

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

The 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 the usual advertisements have been issued for the appointment of Collector of the New Rate for District No. 4

That acting upon some information received through Mr. O'Serrall Solicitor on Tuesday last he sent to Miss T. Lynch L. req and obtained from her a Poor Rate Receipt issued on the 10 June last for £5.17.9 Rates of 1881 due upon her farm at Grange More Bracklagh Division - This sum still appears due by the Collectors Warrant - Upon comparing the receipt No 77 issued to Miss Lynch with the Block No 77 the latter is filled up in the name of John Wiscoe for 12/5 due upon tenement No 219 in said Division so that in this case alone the Collector has defrauded a sum of £5.5.4 and Miss Lynch now demands to be refunded the sum paid. Session alleging that the present occupier of the Farm (The Hon. Chas. Nugent) had also paid him the Rate in question

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

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

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £119 : 1 : 2

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was £739 : 12 : 8

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 Uncollected
M. J. Keaven	Athenry	42 16 8	313 8 3	
	Craughwell	28 16 5	142 13 6	
	Killgilleen	13 9 2	149 12 5	
	Mayode	2 10 3	67 11 1	
	Spert Hill	11 3 3	73 1 6	
	Craigabber	1 16 10	55 3 10	
	Kilcomison	5 5 6	102 0 9	
	Kiltullagh	5 6 1	100 17 8	
	Rapard	3 17 5	74 16 9	
	Colson/Keen	2 5 4	76 10 9	
	Colmanstown	.	27 12 9	
	Cappadusk	.	126 16 9	
	Killimar	1 4 5	98 17 2	
	Inaquin	10 10	93 19 8	
		119 1 2	1503 2 10	82
J. Coograw	Saughrea	134	134 18 4	81
	Kilconickney	198	198 18 4	80
	Sackalea	1836 2 10	1836 2 10	
	Kilchreest	777 11 0	777 11 0	
	Castleboy	133 11 11	133 11 11	
	Aille	44 9 3	44 9 3	
	Mountain	152 5 1	152 5 1	
	Berryglaur	102 8 0	102 8 0	
		109 5 10	109 5 10	
		87 0 10	87 0 10	
P. Session	Seitrim	76 10 1	76 10 1	
	Bracklagh	1486 2 0	1486 2 0	82
	Kiltickhill	91 19 9	91 19 9	87
	Kilmeen	75 17 4	75 17 4	80
	Bullaun	1053 17 1	1053 17 1	
	Kilreekle	132 18 0	132 18 0	
	Grange	248 15 10	248 15 10	
		132 17 8	132 17 8	
		228 2 3	228 2 3	
		96 3 0	96 3 0	
M. M. Donagh	Ballynagar	128 10 7	128 10 7	
	Grum/Kerry	138 17 5	138 17 5	
	Longhastrieth	1106 4 0	1106 4 0	82
	Marblehill	335 4 0	335 4 0	81
	Woodford	263 2 5	263 2 5	80
		1704 10 5	1704 10 5	
		127 15 8	127 15 8	
		157 14 9	157 14 9	
		46 2 11	46 2 11	
		168 11 6	168 11 6	
		114 8 5	608 13 3	82
		190 4 1	190 4 1	81
		124 19 4	124 19 4	80
		923 16 11	923 16 11	

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

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

Total 6118 7 3

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 £ 18 s. 8d. 0

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 25: 6: 3

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 2: 9

Average Cost in Infirmary, - : 4: 9

Average Cost in ~~Work House~~ *Hall* - : 2: 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:—

8½ lbs White Bread	142 Eggs
8½ " Butter	14 lbs Cocoa
127½ " Meat	19 oz Tobacco
2½ cwt. Cat meal	8 lbs Mould Candles
2½ " Indian meal	
578 qts Sweet milk	
9 lbs Tea	
50 " Sugar	
3 Oz heads	
2 lbs. Bread soda	
3 Bottles wine	
1 qt. Whiskey	

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 3 day of March 1883 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

£ s. d.

