin, Mr. J. O'Grady, Mr. Andrew Dolphin, Mr. J. M. Holland, Mr. J. O'Grady, Mr. Pat. Kelly, Mr. Pat. Ryan, Mr. Capt. Rogers, Mr. J. Taylor, Mr. Peter Blake, and (at close of proceedings) Mr. Thomas J. Burke, Secy.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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 £

35 - 5 - 5 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was = 21: 7: 6

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 1: 11

Average Cost in Infirmary, = - - - : 3: 6

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, = - - - : :

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

624 lb White Bread 80 Egg
2½ Butter 40 Candles
98½ Meat
5 Ct Potatoes
612 Quarts Stout Milk
24 lb Sugar
3 On Heads
5 Ct Indian Meal
1 Quart Raisin Wine
2 Dozen Potatoes

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 16 day of ~~March~~ 1874, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

£ s. d.
In money, = - - -
In kind, = - - - 1-18-6
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.	Article and quantity.	Value.
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.

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

2. Establishment Account. £ s. d.

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

B. s. d.

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

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

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—
That he rejected 11 1/2 cwt of Station supplied by the Contractor on the 11th Inst, it being of inferior quality, and purchased a Substitute at Mr. Kennedy's at an extra Cost to the Contractor of 1/11 1/2

That Mr. Kennedy, of Aber Castle, Craughwell called here on the 15th Inst. and proposed taking out an inmate named Mary Mahony as her ant. She stated she would call to the Guardians this day with a view of getting some clothes for her. Mr. Kennedy having been called before the Board, the Guardians refused giving any clothes to her, the inmate in question has since taken her discharge.

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 Mr P Egan - De Koffie Union, dated 15 October 1874, intimating to the Guardians, that in consequence of the death of his Brother, he would not be able to attend at their meeting on the 17th inst, and requesting to be excused.

The Board, considered under the circumstances sufficient reason for his being absent.

Letter from The General Inland Revenue Office dated 12 October 1874, relative to the duties of Poor Rate Collectors and other Officers.

The Clerk was directed to attend to the foregoing.

Letter from Mr J H Keenan Tinsmith dated 10 Oct- 1874, relative to the Pump at Athony stating that the excavation of the Pump will interfere with a Plot of ground which he had let to a Tenant for building purposes.

The foregoing letter was referred to the Athony Disput Committee.

Appointment of Poor Rate Collector for No 2 District

Three candidates offered viz Stephen Roland, Mr W Keenan and Joseph Conroy who were duly proposed and seconded. In consequence of the votes being tied each for Messrs Roland & Keenan the appointment was adjourned by the Board for a fortnight.

Return of the degrees of Cream for the Current Week was submitted

Mr R Dermott	11 ³ / ₄
Finnegan	8 ⁵ / ₇
Ridge	9
Finningham	9 ¹ / ₂

The tender of Messrs Bernett & Co of Ennis was accepted for the supply of 1000 tons of Flour for 12 months at £15:0:0 per ton.

M. J. O'Sullivan

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was = 11

Bitte disallowed,

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was

No. *to 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.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday*, the
24 day of *October*, 187 *4*
(Signed) *Wiggins*
for Clerk of the Union.

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Laughrea UNION,
on 2nd day, the 17th day of October 1874.—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 Laughrea 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:

Postponed until next Board day

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the Laughrea Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of the 17th day of October 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 Laughrea 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 25 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 7 October, 1874 (state subject).

Transmitting 30 Copies of a Small Book, comprising the Public Health, Ireland, Act 1874, for the use of the Guardians and their Officers

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
stating that

Dated

Copy Minutes of

Meeting of the Committee at a meeting held
on Tuesday the 16th Inst.
Members present

J. D. Loddell Chairman
E. M. Davies
John Blakely
Peter Blakely
W. F. Hickman
M. Hennelly
John Connor

Dr. Brodie, M.D. also in attendance

Resolved That in consequence of the constant wet and
Report of Mr. Kerpster that it would be advisable
to postpone the sinking of the Pump until Spring
should Rep & Munro consider at their intent to
cease work until then, they also recommended the
Sanitary Authority to borrow £200 for the Pump
in question to be charged to the rates of the
Electoral Division; the Memorial of Ryan and
Lardner with regard to the Nuisances at the rear
of the House the Committee was of opinion that
they should get means for carrying away the
Nuisances complained of

