

Loughrea Poor Law Union

Board of Guardians

Minutes

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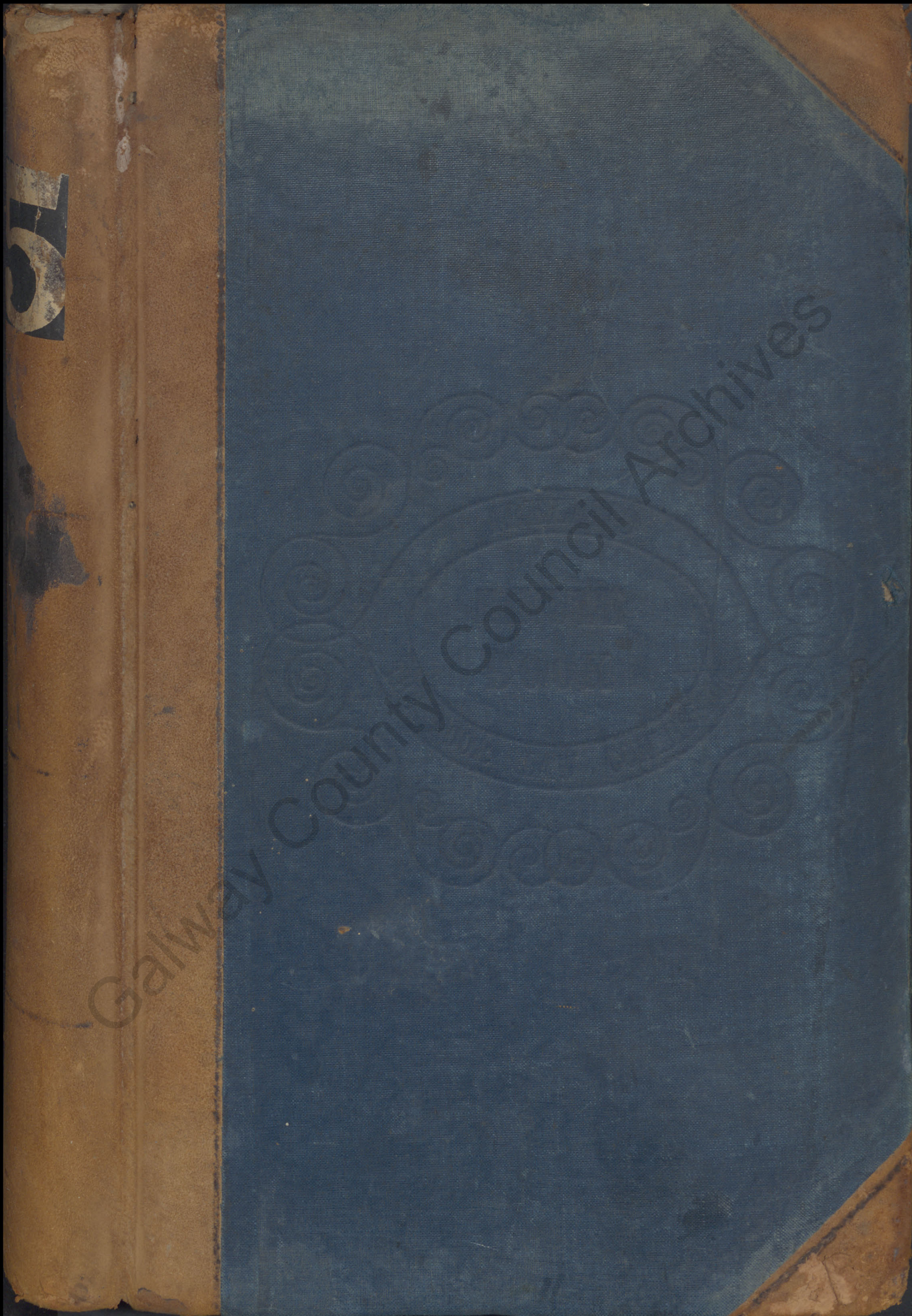
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1 & 2 Vic., Cap. 56 (Poor Law Act) and the Acts amending the same; 14 & 15 Vic., Cap. 68 (Medical Charities Act); 26 & 27 Vic., Cap. 52 (Vaccination Act); 37 & 38 Vic., Cap. 93 (Public Health Act, 1874), and the various Sanitary Acts incorporated therewith.

MINUTE BOOK.

Union.

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

Order of the Poor Law Commissioners.



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LOUGHREA UNION.