In Money, - - - - -

In kind, - - - - - 21: 2: 3

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.
No. I.					EL. 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					No. XVIII.				
					TOTAL				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
1. Clothing Account.			
Patrick Glynn	2	10	0
James Hanniffy	2	10	0
James Rickham	2	10	0
Edward Lalor	2	10	0
John M. Neill	1	0	0
J. Barrett	8-0	6	0
T. Joyce	6-0	8	0
Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.			

2. Establishment Account.

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

£ s. d.

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

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Credit Treasurer and Debit 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 Lunatic Mary Barrett escaped from Hospital about two hours ago - so far as he could learn and that he sent word of it to the Police

Ordered

1 Box Blacking 2 Samps
A suit of clothes for a school boy named
Michael greatly hired out to service cost
not to exceed £1

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given therein 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 Gov. Board dated 7th March 1883 acknowledging the receipt of the copy Diet Table for Healthy Inmates and expressing their approval of the substitution of Bread and Tea instead of Stew and Potatoes for the Breakfast Meal of the Infirm Inmates on Class 3

Letter from same dated 7th March 1883 referring to the Medical Officers report upon the inferior quality of the Milk supplied for use in Hospital on the 26th Ult and stating that it appears desirable to have a sample of the Milk analyzed and if found adulterated to institute legal proceedings against the Contractors

Order The Local Gov. Board are referred to Masters report in Minutes of 24th Ult

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Letter from same dated 7th March 1883 stating that they regret to be obliged to disagree with the opinion of the Board of Guardians in regard to the sufficiency of the present staff of Relieving Officers and that in view of the representations made to them of the existence of distress in the Union they feel it necessary to insist on the employment of additional Relieving Officers and that they have directed an Order to be prepared to this effect which however would not be issued until the beginning of next week in order to enable the Board of Guardians if they are willing to do so to make arrangements at their meeting to day for the temporary employment of two such officers

Proposed by Mr. Keary seconded by Mr. Riordan and unanimously carried

That this Board take no action in reference to the appointment of two additional Relieving Officers recommended by the Local Gov. Board in as much as we are of opinion that no necessity at present exists for such appointment

Letter from The Commissioner of Valuation dated 3rd March 1883 transmitting the Abstract of the Valuation of the several Electoral Divisions as reviewed and corrected for the present year

Letter from Doctor Fletcher Resident Physician dated 8th March 1883 stating as regards the two Lunatics intended to be sent from this Workhouse to the Asylum that in consequence of the overcrowded state of the Building the Inspectors have directed not to receive any case from a Workhouse but the really dangerous or Curable Lunatic and that moreover tranquil or incurable Lunatics should be returned to their respective Workhouse in accordance with the recent Act of Parliament

order Referred to Medical Officer

Letter from Mr. J. D. O'Serrall Solicitor dated 10th March 1883 stating as regards the defalcations of Collector Fission that it appears from the Clerk's statement to him (Mr. O'Serrall) that a sum of £ 574. 4. 5 remains outstanding in his District of the Two Rates of 80 and 81 and he would recommend to forthwith put the Bond in suit against the Collectors Sureties and to ascertain the amount of Rates actually unpaid by the Rate payers and that the Guardians would then be better able to understand their position adding that he is giving no opinion as to the Solvency of the Collectors Sureties.

The Board directed that the Collectors Bond be handed over to the Solicitor with instructions to put same in suit and postponed the consideration of the other suggestions in Mr. O'Serrall's letter.

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 - 18

Ditto 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 - - - - -

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.

Upon the application of Mr. Laurence Egan certain particulars as regards the costs and quantities of seeds issued in the several Electoral Divisions under the Seeds Supply Act and Amounts still outstanding &c were ordered to be prepared by the Clerk.

Order Call the attention of The Local Gov. Board to the substitute recommended on the 9th December last for patients in Hospital on Diets Nos. 5 & 6 on Fridays and request their sanction thereto.

The Clerk submitted the list of Candidates duly nominated as Guardians as well as the Guardians who remain in office for the year ending 25th March 1884.