M. M. & Connor

(Signed),

M. Higgins
for Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1871—

26402

Present Net Annual Value, £76177/16/0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of October 1874

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be received in the above building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 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.	760	124													
Temporary Buildings.															
Additional Workhouse.	58	2													
Permanent Fever Hospital.															
Fever Sheds.															
Total.	818	126													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	8	15	23	34	4	5	16	14	9	128		In Workhouse Hospital, 4	In separate Wards, 1		
Admitted during the Week.	9	3	1	1	-	-	1	2	2	19		In Workhouse Hospital, 2	In Wards with other inmates, 4		
Total.	17	18	24	35	4	5	17	16	11	147		Total, 48	Total, 4		
Discharged during the Week.	12	2	1	1	-	-	1	2	1	20					
Died.	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1					
Total Discharged and Died.	12	2	2	1	-	-	1	2	1	21					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	5	16	22	34	4	5	16	14	10	126					
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.															
No. at corresponding period last year.															
No. Relieved during Week.															
No. in Workhouse at date.															

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 14th day of October 1874, 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	8					Bl. forw'd.						
No. II.	8	10					No. X.						
No. III.	1	2					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.	17	20					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 14th day of October 1874

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Thomas J. Burke Esq.

Other Guardians:

Capt. Smyth, Messrs. J. H. Blakely, P. H. Doephin, P. H. Doephin, James Darcy, E. B. Davis, J. C. Farrell, J. B. Gormley, Pat. Carr, Andrew Doephin, John Dwyer and J. R. Keating, John Todd, D. J. Egan, L. M. Egan, John Holland, Benj. Taylor, J. D. Clarke, J. H. Glynn, John O'Grady & Pat. Ryan.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2763 to No. 2764 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, = = = £ 100 : 10 : 0

Paid during the Week, £ 23 15 0

And that the Balance on the Account to *A* of the Guardians was £ 97 : 2 : 3
The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

[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 £ was produced and passed:

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

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

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

57 - 15 - 0 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 21: 19: 6

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 2: 11

Average Cost in Infirmary, " " " " : 3: 11

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
22 Butter
99 Wheat
596 Quarts Sweet Milk
26 lb Sugar
3 On Heads
2 Tazey Porter
80 Eggs
28 lb Washing Soda
2 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 Bills was also produced by the Clerk having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24 day of Oct - 1874 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

£ s. d.
In money, - - - - -
In kind, - - - - - 2. 1. 6
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.				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.
James Reilly 6
Thomas Lally 8
James Cury 11 0
James Holmes 4 0
A. Carranagh 18 11
John Maher 1 2 6

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

2. Establishment Account. £ s. d.

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

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Outdoor 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 19th Inst. Mr. O'Dea supplied one ton of coal, which contained 8¹/₂ ct. Slack, and in 15 tons supplied during week ending 24th Inst. 12¹/₂ ct. Slack were also rejected, the Contractor states, he will supply good Coal in lieu thereof.

That a Naval, named Joseph Kelly,

That a casual named Joseph Kelly admitted provisionally on the night of the 21st inst, next morning had his clothes torn into shreds, in consequence of which, he had to be draped in the Union clothes until brought before the Board this day."