Population in 1881-26402

Present Net Annual Value, £76248.11.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29 day of July 1882

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.													OBSERVATIONS.			
Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that are accommodated in each building.	Total No. in the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	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 Inmates and Idiots in Workhouses on the above date.		
Workhouse.	760	107														
Temporary Buildings,	58															
Additional Workhouse.																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
Total.	878	107	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.					
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			5	21	21	25	6	2	7	14	11	112	Under Medical Treatment in the Workhouse.	34	In separate Wards,	1
Admitted during the Week,			-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	5	Under Medical Treatment in the Fever Hospital.	1	In Wards with other inmates,	15
TOTAL,			5	23	22	25	6	2	7	14	13	117	Total.	34	Total.	16
Discharged during the Week,			2	2	2	1	1	-	-	-	1	9	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Died,			-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. Relieved during Week,			
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	2	3	1	1	-	-	-	1	10	No. in Workhouse at date,			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			3	21	19	24	5	2	7	14	12	107	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 29 day of July 1882, 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.	53	85					Dist. forwd.						
No. II.	25	46					No. X.						
No. III.	56	120					No. XI.						
No. IV.	19	57					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.	155	308					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 5th day of August 1882

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major Rogers
Other Guardians:- Messrs. John Donohoe & Denis Brown

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3765 to No. 3784 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 the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

The Vet. Department have lodged a sum of £3:2:6 with the Treasurer to the Credit of the Union being one half the Expenses paid under the Contagious Diseases, Animals, Act for the month of April last.

Mr. P. Harriman has also lodged to the Guardians' Credit a sum of £1:5:0 for one year's rent of the Lake plot up to the 4th May last.

A copy of the order made at last meeting has been furnished to each of the Collectors and Mr. Heaven was the only collector who attended for the examination of his Account for the past fortnight.

ordered That Collectors Eugene McDonagh and Hession be called on to explain the cause for not having attended the Clerk for the examination of their Accounts for the past fortnight.

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, — — — £ 7 : 3 : 11

Paid during the Week, — — — £ 184 : 10 : 0

And that the Balance on the Accounts of the Guardians was £ 483 : 7 : 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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 during the Week	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged.			Remaining Unpaid.		
			New			Old		
F. Cosgrave,	Loughrea	...	47	7	9	28	1	3
	Kilconickny	...	87	1	9	80	16	1
	Lackalea	...	2	9	9	—	—	10
	Kilchreest	...	18	10	9	8	10	9
	Castleboy	...	25	2	—	5	5	9
	Aille	...	25	10	3	7	8	—
	Mountain	...	21	11	11	9	5	7
	Derrylaur	...	13	17	4	—	—	—
			186	11	6	89	8	3
M. J. Heaven,	Athenry	...	38	13	10	19	4	7
	Craughwell	...	43	14	3	20	16	8
	Killogilleen	...	42	3	6	37	15	10
	Moyode	...	9	1	8	6	8	4
	Greethill	...	10	13	10	13	17	4
	Graigabbey	...	17	0	5	20	15	10
	Kilconierin	...	11	10	1	17	3	7
	Kiltullagh	...	14	6	4	15	1	7
	Raford	...	25	1	2	5	1	3
	Cloonkeen	...	15	14	8	20	7	—
M. M'Donagh,	Colmanstown	...	—	—	—	—	10	7
	Cappalusk	...	20	19	7	10	14	9
	Killimor	...	22	9	3	19	10	3
	Tiaquin	...	30	19	11	19	14	3
			301	5	10	227	1	10
P. Hession	Ballynagar	...	45	15	10	13	18	5
	Drumkeary	...	43	16	1	32	8	5
	Loughatorick	...	27	10	9	21	—	—
	Marblehill	...	74	19	5	57	4	—
	Woodford	...	43	19	3	—	9	8
			246	1	4	125	0	6
P. Hession	Leitrim	...	47	19	—	23	1	2
	Bracklagh	...	94	14	7	58	8	4
	Kilteskill	...	51	8	9	40	11	8
	Kilmeen	...	79	7	9	74	16	—
	Bullaun	...	47	8	4	25	15	—
	Kilreekill	...	56	—	2	42	5	11
P. Hession	Grange	...	62	9	4	21	16	11
			433	7	11	286	15	—
TOTAL, £			1167	6	7	728	5	7

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.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. 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 :—

Master's Report 7

That he has been noticed to attend at Killimor Petty Sessions to day and at Woodford on Monday to produce Vouchers for Leeds.

One of the deserted children admitted on the 22nd Ult^o died on the 2nd Inst^o and the other has been claimed by the Mother.

Mary Green aged 13 years hired out to Service by Mr. Curley, Raffle was brought back to the Workhouse by her employer; this girl acted in a violent manner on her readmission.

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

That he sent Samples of Milk on the 1st Inst^o to Dr. Cameron for analysis, and others on the 17th Ult^o which were broken in transit.