The Board accepted an offer made by Miss Yates Carraroe for the supply (according to sample) of

6 doz pairs Hens Socks at 6/6 per doz	
6 " Boys " 5/6 "	
2 " Fur Caps 6/6 "	
2 " Boys " 5/6 "	

The Board direct that the attention of Collector Mr. Donagh be drawn to the large balances of the Rates of 1880 and 1881 still outstanding in his District and that representations have been made that a considerable amount of those arrears would have been collected had he used due exertions in their collection.

Ordered That Relieving Officer Peckham be directed to make inquiries into the case of an inmate named Kate Davock with a view of obtaining employment for her outside as servant and to her discharge from the House if a suitable place is procured for her.

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,
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 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 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).

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

Letter from Messrs Page and Moore dated 10th March 1883
requesting payment of the sum of £23.13.4 for certain
private sewers constructed in Woodford by directions
of Mr. Kemperter

The consideration of the foregoing
was postponed and the Clerk directed to call the Contractors
attention to certain overcharges in their account
furnished.

A Draft for the sum of £30.5.0 the
Parliamentary grant for salaries under The Public Health
Act for the past half year having been laid before the
Board was ordered to be lodged with the Treasurer to
the Credit of the Union

The Clerk reported

That he was served on yesterday
with a Civil Bill process for the Ballinasloe sessions at
the suit of Mr. Giles & Lambert v The Guardians
claiming a sum of £33.10.0 for loss and injury to
his farm when enclosing the Templemore Recluse Ground

Order The Solicitor to be instructed to defend this

W. Rogers

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the

17th day of March 1883

(Signed),

Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 188

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls 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	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														
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse														
Permanent Fever Hospital														
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			14	36	25	28	8	1	6	18	16	155	46	
Admitted during the Week,			9	3	1	2					2	17		
TOTAL			23	39	26	30	8	1	6	18	18	172		
Discharged during the Week,			11	7	2	1	1		1	2	3	28		
Died,					1	2						3		
Total Discharged and Dead,			11	7	3	3	1		1	2	3	31		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			12	32	23	27	7	1	5	16	15	141		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 188, 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.	65	102					Be. forward.						
No. II.	29	41					No. X.						
No. III.	49	201					No. XI.						
No. IV.	28	42					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	201	416					TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 17th day of March 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major Rogers

Other Guardians:—

Messrs Joseph Hardy, Thomas Blake
Michael J. Daly, John Toole, Thomas Finn, Laurence M. Egan
John Roche, Laurence Egan, Edward Kean, Martin Davock, Denis Deely
John Risidan, John Connolly, John Gloster, Michael Luby, and
Patrick Kennedy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4074 to No. 4113 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 being engaged during the week preparing Papers in connexion with the Election of Guardians he was unable to examine the Masters Books but would do so on Monday next"

"Collector Sessions Bond has been handed over to Mr. O'Serrall with instructions to forthwith put it in suit"

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, £198: 11: 4

Paid during the Week, £109: 15: 0

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was £650: 16: 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Division arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
T. Cosgrave	Soughred	108	3	9				668	7	3
	Kilconickney	12	4	8				121	17	3
	Sackalea	7	14	0				39	15	3
	Kilchreest	12	8	8				139	16	5
	Castleboy	14	14	2				97	13	10
	Glille	12	12	0				96	13	10
	Mountain	9	9	1				77	11	9
	Ferryland	"	"	"				76	10	1
		168	6	4				1317	15	8
								97	19	9
M. J. Keaven	Athenry							313	8	3
	Craughbrell							142	13	6
	Killogillean							149	12	5
	Trayode							64	11	1
	Greethill							43	1	6
	Chaugabbea							55	3	10
	Kilconerdon							102	0	9
	Kiltullagh							100	17	8
	Rapid							74	16	9
	Bloomken							76	10	9
	Belmanstown							27	12	9
	Cappalusk							126	16	9
	Killemor							98	17	2
	Liaquin							93	19	8
M. M. Donagh	Ballynagar							1503	2	10
	Drumkeary							134	1	8
	Soughaterick							198	18	4
	Marblehill							1836	2	10
	Woodford							124	15	8
								151	14	9
								46	2	11
								168	11	6
								114	8	5
								608	13	3
P. Hession	Santon							190	4	1
	Blacklagh							124	19	7
	Kiltuskiff							923	16	11
	Kilmeen							132	18	0
	Bullaun							248	15	10
	Kilreekle							132	17	8
	Lyngage							228	2	3
								96	8	0
								128	10	7
								138	17	5
								1106	4	0
								335	4	0
								263	2	5
								1704	10	5