Ordered - The Services of a Mason for one day to repair
Kitchen grate & Boiler
A Carpenter to repair desks in School
Room W

100 Nails
1 lb Cut ds

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):—

201
202
74
Circular from The Local Government Board dated 23rd October 1874, requiring a duplicate return of the numbers admitted to the Workhouse and of the children vaccinated therein, for the year ending 30th Sept^r 74

201
202
74
Circular from same dated 22nd October 1874, transmitting 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

Letter from The Clerk Ballinacree Union, dated 30th October 1874, requesting to be furnished with particulars as to the cases of any of the inmates at present in the Workhouse who had been deported from England or Scotland. The Clerk was directed to attend to the foregoing

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Letter from The Clerk of the Union, dated 31st Oct^r 1874, requesting leave of absence for one week on urgent private business and stating that the Master will take charge until he returns back

The Board granted the requested leave for Wednesday next

Upon the application of the Med. Officer a pair of Shoes was ordered for an inmate named William Kelly, a pair of Boots for a boy named Mr. Dunning and a forked case for Hospital use

The new Rate Books were laid before the Board, and signed by the Chairman and ten Guardians, and the Rates as agreed to on the 5th Sept^r last declared duly made

The Warrants for Collection in Collectors, Borages, Beckham's and St. Donagh's Districts were also laid before the Board and signed

Return of the degrees of Cream for the current week was submitted

Average	
Mr. McDermott	10 ¹ / ₂
Mr. Hinegan	9 ¹ / ₄
Mr. Ridge	9 ¹ / ₂
Mr. Cunningham	9 ¹ / ₂

The Board next proceeded to the appointment of Rate Collector in place of Mr. Gollagher for which office the following candidates were duly proposed and seconded, namely
Mess^{rs}

Messrs. Stephen Roland, Myles W. Keaven, Joseph
Jones and Lawrence Smyth,
of the Board then in Lett. - Upon a first division

Mr Roland	5
Heaven	7
Cooney	6
Smith	3

Upon a second Poll the voting was
For Roland 8

Mr Roland	8
Keaven	7
Cooney	6

Cooney	6	and upon
the third and final Poll	there	rated
For Roland	13	
Heaven	8	

Far	Roland	13
	Heaven	8

Heaven &
The former was accordingly declared
duly elected Post Rate Collector for No 2 District
off the Union

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 26

Ditto disallowed,

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was

To. To. 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 Tenders for the annual Supplies for the Year from 29th November 74 to 29th November 75 were opened and the following Contracts entered into, namely

Thomas Plaver for Oatmeal at £14.10.0 per ton
 " " " Indigo Meal. 9.15.0 "
 " " " White Bread. . . 6.40.0 Lard

The tenders for Peaf and Mutton being deemed excessive, the flock was directed to advertise for this day fortnight, and the consideration of the remaining tenders for groceries is postponed to next meeting.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Sunday the

day of November 1874

(Signed)

John H. 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 31st day of October 1877, continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 63; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

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

*Ordered - To be procured from the Contractor
if D. Lynch appears of the Medicines
applied for*

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, 1833.]

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):

1944/74 Read Letter from the Local Govt Board dated 8th October 1874, transmitting a Specimen Report Book, to be used by the Sanitary and the Sub-Sanitary Officers

22657/74 Letter from same dated 23rd October 1874, drawing attention to the proposed loan of £200 for Sanitary the Ball in Athens as referred to in Minutes of the Committee read at last meeting

Resolved That the Sanitary Authority for Loughrea Union, hereby appear the resolution of the Athens Disposal Committee of the 13th Inst. for the loan of £200 for the purpose referred to as also that the Sanitary Authority comprised in the Athens Electoral Division should form the area of charge under Sec 13 of the Public Health Act for repayment of said loan, and interest accruing thereon, and also request the Local Government Board will recommend that said loan be forthwith granted

22855/74 Circular from same dated 26th October 1874, with reference to the particulars to be furnished therein when applying for Loans under Sec 43 of the Public Health Act

Richard H. Dolphin

(Signed),

Patrick K. Lann
Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1871—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of October 1874.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that may be accommodated in each building above said.	Total No. in each building above said.	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 3 and under 9 years of age.		Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children above 3 and 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.																	
Additional Workhouse.	58	2															
Permanent Fever Hospital.																	
Fever Sheds.																	
Total.	818	130															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	5	16	22	34	4	5	16	14	10	126			In Workhouse Hospital, 48	Wards, 2			
Admitted during the Week.	4	2	2	1	1	1	2	1	13				In Fever Hospital, 2	in other inmates, 4			
Total.	9	18	24	35	4	6	16	16	11	139			Total, 47	Total, 4			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
													M.	F.	Children under 15.	TOTAL.	
Discharged during the Week.	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7								
Diad.			2						2				No. Relieved during Week.	3	1	1	5
Total Discharged and Dead.	3	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	9				No. in Workhouse at date,				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	6	17	22	34	4	6	16	15	10	130							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 31st day of October 1874, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse.
No. I.	8	8				Bl. forw'd.			
No. II.	8	10				No. X.			
No. III.	1	2				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.			
Total.	17	20				TOTAL.			

