

Loughrea

UNION.

Population in 1871

Present Net Annual Value, £76266/1/10

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25 day of June 1881

day of <u>June</u> 1887															
Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Number in Hospital on the above date	
Workhouse	760	157													
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse	58	3													
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, . . .															
TOTAL,	818	154													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	2	27	34	36	13	2	13	7	16	150			In Workhouse 53	(In separate Wards) 1	
Admitted during the Week,	26	1	3	2	1	-	1	2	1	37			In Hospital 3	In Wards with other inmates, 5	
TOTAL,	28	28	37	38	14	2	14	9	17	187			Total 58	Total, 5	
Discharged during the Week,	23	2	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	1	31				
Died,	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2				
Total Discharged and Died,	23	2	3	1	-	-	1	2	-	1	33				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	5	26	34	37	14	1	12	9	16	154					
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.															
			Males		Females		Children under 15		TOTAL						
No. Relieved during week			26		-		-		26						
No. in Workhouse at date			3		-		-		3						
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 25 day of June 1881, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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 DISTRICTS	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	
Distric	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.	53	87					1st. forward.					
No. II.	35	65					No. X.					
No. III.	17	54					No. XI.					
No. IV.	14	28					No. XII.					
No. V.							No. XIII.					
No. VI.							No. XIV.					
No. VII.							No. XV.					
No. VIII.							No. XVI.					
No. IX.							No. XVII.					
TOTAL	121	232					TOTAL					

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 2 day of July 1881

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Major Rogers
Messrs Samuel L. Hardy & John L. Lynam

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2535 to No. 2570, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

That he wrote on the 26th Ult^o requesting the attendance of Mr. Townsend to inspect the Loughrea Water Works on the 29th or 30th Ult^o, but has not since heard from him; and that the Dam was removed on Friday last and the Works put in motion

The Ledger was pronounced 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

£ 39 : 0 : 4

Baid during the Week

£ 543 : 1 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was

£ 1658 : 7 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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
A. I. Keaton	Atherney			52 9 2	
	Buwell			54 16 4	
	St. Gilbeary			76 5 1	
	Mayode			63 11 11	
	St. Hill			31 16 2	
	St. John's			30 8 10	
	Kimmeragh			49 6 11	
	Killa			52 5 9	
	Rapra			59 19 3	
	Don Kien			31 4 8	
	Cratona			1 8 2	
	Cappahin	11 24		25 8 6	
	Kellimer	3 178		53 5 7	
	Spurn			65 1	
P. Aghron	Lachin	3	15	52 11 1	647 6 5
	Blagh			81 11	
	Marshall	12 182		66 12 1	
	Kineon	1 55		146 2 11	
	Bullawn			51 15 1	
	Kieshke			61 19 7	
	fruge	1 14		31 2 5	
J. Longrave	Loughry		18 167	74 2 10	491 3 11
	Kearney			59 15 9	
	Lankeln			16 7	
	Keshet			21 12 1	
	St. Brigid			44 2 1	
	St. John's			43 17 11	
	Donagh			54 4 3	
	Donagh			25 11 8	
M. W. Douglas	Donagh			74 13 2	324 9 1
	St. John's			85 18 11	
	St. John's			34 1 7	
	St. John's			125 16 2	
	St. John's			6 7 6	
	St. John's			526 16 4	
	St. John's			33 16 7	178 9 15 9

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

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

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

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

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

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

97 9. 9

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, - - - £ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 21 = 1 = 10

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, - - -

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 2 5

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 3 - 3

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 2 - 0

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

872 lb White Bread
18 1/2 Butter
122 1/4 Meat
2 1/2 Cut Potatoes
2 1/2 Indian Meal
617 Quarts Sweet Milk
9 lb Tea
50 Sugar
3 Ox Heads
1 Bottle Wine
77 Eggs

4 lb Pepper
28 Cocoa
1 Corn Flour
2 long E Tobacco
4 lb Mado Candles

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 25 day of June 1887, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.

In Money, - - - - - 12 : 2 : 2

In Kind, - - - - -

Total, - - - £

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.	RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
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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.

J. M. Cane	Painting	✓	1	10
J. O'Brien	Saddles	✓	4	6
J. Costello	Carpenter	✓	7	6
Michael Tully	Shoe	✓	1	10
Michael Tully	Clothes	✓	1	2 10
Joseph Cunningham	Wate Muffs	✓	5	
John McNeill		✓	15	

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

2. Establishment Account.

John Kennedy Bread 27 3 6

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

L s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

Master's Report

The Children were taken out for exercise five times this week. The Contractor is making fair progress with the painting; he employs a labouring man putting the paint on ladders, Down pipes and Eave Sheds; it would be advisable that a Committee of the Board inspect the work.

The Clerk was directed to write to Messrs. John, Glinnane, & Sean and request they would inspect the painting.

That the 4 Rings found deficient by the Committee are in possession of the Porter and the pair of fyle shoes must have been placed there mistake with the Boys shoes there being an excess of 1 pair in these

The Report of the Master and other Officers was read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—
considered satisfactory order. Explanation

A few of the window frames are decayed and would require to be repaired before being painted

order. Employ a Carpenter

ordered 6 yards Shuttering for Sirels for inmates

" 47 panes Glass broken throughout the House to be repaired

The Master submitted the Estimate of materials required for the painting, which was approved and ordered to be procured from the Contractor

Average degrees of beam for
Current week Ridge $9\frac{5}{7}$ Kennedy 10 Connell $10\frac{1}{2}$

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

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

Letter from The Local Government Board, dated 1st July 1881 referring to the sudden death in Hospital of the Widow McDermott - as referred to at last meeting - and requesting that a statement be obtained from Rel.^y Officer Lally of the circumstances under which application had been made to him in this case and the steps he took thereon.
 ordered That Rel.^y Officer Lally be called on to report on this case

Letter from The Solicitor General dated 28th June 1881 transmitting the Draft Deed of Mortgage in reference to the Loan of £800 for enclosing the several Burial Grounds in the Union

The Board approved the Document referred to; and patroned to a larger Board the question of advertising for Contractors to enclose the Burial Grounds

Upon the recommendation of the Medical Officer a pair of Shoes was ordered for an inmate named Maryanne Jordan

The Board approved of Mr. Paul Fallon as Surety for Mr. J. Kennedy with Contractor in place of Mr. P. Kennedy was a Guardian

By the Bank Book it appeared the Treasurer had allowed a Sum of £5.3.9 Interest upon the Current Account for the past Half Year

Referring to the Circular of the 7th March last the opinion of the Local Government Board is requested, whether families of persons detained under the Act 44 Vic Chap 4 should be relieved out of the Rates - although has been this day stated to the Board by the Relieving Officer - the families in question have received grants of money from other sources

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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

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

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

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

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

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 _____ 12 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 12

District, £

District, £

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

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the 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,)

[illegible]

It appearing that the Head-Race from the Lake to the Turbines has now a sufficient supply of water for working the machinery, but gentlemen are in the habit of tampering with the Works to the Board directed that notice be forthwith published thro' town cautioning all persons against injuring or interfering with the Water Works and setting forth the penalties provided for in such cases by the Public Health Act of 1848



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 Patrick Egan

 Clerk of the Union.

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