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 20 s. 9 d. 7

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 24 : 13 : 10

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 2 : 9

Average Cost in Infirmary, - : 4 : 10

Average Cost in ~~Work House~~ Hall - : 2 : 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:—

908 lbs White Bread	141 Eggs
12 " Butter	14 lbs Cocoa
118 1/2 " Meat	17 oz Tobacco
2 1/2 cut Cat meal	8 lbs Tallow candles
2 1/2 " Whole flour	4 Lemons
507 qts Sweet milk	
12 lbs Tea	
50 " Sugar	
3 Ox heads	
5 Bottles Etine	
2 doz 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 10th day of March 1883 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-
	23	1	1

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.
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.

P. Glynn	12	0	0
J. Hanniffy	10	0	0
C. Salor	10	0	0
J. M. Ruill	1	2	10
Do	1	8	4
W. Shaughnessy	2	0	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

Joseph Barrett	7-6	17/0	1	4	6
Patrick Fahy				1	8
Thomas Fahy			3	3	0
Sarah Ridge			6	3	0
James M. Carthy			5	4	10
Margaret Scanlon			5	6	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:—

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

That Mary Barrett the Lunatic who escaped from Hospital on this day week is at present in Athenry and he understands she has shown no symptoms of insanity. He has received a letter from the Constabulary to that effect

Ordered 200 Cabbage plants. 1 doz large Coffins
clothes for Martin Flanagan and child
cost not to exceed £ 1 and for Pat Killeher cost
not to exceed 15s inmates who intend leaving the
house

Average degrees of Cream for Current week

Ridge 10 Kennedy 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ Forde 9 $\frac{1}{4}$

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

Scaled Order dated 16 March 1883 fixing the number of Relieving Officers for this Union at six and defining the Districts as follows

- 1 Athenry District to consist of the Electoral Divisions of Athenry, Raughwell, Graigalbeg, Gruthill, Colmanstown, Liatquin and Masgode
- 2 Clonkeen District - Cappaluck, Clonkeen, Grange, Killimer, Kilconian, Kiltulla and Rapard
- 3 Soughra No 1 - Bullaun, Kilmen, Silreede, Sackalea, & Soughra
- 4 Do No 2 - Hills, Castleboy, Kiltcheest, Kilconickney and Killogillean
- 5 Woodford No 1 - Bracklagh, Drumkeary, Seetrim, Mabbleshill, Kiltiskill and Mountain
- 6 Woodford No 2 - Ballinagar, Terrylaur, Soughatnick & Woodford

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

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Circular from The Local Gov. Board dated 14 March 1883 transmitting a form in which the Returning Officers Account of expenses is to be made out and furnished to them at the close of the Election

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Letter from same dated 16 March 1883 referring to the resolution passed at last Meeting and stating that for the reasons already given they feel it necessary to issue the Order requiring the Guardians to appoint two additional Relieving Officers but that if at the end of six weeks it can be satisfactorily shown that there are no longer required they will raise no objection to their services being discontinued

Ordered

Advertise for this day fortnight for two temporary Relieving Officers for a term of six weeks at the rate of £2 a month as Relieving Officers and 10/- per month as Sanitary Sub-Officers

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Circular from The Clerk Kanturk Union dated 10 March 1883 transmitting Copy Petition to Parliament praying for the prohibition of importing into the United Kingdom cattle from any country in which contagious diseases amongst such animals is known to exist

No order

Letter from the High Commissioner for Canada dated 12 March 1883 forwarding pamphlets affording information respecting the different parts of the Dominion the assisted passages demand for labour &c and observing that great care should be taken in the selection of Emigrants to be assisted under the Areas of Rent Act and that as far as possible they should be bona fide agricultural labourers, mechanics or domestic servants requesting to be informed of the progress made in this Union so that arrangements might be made for the reception and distribution of the Emigrants upon landing in Canada