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 7th day of November 1874.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

Richard H. Dolphin Esq^r J.P.
Capt Rogers M.C.S.D. J.P.
Thomas Glynn, P.M. Carr & John Holland

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 £

40 - 6 = 7 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 21 : 18 : 6

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 2 : 11 $\frac{1}{2}$

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4 : 0

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:—

644 lb White Bread 4 lb Sift Candles
2 $\frac{1}{2}$ Butter
101 Meat
999 Quarts Sweet Milk
4 lb Sugar
3 On Hands
1 Quarts Milk
2 dozen Porter
80 Eggs
4 lb Mixed 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 31st day of Dec^r 1874, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

£ s. d.
In money, - - - - -
In kind, - - - - - 2. 0. 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. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					No. X.				
No. II.					No. XI.				
No. III.					No. XII.				
No. IV.					No. XIII.				
No. V.					No. XIV.				
No. VI.					No. XV.				
No. VII.					No. XVI.				
No. VIII.					No. XVII.				
No. IX.									
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.

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

2. Establishment Account. £ s. d.

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10
2 18 10

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

2. Establishment Account. £ s. d.

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

L. S. J.

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

£ 8. 7

100

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Letter from The Local Government Board dated 6 November 1874, relative to the construction of a Well in Athlone and calling the Guardians attention to their Circular of the 26th Oct.

Ordered That a copy of the foregoing be sent to the Sanitary Committee at Athlone to supply the required information

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Letter from same dated 6 November 1874 with reference to the appointment of Mr. Stephen Roland to the office of Poor Rate Collector and calling the Guardians attention to the fact of his keeping a Retail Shop contrary to Art 30 of the General Regulations under the circumstances that they could not oppose the appointment and requesting the Guardians to proceed to another election

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Mr. Roland, having been called before the Board and informed of the foregoing, he expressed his readiness to at once give up his Retail business which the Guardians deemed sufficient to have his appointment sanctioned

Circular from The Irish Church Temporalities Comm. dated 6 November 1874, requesting a printed list of Poor Rates struck within the present year

Ordered, That the Clerk attend to the foregoing

Letter from The Prior of the Abbey Convent Loughrea, dated 6 November 1874, calling the attention of the Guardians to the present crowded state of several of the houses in the Abbey Convent and requesting them to take immediate steps to remove the evil complained of

Ordered That the Prior be informed to memorial the Government on the subject of his letter

Upon the application of the Medical Officer a pair of shoes was ordered to an umbrella named Kate Davock

Return of the degrees of Cream for the current week as submitted (arranged)

Mr. W. D. Bennett
Finnegans
Ridge
Finningsham

4
107
2
97
4
97
2
97

The following tenders were accepted for Supplies
for 12 months from the 29th inst.

John Scanlan for Black Tea	at £ = 1 y ^l lb
Soft Sugar	3
Mr M Farley	Whole Peppes
	9
	Shedd Candles
	5 1/2
	Soft do
	5
	Lard
	1. 3. 0 cut
John Mc Carthy	Arrow Root
	8 lb
	Corn Flour
	5 PK
	Rice
	2. 2. 1 Stone
	Wax Candles
	1. 4. lb

The remaining portion of Supplies was postponed
until next Board day

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Little 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: (Was on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Robert D. O'Sullivan

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

14th day of *November* 1874

(Signed)

for

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 Friday day, the 7th day of November 1871,—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 _____