Ordered 3 Stone Cement for Fire places in Hospital
1 lb Black Lead. 1 Bone Lick
1 White Wash Brush
A Suit of clothes for Michael Grealish
hired out to Service cost £1.2.6

Average degrees of cream for
Current Week. Ridge 9³/₇ Kennedy 9¹/₇ Connell 9³/₇

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

22636
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Order dated 31st July 1882
consenting to the payment of the sum
of £6 out of the Rates to defray the
emigration Expenses of James Kelly and
his wife to America

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):—

22712/82

Letter from The Local Government
Board dated 28th July 1882 stating in
reply to the Guardians' further inquiry
respecting the boy Hyman - a recipient of
out door relief, that the Relieving Officer
should have exercised his own discretion
in the matter, and was not bound - as has
been already pointed out - to follow the
directions of a Medical Officer; observing
that if the amount of relief given be
considered excessive, the attention of the
Auditor can be called to the Case
No order

Letter

23231/82

Letter from Same dated 4th August
1882 stating that a Comptabulary report has
been referred to them from the office of the
Chief Secretary to the effect that a Herd named
Thomas Broder was evicted from his House at
Carna on the 19th Ult^o without having notice
previously served on the Relieving Officer,
drawing attention to the provisions of the Evicted
Poor Protection Act thereon, and that the
Landlord has incurred a penalty of £20 by
this omission

The Board request to be informed
in reference to the letter from the Local
Government Board (N^o 23231/82) whether
the Act of Parliament quoted by them
applies to the case of a Herd who as
servant to his employer, whether Landlord
or Farmer is paid for his services by
the freedom of a House and Garden

Circular from M^r. E. Walsh dated
29th July 1882 referring to the recent dissolution
of the Lanchester Poor Law Board of Guardians
and requesting the Co operation of this Board
in bringing the matter before Parliament
No order

Letter from M^r. J. F. Kempton
dated 31st July 1882 requesting payment of his
Account (about £25.4.0) for professional services
in preparing Plans for improvements effected
at the Workhouse
order The Board consider the charge for making Plan
for Fever Hospital sheds excessive and they request
M^r. Kempton will reduce this amount

Letter from The Porter dated 3rd August 1882 stating that he had been absent from the Workhouse visiting his father from 9 o'clock P.M. on the 26th until 7 o'clock A.M. on the 27th inst. The Board approved thereof.

A further letter having been read from Mr. James Connell complaining of threatening language towards him on the part of the Workhouse Master; the consideration thereof and of the Master's explanation in reply to the previous charges preferred against him by this Contractor were postponed to next meeting.

Advertisements were ordered to be issued for the yearly supply of Sweet Milk to the Workhouse; tenders to be received on the 19th inst.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 9.

Little disallowed, - - - - -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 2.

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - 7.

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - 6.

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - 0.

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - 0.

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).

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 188.

(Signed,) _____

Clerk of the Union.

The Medical Officer reported.

That the Mason who is setting the new Grates in the Hospital is raising them at least five inches from the Hearth-Stone thereby frustrating the object of the Inventor and causing a greater draught of air, a quicker consumption of coal and less heat in the Wards - a great pity as they are beautiful grates - that he remonstrated with the Mason but to no effect. As set they resemble Wall Presses.

Order Referred to Master for his report.

Upon the application of the Medical Officer Shoes were ordered for Ellen Kearns, Bridget Griffin and Mary Burke.

The relief to be afforded to the following patients at present in the Workhouse Hospital was declared by way of loan namely

Michael Bredonick

Sub-Constable Magann

Out Penmonor Corney & Monaghan

The Contractor for removing the Funets from the Roof of the Hospital attended before the Board and stated that he is unable to procure the Ventilators at the price mentioned by Mr. Kempter namely 35^s each.

The Clerk was directed to communicate with Mr. Kempter thereon.

As

As regards the Boys and Girls hired out
to Luncheon Relieving Officer Beekham reported.

These
Servants appear clean and well cared, no
complaints by them or employers. I impressed
on them the necessity of minding their situation
which they promised to do. The few who
had left their places of service trace them will
be reported of on a future occasion.

A Memorial having been read from
M^{rs} Mary Anne Dwyer praying for assistance
to procure Outfits for herself and daughter whose
passages have been paid to America was referred
to the Guardians for the Loughrea Division for
their opinion.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

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LOUGHREA UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held
on _____, the _____ day of _____ 188 .

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

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, £ s. d.
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount,

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the services of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the Half-year ended _____ 188 , 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 _____ 188 .

District,	-	-	-	-	£
District,	-	-	-	-	£
District,	-	-	-	-	£
District,	-	-	-	-	£

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

The Board elected the following 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 29 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, 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) :—

17847/82 Read Letter from *The Local Govt Board* dated 25th July 1882
~~stating that~~

approving the remuneration of £4 a year proposed to be allowed the caretaker of the Kilchreest Dispensary House

19499/82 Letter from Same dated 25th July 1882 inquiring whether the Vaccination Defaults in the *Althorpe Dispensary District* have since complied with the law

Order Write to Dr. Leonard for this information

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz. on the 31st March, the 30th June, the 30th September, and the 31st December.] Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 8 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

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

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

22698/82 Letter from *The Local Government Board* dated 22nd July 1882 transmitting a form of particulars and in which application should be made for the Loan of £100 proposed to be borrowed for the purchase of the new Burial Ground *Kilchreest* order

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

District.	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts (or directions were given thereon as follows) :