Communications having been also received from certain Steam Packet Companies quoting terms for the Ocean passage of the Emigrants

Order

Inquire of the Beaver and The Allan Lines of Steamers if they would be willing to accept a sum of £ 3.10.0 for each adult sent from the Port of Galway to Boston, New York Philadelphia (irrespective of numbers to be sent out) and a like sum in proportion for children of the ages of 1 to 12 and for infants under one year

Letter from Mr. J. D. O'Sullivan Solicitor dated 17 March 1883 stating that he has had the writs issued against Collector Gession's Sureties two of whom have been already served and the third service will he expects be effected to day recommending the Board as referred to in his last letter to ascertain the exact amount collected by Gession and not lodged by him and if it turned out not to be very considerable the Sureties might make an effort to discharge the amount

Ordered

Ordered The Clerk to ascertain the exact amount of Rates collected by the defaulting Collector and not lodged by posting Notices calling upon the Rate payers of his District to produce their receipts. Two of the Sureties had an interview with the Board regarding the defalcations of the Collector &c but no definite arrangement was entered into with them.

Petition from a girl named Eliza Wards dated 17th March 1883 praying the Board would be pleased to give her cost of Outfit and to pay travelling expenses to port of embarkation as she has received an assisted passage to New York from Vere Foster.

Ordered Ask Local Gov. Board can the Guardians assist applicant under The Arrears of Rent Ireland Act

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

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

Ditto disallowed, - - - - - 1

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 6

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - 5

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 - - -

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 18th day of

(Signed), _____
Clerk of the Union.

Relieving Officer Rickham reported " That he was served with Notice of Eviction which he begs to enclose at the Suit of Mr. Mary Duffy W. Joseph W. Flaherty and Miss Mary A. Flynn Loughrea "

For the collection of the New Rates in No. 4 District applications were received from Messrs Martin Flanagan Martin Fokeley and Thomas Salor

Mr. L. M. Egan proposed and Mr. Hardy seconded The appointment of Mr. Flanagan

Mr. L. Egan proposed and Mr. Roche seconded The appointment of Mr. Salor

A Poll being taken there voted for Mr. Flanagan 9 For Mr. Salor 7 Mr. Flanagan was accordingly duly elected

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,
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, _____	-	-	£ _____

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[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 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).

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

The Clerk reported "That the amount of
The Parliamentary Grant of £20,500 for Salaries paid under
the Public Health Act has been lodged with the Treasurer
to the credit of the Union"

W. Rogers

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the
24th day of *March* 188*3*

(Signed), *Patrick Egan*
Clerk of the Union.

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Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24 day of March 1883

Numbers of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated 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 5 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 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														
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse														
Permanent Fever Hospital														
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			12	32	23	27	7	4	5	16	15	42	In separate Wards	
Admitted during the Week,			3	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	4	In Wards with other inmates,	6
TOTAL,			15	32	24	27	7	4	5	16	15	46	Total	6
Discharged during the Week,			4	"	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	6		
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1		
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	"	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	7		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			11	32	24	27	7	4	5	16	14	40		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the day of 1883, 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.	70	109					St. Forward,						
No. II.	30	48					No. X.						
No. III.	96	218					No. XI.						
No. IV.	31	103					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	217	478					TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 24 day of March 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Major Rogers

Other Guardians:—

Capt. A. Smyth Messrs. S. M. Egan

Denis Browne, Laurence Egan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4114 to No. 4117 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:—

A sum of £3.2.6 has been lodged to the credit of the Union with the Treasurer being one half the expenses incurred for the month of January last under The Contagious Disease Animals Act