Population in 1871—
26,400

242
Loughrea UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 7617 7 10-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of November 1874.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. of inmates actually accommodated in workhouse (on each date).	Total No. of inmates accommodated in workhouse.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 15 and under 16 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 5 years of age.		Children under 5 and under 2 years of age.		Total.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fems.	Males.	Fems.	Boys.	Girls.	Children above 5 and under 5 years of age.	Children under 5 and under 2 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	No. in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.					
Workhouse.	260	260																
Temporary Buildings.																		
Additional Workhouse.																		
Permanent Fever Hospital.	58	58																
Fever Sheds.	3	3																
Total.	321	321																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			6	17	22	34	4	6	16	15	10	130	In Workhouse	43	In separate wards	—		
Admitted during the Week.			1	3	1	1	1		4			11	In Hospital	3	In wards with other inmates.	4		
Total.			7	20	23	35	4	7	16	19	10	141	Total.	46	Total.	4		
Discharged during the Week.			2	1		1	4		2			10	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.					
Died.													M.	P.	Children under 15.	TOTAL.		
Total Discharged and Died.			2	1		1	4		2			10	No. Relieved during Week.	1	—	—	7	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			5	19	23	34	4	3	16	17	10	131	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 7th day of November 1874, 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	8					By forward.						
No. II.	7	9					No. X.						
No. III.	7	2					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.	16	19					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 14th day of November 1874.

PRESENT: In the Chair, John H. Blake Esq.
Other Guardians: Capt. Rogers, Messrs P. H. Dolphin, Charles O'Sullivan, Oliver Dolphin, Pat. Carr, Bryan Ryan, Benjamin Taylor, Thomas Glynn, John Holland & John Demond.

(Signed),

for Clerk of the Union.

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

That the Warrants for Collection were sent to Collector in Donagh on the 31st Inst^o by John O'Neil Esq. Chairman who was pleased to take charge of them. Collector Richman attended on yesterday and took up the Warrants for his District but Collector Congrave has not as yet attended for that purpose altho. appearing on more than one occasion that his Warrants had been signed, and ready for being taken up by him.

Reduced I will again upon the Collector and
state that unless his Warrants are
forthwith taken up, the Guardians
will draw the notice of the Local Government
Board to the matter

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 £^{s.} ^{d.} was produced and passed.

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

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

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

24 11 3 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 22- 11: 7

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 3: 6¹/₂

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

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
2¹/₂ Butter
106 Meat
5 ct Potatoes
595 Quarts Sweet Milk
24 lb Sugar
3 On Heads
5 ct Indian Meal
1 Quarts Whiskey
2 dozen Potatoes

80 Eggs
4 lb Soft Sausages
8 lb Starch

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 7 day of March 1874, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

£ s. d.
In money, - - - - -
In kind, - - - - - 1. 18. 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. I.				
No. II.					No. II.				
No. III.					No. III.				
No. IV.					No. IV.				
No. V.					No. V.				
No. VI.					No. VI.				
No. VII.					No. VII.				
No. VIII.					No. VIII.				
No. IX.					No. IX.				
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.

John J. Dea Coal ✓ 100 . .

Ellen Finnergan Milk ✓ 9 17 .

S. Blackman Rice ✓ 2 12 .

S. Purtha do & butter ✓ 7 13 .

Pat Gredley Eggs & Butter ✓ 3 1 7

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

2. Establishment Account. £ s. d.

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

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

100

Credit Treasurer and Debit Outdoor 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 the flight lieutenant from leave of absence and resumed his duties on the 11th Inst.

That he lodged with the Treasurer the
Sum of £23: 5: 6 being the Amount paid by the
Auction Sale of 2 Hares.

That he would suggest the advisability
of selling the Waste Calbrage on the Farm

Ordered To be sold

Ordered Infl. R in the Masters Office to
be cleaned

Half for 2 Hours to Catherine Cannon

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 12th November 1894 transmits a Draft for the sum of £156: 3: 4 being the ^{1st} Part¹ Grant for Medical and Educational expenditure of this Union, for the past half year.