Order Mr. Diamond to be employed to make a map of new Burial Ground

1944/82

Letter from same dated 25 July 1882 enquiring to the proposed sinking of the Well at Newtown daily and the quality of the water therein and stating they consider the Guardians should be guided by the analysis of Dr. Cameron

Order The San. Sub Officer to report to the Board as to whether there is any other source from which water can be obtained

21948/82

Letter from same dated 31st July 1882 inquiring if any further proceedings have been taken regarding the provision of a new Pump at Kibickle

It appears by a report read from Mr. Kemper this day that he has selected another site in the village distant about 80 yards from the nearest point of the Chapel farm yard and the Clerk has been directed to communicate with the Owner and the Occupier for permission to sink the Well there

Letter

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

12th day of August 1882

(Signed,)

Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

Letter from Mr. Walter J. Lambert dated 28th July 1882 drawing attention to the sum recommended to be paid him by the Mhenry Dispensary Committee for the rent of the field intended as the Sewage Outfall and requesting a cheque for the amount, £28, the

Clerk was directed to again communicate with the Guardian for the Mhenry Division thereon

Letter from Mr. J. J. Kemper dated 31st July 1882 stating as regards S. Blackton's complaint of the Woodford Sewage that provision has been made for connection of the drains from the Yards with the main drain, but he is not aware that the Contractors have power to enter on private premises and make drains without being required to do so by the Occupiers and that he begs to enclose a letter from the Contractors to this effect

Order Write to S. Blackton requesting he will report to the Board what premises in Woodford require to be drained

Upon the application of San. Sub Officer Rackham, a supply of 15 Barrels of Sigsbee was ordered for gratuitous distribution in the Loughrea District, and three weeks leave of absence granted to San. Sub Officer Sprin provided he gets a competent Substitute to discharge the duties until he returns

The

The Amount of the Parliamentary grant under The Public Health Act (£50:5:0) received from The Local Government Board was ordered to be lodged with the Treasurer to the Credit of the Union

Mr. G. E. Lambert having again applied for Compensation for the injury done his Farm when enclosing the Bunal Ground of Templemore the Board directed the Clerk to draw his attention to their Resolution of the 28th January last, to the terms of which they still adhere

Only one tender having been received for the Collection of the Domestic Water rate in Loughrea - the Board deemed the poundage expected (one Shilling) excessive and postponed the appointment of a Collector to next meeting

W. Rogers

LOUGHREA UNION.

Population in 1881 - 26402

Present Net Annual Value, £76248:11:0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____

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Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that, in each building, are accommodated in each date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, and not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouses.																
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.																
Total.																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			3	21	19	24	5	2	7	14	12	107	Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Ward, 31	In separate Wards, 5		
Admitted during the Week,			5	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	7	Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital, 1	In Wards with other inmates, 15		
TOTAL,			8	21	19	25	5	3	7	14	12	114	Total, 31	Total, 20		
Discharged during the Week,			2	2	1	1	-	-	1	-	1	8				
Died,			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	2	1	1	-	-	1	-	2	9				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			6	19	18	24	5	3	6	14	10	105				
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 5th day of August 1882, 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.	53	83					Dist. forw.						
No. II.	24	41					No. X.						
No. III.	47	112					No. XI.						
No. IV.	19	67					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL.	143	293					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 12th day of August 1882.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major Rogers

Other Guardians: Messrs. E. C. Villiers & Martin Taroach

The *Boothhouse* Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2785 to No. 2790 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 the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

That he has communicated with D. Blaketon regarding the number of drains required for premises in Woodford and with the Owner and the Occupier for permission to sink the Well at Kilsheek. the latter has consented to give the Site, the Owner has not replied as yet.

The Amount of the *Paul Grant* under the *Public Health Act 1830:5:0* has been 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,