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, - £ 87 : 12 : 6

Paid during the Week, - £ 103 : 19 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was £667 : 3 : 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 during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
Mr. J. Keenan	Atterbury	27	18	8				285	9	7
	Branghwell							142	13	6
	Killogilleen	6	0	8				144	11	9
	Mayode	2	1	0				65	10	1
	Quethill	2	9	6				70	12	1
	Gray Abbey	3	17	5				51	6	5
	Kilbushlee	2	7	10				99	12	11
	Killulla	2	17	10				97	19	10
	Knappard	2	10	2				72	6	7
	Kilmaheara	3	2	5				73	8	4
	Kilmaunstown	18	8	3				9	4	6
	Knappard	3	11	0				118	5	9
	Millinver	5	5	4				93	11	10
	Tragum							93	19	8
		84	10	0				1418	12	10
H. Bosgrove	Laughrea							134	1	8
	Kilcomiskey							198	18	4
	Sackville							175	12	10
	Kilbree							668	7	3
	Castleboy							121	7	3
	Bille							39	15	3
	Mountain							139	16	5
	Derryglaw							97	18	10
								96	13	10
								77	11	9
Mr. McDonagh	Mallinagar							76	10	1
	Drumkilly							1317	15	8
	Knappard							91	19	9
	Knappard							75	17	4
	Knappard							1485	12	9
	Knappard							127	15	8
	Knappard							151	14	9
	Knappard							46	2	11
	Knappard							168	11	6
	Knappard							114	8	5
P. Hession	Leitrim							608	13	3
	Knappard							190	4	1
	Knappard							124	19	7
	Knappard							923	16	11
	Knappard							132	18	0
	Knappard							248	15	10
	Knappard							132	17	8
	Knappard							228	2	3
	Knappard							96	3	0
	Knappard							128	10	7
								138	17	5
								1106	4	0
								335	4	0
								263	2	5
								1704	10	5

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

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

Total 5865. 12. 11

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 £ 21 s. 10 d. 3

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 23 : 14 : 3

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 2 : 9 $\frac{1}{2}$

Average Cost in Infirmary, - : 4 : 11

Average Cost in ~~Prison~~ Hospital, Hall - : 2 : 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:—

944 lbs. White Bread	14 lbs. Cocoa
11½ " Butter	21 oz. Tobacco
128½ " Meat	11½ lbs Soap
575 qts. Sweet milk	8 " Mould candles
11 lbs. Tea	
50 " Sugar	
3 Oz. heads	
4 lbs. Pepper	
8 Bottles Wine	
1 qt. Whiskey	
1 doz Porter	
165 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 17th day of March 1883 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, -			
In kind, -			
Total, -	£	28	0 6

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By 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.
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.				TOTAL,			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
1. Clothing Account.			
J. Rickham	30	0	0
P. Glynn	15	0	0
John M. Hill	1	13	9
Joseph Barrett	1	0	0
L. M. Egan		16	0
David O'Brien	7	10	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

R. Murray & Co	11	17	6
Sam Smyth	13	9	2
Mary Suffy	48	19	0
P. Glynn	7	10	0
J. Hanniffy	7	10	0
W. Salor	7	10	0
J. Rickham	7	10	0
R. Murray	3	15	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. 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

That he begs to submit a letter received from Mr. Lambert Aggard relative to the clothes of Michael Gilligan who died in hospital.

Order The clothes to be given to Mr. Lambert

The Doctor has made the following entry on his extra book. I recommend that a Male Nurse (Wardman) be sent to the Male Infirmary in place of the Helper who left on yesterday and that he (the Master) cannot comply with this as he has no able bodied man except the Driver of the Van for the purpose and that he sent a woman to replace the Helper who left.

Approved

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

Ordered

The usual meat dinner for the Inmates on Easter Sunday in proportion to numbers in House and Breakfast of Bread and Tea for Healthy Classes.

A labouring man to sow Vegetable seeds and do some lime washing.