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Letter from same dated 13th November 1894 sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Stephen Elanck as Poor Rate Collector for N^o 2 District on the conditions that he has given up the retail trade in which he had been engaged

Letter from Mr. John O'Dea dated 14th November 1894, apprising the Board that he has completed his Contract for the supply of 80 tons Coal, and requesting a cheque for the amount thereof - £122.0.0 The Board granted him £100 on a/c

The Estimate of the Clothing Materials required for the ensuing 12 months having been laid before the Board was approved of and Orders were ordered to be issued for Contracts to be entered into on this (day) fortnight, namely—

200 yards	Shirting Linen
490 "	Grey Calico
100 "	Shirting Linen
130 "	Flannel
124 "	Check
80 "	Chambray
118 "	Bengal Stripe
130 "	Linen Walsey
20 "	Fridge
40 "	Condinary
1	Long Men's Caps
2	" Boys' do
1	Old Men's Socks
1	" " Boys' do
1	" " Men's Socks
1	" " Boys' "
1	" " Children's "
10 lbs	Thread
8 Pieces	Tape
9	Gross Buttons

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The following contracts were entered into for a twelve months supply from the 29th Jan

Patrick Kennedy for Beef at 5³/₄ y lb
 utton 5³/₄ y lb
 On Heads 1.6 each

John Scanlon for Starch 3¹/₂ y lb
 Blue 6 y lb
 Richis Key 16.0 gal
 Port Wine 36.0 doz
 Marsala do 20.0 doz
 Sweeping Brushes 2.4 each
 White Wash 1.10 "
 Nap 1.7 "
 Iron Spoons 9 doz
 Mary Turpy, Washing Soda 7.6 cwt

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 6

Ditto disallowed, " " " " " "

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 2

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.)

John M. Carthy for xx Porter at 2.6 y doz
 French Brandy 3.6 y. H. H. H.

James Bay for Quaint Tins 5.0 doz
 Pint do 3.0 "
 Quaint Platters 5.0 "
 Pint do 3.0 "

Return of the Degrees of Cream
 for the Current week and submitted
 Average,

M. M. Dermott 11¹/₂
 Annagan 9⁵/₆
 Ridge 9⁷/₆
 Cunningham 9⁷/₆

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

21st day of *November* 187*4*

(Signed)

Patrick Garo
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 14th day of November 1874.—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.*

*In 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 Local Govt Board dated 6th November 1874 stating that

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with reference to the particulars to be furnished when applying for Loans (under Sec. 43 of the Public Health Act) for Sewerage Works

The Clerk submitted a supply of printed Statements of the powers conferred by the Public Health Act on Sanitary Authorities and precautions to be used to guard against Epidemic Disease - as forwarded by the Local Govt Board

Population in 1871—
26402

Loughrea UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £76177-10-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of November 1874

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in the above accommodation.	Total No. actually in the above accommodation.	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 15 years of age.	Infants under 5 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.																						
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.			Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and idiots in Workhouse on the above date.																							
Workhouse,	760 128																																		
Temporary Buildings,																																			
Additional Workhouse,	50 3																																		
Permanent Fever Hospital,																																			
Fever Sheds,																																			
Total,	818 131																																		
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			4	19	23	34	4	2	15	17	10	128																							
Admitted during the Week,			5	1	4	1				1		12																							
Total,			9	20	27	35	4	2	15	18	10	140																							
Discharged during the Week,			2	1	1	1				3		8																							
Died,			1									1																							
Total Discharged and Died,			3	1	1	1				3		9																							
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			6	19	26	34	4	2	15	15	10	131																							
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RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 28th day of Nov^r 1874, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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.	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.
No. I.	7	7				No. X.					
No. II.	9	15				No. XI.					
No. III.	1	2				No. XII.					
No. IV.						No. XIII.					
No. V.						No. XIV.					
No. VI.						No. XV.					
No. VII.						No. XVI.					
No. VIII.						No. XVII.					
No. IX.											
Car. forw.	17	24				TOTAL.					

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 28th day of November 1874

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lord Dunsany

Other Guardians:—

Capt. Rogers, M.P. Thomas Glynn
+ John Holland

(Signed),

Patrick K. Glynn
Clerk of the Union.