£ 46 : 6 : 10

£ 88 : 17 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 440 : 10 : 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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 during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged.			Remaining to be collected.		
	New				£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
F. Cosgrave, ...	Loughrea	...	...	...	47	7	9	28	1	8			
	Kilconickny	...	...	...	87	1	9	30	16	1			
	Lackalea	...	...	...	2	9	9	"	"	10			
	Kilchreest	...	...	...	18	10	9	8	10	9			
	Castleboy	...	...	...	25	2	"	5	5	9			
	Aille	...	...	...	25	10	8	7	8	"			
	Mountain	...	...	...	21	11	11	9	6	7			
	Derrylaur	...	...	...	18	17	4	"	"	"			
					186	11	6	89	8	3			
M. J. Keaven, ...	Athenry	...	...	...	38	18	10	19	4	7			
	Craughwell	...	...	...	43	14	8	20	16	8			
	Killogilleen	...	...	...	42	8	6	37	15	10			
	Moyode	...	...	...	9	1	8	6	8	4			
	Greethill	...	...	...	10	18	10	18	17	4			
	Graigabbey	...	...	...	17	0	5	20	15	10			
	Kilconerin	...	...	...	11	10	1	17	5	7			
	Kiltullagh	...	...	...	14	6	4	15	1	7			
	Raford	...	...	...	25	1	2	5	1	3			
	Cloonkeen	...	...	...	15	14	8	20	7	"			
	Colmanstown	...	...	...	"	"	"	"	10	7			
	Cappalusk	...	...	...	20	19	7	10	14	9			
	Killimor	...	...	...	22	9	8	19	10	3			
	Tiaquin	...	...	...	30	19	11	19	14	3			
					301	5	10	227	1	10			
M. M'Donagh, ...	Ballynagar	1	14	11	44	"	11	13	18	5			
	Drumkeary	4	14	1	44	"	"	32	8	5			
	Loughatorick	...	...	...	27	10	9	21	"	"			
	Marblehill	9	12	10	70	6	7	57	4	"			
	Woodford	...	...	...	43	19	3	"	9	8			
					161	10		229	19	6	125	0	6
P. Hession ...	Leitrim	...	...	...	47	19	"	28	1	2			
	Bracklagh	...	...	...	94	14	7	58	8	4			
	Kilteskill	...	...	...	51	8	9	40	11	8			
	Kilmeen	...	...	...	79	7	9	74	16	"			
	Bullaun	...	...	...	47	8	4	25	15	"			
	Kilreekill	...	...	...	56	"	2	42	5	11			
	Grange	...	...	...	62	9	4	21	16	11			
					433	7	11	286	15	0			
					£ 16 11 0			1151	4	9	728	5	7

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 Account.
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. 18 : 12 : 7

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ s. d. 16 : 1 : 2

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was £ s. d. 2 : 7 : 3/4

Average Cost in Infirmary, £ s. d. 3 : 9 : 9

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, £ s. d. 2 : 1 : 1/2

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

672 lb White Bread	54 Eggs
4 1/4. Butter	1 oz Tobacco
78 3/4. Meat	4 lb Mould Candles
15 lb Potatoes	
5. Indian Meal	
2 1/2. Whole Flour	
6 lb Tea	
30 " Sugar	
3 lb Head	
392 Quarts Sweet Milk	
1/2 Doz Pater	

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 2 day of Aug 1882 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

In money, £ s. d. 15 : 4 : 6

Total, £ s. d. 15 : 4 : 6

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.
		£ s. d.	Article and Quantity.			£ s. d.	Article and Quantity.
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. forwarded.				Car. forwarded.			
				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.
J. F. Kempster Engineer	123 2
John McNeill Water Works	1 1
Do. Labour	3 17
James Carr Tins	8
Thomas Connolly Horse Hire	7
2. Establishment Account.	£ s. d.
Patrick Hynes Car Hire	1 13
John Gilligan Water Works	4 10
Maury Duffly Whole Flour	6
James Connolly Sweet Milk	7 8 4
Thomas Smyth Plaster	12 12 2

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. 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:—

Masters Report 7

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That he would recommend to sell the House as he cannot be of any further service ordered To be sold on the 14th day

That a sample of the Carpet for Hospital (price 6. 4p yards) is submitted

Ordered— Approved of The Grates in Hospital are giving every satisfaction. The Mason states that he set them properly, and at the time the Medical Officer made no complaint to him (the Master, of the way they were being set. a Committee of the Board is requested to inspect them

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

The Committee having inspected approved of the setting of the Grates. The School Children were taken out for exercise

Order Purchase Glap and employ a Glazier

Ordered A jamb for the Dining Hall Door and the Door of the Boys Lavatory to be hung.
A Pap for one night to Nora Lancelley
A Lying-in Bush for Hospital use
Average degrees of beam for current week—
Ridge 9³/₇ Kennedy 9¹/₇ Connell 9¹/₇

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):—

24040/82

Circular from The Local Government Board dated 7th August 1882 requiring a return of the Contract prices of Provisions and Meeparies at present supplied to this Workhouse

23585/82

Circular from Same dated 9th August 1882 transmitting a form of particulars to be filled up respecting the girl Delia Haughton whom the Board propose to assist to emigrate

Letter

24882/82

Letter from Same dated 11th August 1882 stating (as regards the Case of ⁹ Mr Had Thomas Prophy) and the inquiry of the Board thereon that it appears the Election was executed under the authority of a Decree granted at Petty Sessions in the usual way, and that consequently notice should have been served on the Relieving officer

No order

24882/82

Letter from Same dated 11th August 1882 referring to the failure of Collectors Cosgrave, W Donagh and Hapion, to attend the Clerk for the examination of their accounts and observing that unless satisfactory explanations be received from these Collectors of their neglect to obey the lawful order of the Board of Guardians proceedings should be taken against them under P. 100 of the Irish Poor Relief Act

Collector

W Donagh wrote that he had been engaged on preparing private business on the 13th inst but that he attended on the 10th inst and had his accounts examined by the Clerk

Copy of the letter from the Local Government Board was added to be forwarded to Collectors Cosgrave and Hapion

Letter from L. S. Parnell Esq M.P. dated 2nd Aug 1882 enclosing for Signature form of a Requisition to the Lord Mayor of Dublin to convene a meeting and provide a fund for evicted Tenants

No order,

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Circular from the Black Country
Union dated 3rd August 1882 transmitting
Copy resolution of West Board recommend-
ing the repeal of the Quarter Acre clause
No order

Letter from Mr. J. F. Kempster
dated 11th Aug. 1882, stating that he will reduce
his claim for preparing plan of River Sheds
by £23.2.0 in consideration of prompt payment
that as regards the Turrets he considers the
Contractor should be allowed the difference
between the estimated price of the Ventilators
and the actual cost thereof.
The Board agreed a
cheque to be drawn in Mr. Kempster's favor for
£23.2.0 and agreed to allow the Contractor the

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and
as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____
day of _____ 188

(Signed,) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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the Extra cost of the two Ventilators and also
directed him to forthwith proceed with the removal
of the Turrets

The consideration of Mr. Connells
complaint against the Workhouse Master and
of the latter's explanation were further postponed
to next meeting; the Clerk was directed to notify
to the Contractor and his Witnesses to be in
attendance that day

A Memorial having been
read from a man named William Murphy of
Ballycurnagh praying for assistance to enable
him to emigrate was referred to the Guardian
for the Kilchreest Electoral Division

In consequence of the
lateness of the hour at which the Board assembled
the Meeting of the Relieving Officers' Books was
postponed to next meeting

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.}

LOUGHREA UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held
on _____, the _____ day of _____ 188 .

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

- I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.
- II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

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, £ s. d.
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount,

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the Half-year ended _____ 188 , 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 _____ 188 .

_____ District,	-	-	-	-	£
_____ District,	-	-	-	-	£
_____ District,	-	-	-	-	£
_____ District,	-	-	-	-	£

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

The Board elected the following 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 29 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, 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—

D. Leonard Merny dated 11th August 1882
as regards the inquiry of the Local Government Board "that the Defaulters mostly all complied"

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

Loughrea 6 Defaulters

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

Relieving officers to notice parties to have their children forthwith vaccinated

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

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

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

23957/82

Letter from the Local Government Board dated 9th August, 1882 transmitting a copy of Communication received from Mr. Thomas Jennings respecting the want of pure Water at Kibberley and the delay in

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

District.	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts (or directions were given thereon as follows):

in providing a pump there and requesting the immediate attention of the Board of Guardians to this matter.
 Order. A Site for a Well has been selected and the Consent of the Owner has been requested.

Letter from Mr. Peter P. Broderick dated 11th August 1882 stating as regards Mr. Lamberts claim for Rent of the Sewage Outfall that anything in the Menny Division requiring his Co-operation must be deferred until he can attend at the Board Room and that he has also some objections to make to the Dispensary Committee in the matter.

The Consideration of Mr. Lamberts claim was accordingly postponed.

Letter from Mr. Giles E. Lambert dated 11th August 1882 offering to leave to arbitration the amount of compensation to be awarded him for the injuries done his Farm when enclosing Templemore Grave Yards.

The Board consider that the sum agreed to be given Mr. Lambert fully compensates him for any damage done him.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the

19th day of August 1882

(Signed,) Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

The Board appointed San^y Sub Officer L. M. Mham Collector of the Domestic Water Rate in Loughrea at Six pence in the £ upon amount collected within one month after date of Bond and three pence in the £ on subsequent lodgments and also approved of Mr. William Bergen to act as Substitute for San^y Sub Officer Kevin during the absence of this officer on leave.

W. Rogers

LOUGHREA UNION.

Population in 1881 - 26402

Present Net Annual Value, £ 76248.16 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of August 1882

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. accommodated in each building on the 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 7 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 5 and under 7 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	760	103													
Temporary Buildings.															
Additional Workhouse.	58														
Permanent Fever Hospital.															
Fever Sheds.															
Total.	818	103													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			6	19	18	24	5	3	6	14	10	103	30	-	
Admitted during the Week.			-	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	1	15	
Total.			6	23	19	24	5	3	6	14	10	110	30	15	
Discharged during the Week.			4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6			
Died.					1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1			
Total Discharged and Dead.			4	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	7			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			2	21	19	23	5	3	6	14	10	103			
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.															
No. Relieved during Week.															
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 12th day of August 1882 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.	49	81					St. forwd.						
No. II.	26	42					No. X.						
No. III.	47	104					No. XI.						
No. IV.	21	67					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Grand Total.	143	294					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday

the 19th day of August 1882

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major Rogers
Other Guardians: Messrs. Patrick Kennedy & Edward Keane

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3291 to No. 3295 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out or 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 the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

A copy of the letter received from the Local Government Board has been furnished to Collectors Cosgrave and Affron. The latter attended to day at 11 o'clock for the examination of his accounts, but being engaged preparing for the Board he, the Clerk, had to defer the examination until after the meeting.

Rel. officer Reekham has neglected to produce - tho frequently called on to do so - Receipts from Shopkeepers and others who supply provisions to the Out door Poor in his District. Order Mr. Reekham to explain

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, - £ 54 : 1 : 3

Paid during the Week, - £ 46 : 9 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 448 : 8 : 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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 Levied during 1898			Total Rate and Average Collected during 1898			Remaining to be Collected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
F. Cosgrave, ...	Loughrea	15	13	8	40	12	8	28	1	3
	Kilconickny	1	15	0	35	6	9	30	16	1
	Lackalea				2	9	9			10
	Kilchreest	3	12	0	9	18	9	8	10	9
	Castleboy	5	6	5	19	15	7	5	5	9
	Aille	4	1	8	21	8	7	7	8	
	Mountain	2	2	6	19	9	5	9	6	7
	Derryaur				13	17	4			
		32	11	3	162	18	10	89	8	3
M. J. Keaven, ...	Athenry	2	3	10	36	10	0	19	4	7
	Craughwell	12	1	7	31	12	8	20	16	8
	Killogilleen	6	13	10	35	9	8	37	5	1
	Moyode				9	1	8	76	8	4
	Greethill				10	13	10	13	17	4
	Graigabney				17	0	5	20	15	10
	Kilconierin				11	10	1	17	8	7
	Kiltullagh				14	6	4	15	1	7
	Raford				25	1	2	5	1	3
	Cloonkeen				15	14	8	20	7	
	Colmanstown								10	7
	Cappalusk				20	19	7	10	14	9
	Killimor				22	9	3	19	10	3
Tiaquin				29	17	3	19	14	3	
	20	19	3	280	6	7	226	11	1	
M. M'Donagh, ...	Ballynagar				44		11	73	18	5
	Drumkeary				44			32	8	5
	Loughatorick				27	10	9	21		
	Marblehill				70	6	7	57	4	
	Woodford				43	19	3		9	8
					229	19	6	125	0	6
P. Hession	Leitrim				47	19		23	1	2
	Bracklagh				94	14	7	58	8	4
	Kilteskill				51	8	9	40	11	8
	Kilmeen				79	7	9	74	16	
	Bullaun				47	8	4	25	15	
	Kilreekill				56		2	42	5	11
	Grange				62	9	4	21	16	11
				433	7	11	286	15	0	
	53	10	6	109	1106	12	10	727	14	10
	TOTAL, £									

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 Account.
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. 53: 4: 11

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ s. d. 15: 16: 4

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was £ s. d. 2: 7½

Average Cost in Infirmary, £ s. d. 3: 7½

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, £ s. d. 2: 1½

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

612 lb White Bread	1 oz Tobacco
4½ Butter	4 lb Starch
78 Meat	4 lb Mould candles
392 Quarts sweet Milk	
6 lb Tea	
35 Sugar	
3 ox Heads	
2 Bottles Wine	
49 Eggs	
14 lb Bacon	
2 Arrow-Rot	

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 12 day of August 1882 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -			
In kind, - - - -			
Total, - - - -	16	12	10

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
John McNeill	1		
Water Works	3	14	
Labour	8	5	6
Joseph O'Flaherty	6		
Clothes	6		6
James M. Garth	8		6
Soap			
Margaret Scanlan	8		6
Tea			

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

	£	s.	d.
William Flattery	112	10	
Coal	22	6	10
John Kennedy			
Bread			

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. 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:—

Masters Report⁷ That very few Night Lodgers seek admission now. The Medical Officer made the following note on his Extra Book on the 16th Inst.

The patients of this Hospital complain that the Bread they got for the past few days was so sour that they cannot use it, and I must say that the Bread they showed me was very sour.

I ordered Contractors attention to be called to this report.

That he would require a man to take charge of the Horse at the Fair, as none of the

~~The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—~~
Men in the House are active enough.

Kilbury, an inmate, ordered to take charge of Horse.
"M^r. Keogh of Dooganam wants a Servant Girl and has selected Minny Hynes she requires Boots and a Shawl.
Not ordered

Ordered 4 Yarn Basins
" Clothes for an inmate named Peter McGinty about to leave the House cost £=13-0

Average degrees of beam for current week.
Ridge 9¹/₇ Kennedy 9³/₇
Connell 9²/₇

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):—

169 2/82 Circular from The Local Government Board dated 12th August 1882 transmitting a copy of their Annual Report for the present year.

15162/82 Letter from same dated 16th August 1882 stating as regards the proposed emigration of the girl Delia Naughten that it appears her Mother is living in Loughrea and they cannot approve of the proposal to assist so young a person to emigrate and thus be separated from the parent who is now legally liable for her support.

With reference to the letter from the Local Government Board the Board desire to state that they fully considered the case

of the girl Delia Naughten and agreed to assist her, as her passage had been paid by her Uncle who is living in New York. The Mother is a very poor Woman (having) three other Orphans to support, and the Board believe it would be to the advantage of all parties if the girl could be sent to her friends in America who are able and willing to maintain her, and under the circumstances they trust the Local Government Board will consent to the expenditure proposed in this case.

Circulars from the Clerks of the Mountmellick and Waterford Unions dated 15th August 1882 transmitting copies resolutions of the respective Boards of Guardians, on the subject of the Union Officers Superannuation Bill, and recent dissolution of the Barren on their Board of Guardians (No Order,

Letter from Dr. Cameron dated 17th August 1882 stating as regards the Samples of Milk last sent him for analysis that "they proved to be very poor, but they were not below the standard of poor but poor Milk, therefore I can only say that Milk of average or good quality contains from 12th to 17th of cent of solid matters, whilst the three Milks in question contain only 12, 12.15 and 12.16 of cent of Solids"

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As regards the non attendance of the Rate Collectors - Mr. Shepion writes, that he had been called on by the Clerk to attend and check his Accounts, but as he had so little collected he did not think it worth while coming; that he attended to day for that purpose but it was too late, and that he is making a lodgment of all he could collect £9:4:16

Mr. Grogan That the Circular calling on him to lodge by the 1st put quite escaped his memory, coupling this with the hurried Season of the year, he hopes he will be excused on this occasion, and promises that the like shall not occur again

order

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 13

Little disallowed, - - - - -

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

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - - - 5

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - 5

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).

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 26th day of August 1882

(Signed,) Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

order The Board expect, that there shall be no repetition of this irregularity

The Tenders of Sarah Ridge, James Fide and John Kennedy were accepted for the Year's Supply (from the 29th Feb, of Sweet Milk to the Workhouse - $\frac{1}{3}$ each - at Eight Pence up Imperial Gallon

Rel^y Officer Reekham was directed to notify to a man named John Greener that unless he come into the Workhouse or take out his Wife and Children he would be prosecuted

Memorials having been read from Mary Burke and Kate Garock, praying for assistance to enable them to emigrate to America were referred to the Guardians, and principal Rate payers of the Divisions to which those parties are respectively chargeable

Upon the application of the Medical Officer shoes were ordered for an inmate named Mary Quinn

The Relief to be afforded in the case of Sub Constable Kavanagh - admitted to the Workhouse Hospital on the 14th Feb - was declared by way of loan

Referring

Referring to the charge preferred on the 5th inst by Mr. Connell, against the Workhouse Master - the Board inquired into same, and the Master having been called before the Board denied having used the threats complained of -

The Master's explanation regarding the previous charge of Mr. Connell is ordered to be forwarded to the Local Government Board

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

LOUGHREA UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on _____, the _____ day of _____ 188 .

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

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, L s. d.
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount,

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the Half-year ended _____ 188 , 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 _____ 188 .

District,	-	-	-	-	£
District,	-	-	-	-	£
District,	-	-	-	-	£
District,	-	-	-	-	£

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

The Board elected the following 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 C 1 and C 2), in pursuance of Article 29 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, 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 *Med. Officer Rckham* dated 19th Aug 1882
stating that

Thomas Smyth, a Deaf' patient - got a Truss some time ago, which not fitting him he did not wear, and as he is about going to Dublin he trusts the Board will grant him the difference in price so as to get a proper one
Order Referred to the Medical Officer

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

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

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

Letter from Mr. D. F. Burke, dated 9th August 1882 stating that as soon as he ascertains, that the site of the Well at Richeekle has been properly chosen, and be a benefit to the Rate payers and public at large, he will feel pleasure in doing whatever may be in his power to facilitate the matter

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

District.	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts (or directions were given thereon as follows) :

Letter from L. Blackston dated 18th August 1882 enclosing a list of 18 Houses and premises in Woodford, which he recommends should have drains from the Yards connected with the main drain also that with the exception of two or three they are without prior accommodation observing that four of the Houses (Nos 6 to 9) were built lately and the Public Health Act requires that such should be provided.

As the Loan (£400), granted under the Relief of Distress Act is insufficient to carry out all those Works the Board agreed to request a Supplemental Loan of £100 under the Public Health Act.

Letter from Mr. Walter Lambert dated 18th August 1882 again requesting a cheque for the Amount (£28) due him for Rent of the Sewage Outfall Machinery. The consideration of the foregoing was postponed to next Meeting.

Sanitary

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

26th day of August, 1882

(Signed,)

Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

Sanitary Sub officer Lalar reported That he visited Newtown daily found 33 feet of Water in the Well. 6 feet dry at top and from what he could learn there are about 10 or 12 feet of Sediment at bottom. There are 3 or 4 Spring Wells in the locality but very inconvenient, the nearest is in the town of Rathfriland about half a mile from the centre of the village. The other Wells are about a mile and so regular passage to them; the people are using the Water from the Newtown-daly Well for all domestic purposes.

Order Ask Local Government Board whether under the Circumstances the Board may proceed with the Sinking of the Well.

The Clerk was directed to apply to the Local Government Board for information regarding the apportionment for the domestic Water Rate in Louisa and the form of Bond for Collectors.

W. Rogers