2 St. of Cement 1/2 St. White Lead 1/2 St. Putty
2 lbs Red Lead 400 Cabbage plants 1 zinc Bucket
2 Sweeping brushes and 1 Bass Brush

A pair of Shoes for Mary Fealy and a suit of clothes for her Infant child cost not to exceed 12/6 an inmate who intends leaving

Average degrees of Cream for current week

Ridge 10 ²/₇ Kennedy 10 ²/₇ Forde 9 ⁴/₇

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):—

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Circulars from The Local Gov. Board dated respectively 19th and 21st March 1883 intimating that an allowance of 1/3 instead of 1/6 a day has been agreed upon to the Constabulary for their services at the Election of Guardians and drawing attention to Act 3 of the Regulations as regards the election of Chairman, Vice Chairman and Deputy Vice Chairman

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Letter from same dated 22nd March 1883 transmitting forms of queries to be answered and signed by the person appointed Rate Collector for No. 4 District and also forms for the two persons to be appointed at next Meeting temporary Relieving Officers and requesting the Guardians to require that Relieving Officer Hanniffy take up his residence at Killimor

Order The Board call on this Officer to take up his residence at Killimor and to report to the Board that he has done so by this day week

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Letter from same dated 22nd March 1883 referring to the case of Eliza Ward who intends to Emigrate and inquiring whether this girl lives in a Division scheduled under The Areas of Rent Ireland Act

Order Inform The Local Gov. Board that Eliza Ward is chargeable to Soughrea Electoral Division which is Scheduled

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Circular from same dated 22nd March 1883 transmitting new forms of Bonds for Clerks of Unions Relieving Officers and any other Officer except the above and Rate Collectors recommending that these Forms be used in future also drawing attention to the Warrants to Confess Judgment attached thereto and that unless in the case of Accounting Officers it will not be found necessary to incur the expense of obtaining Warrants of Attorney but where that course is adopted the Warrant should be filed in the Court of Queen's Bench within three weeks after its date The Board directed that these Forms be used in future

Communications having been received from The Allen, the Beaver and the Anchor Lines of Steamers giving particulars as to the Ocean Fare for Emigrants sent from this Union under The Areas of Rent Ireland Act

The Board fully considered this matter and Ordered to Communicate with the Beaver Line and ascertain if the terms mentioned in their letter of the 4th March 1883 include the Railway fare and other charges of Emigrants from the Port of embarkation to their destination

And also write to the Allan line that the Board consider their Rates too high and asking them to make another offer and whether they would land Emigrants at Boston New York

New York or Philadelphia and to state whether the Rate they are disposed to offer will include the Railway fare of the Passengers after landing to their different destinations

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 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 -

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
day of

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(Signed),

Clerk of the Union.

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Upon the application of the Clerk the Board allowed him (subject to the approval of the Local Gov. Board) the sum of £20.0.0 for his services under the Parliamentary Voters Act for the past year

Advertisements were ordered to be issued for the yearly supply of Medicines to the Workhouse and Dispensaries

Tenders to be received on the 7th April prox.

A letter was read from Collector Heaven inquiring if he could engage Mr. O'Farrell Sol. to represent the Guardians in the appeal case of the Collector against John Carls which is to be heard at Exeter on the 28th Inst. and also inquiring who is to pay his (Collector's) expenses

Order Collector to use his own discretion

Ordered Post Notices through the Union intimating to the destitute poor the arrangements made at the Meeting of the 3rd March Inst. for the weekly attendance of the several Relieving Officers at the respective Stations for the purpose of dispensing the relief (which is to be given in money) ordered them by the Board

Relieving Officer Glynn reported That he received an Eviction Notice at the suit of J. P. Goodbody v. John Coyne of Park and that he gave him (Coyne) the usual notice thereof

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,
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 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 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 _____ dated _____
stating that _____

As regards the Defaulters in the Loughrea Dispensary District, Doctor O'Donoghue writes as follows
All the defaulters returned have been successfully vaccinated

[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:—

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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 The Secretary Board of Works dated 22 March 1883 stating that The Treasury having approved the supplemental loan of £95.0.0 for the Sewage Works of Woodford their Solicitor has been directed to take the necessary steps to complete the transaction
The loan is to be issued in one instalment repayable in twenty years

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

Letter from Mr. W^m Keill dated 24th March 1883
stating that having been employed by the Contractors
Messrs Fox and Hession to enclose the Grave Yard at
Lranga that he has three fourths of the work already
done he requests the Guardians will inform him as
to what steps they are about to take in the matter

Order Write to the Contractors calling on them to
complete their Contract

An application was received from
Mr. John Healy requesting payment on account of
his Contract for enclosing the Burial Ground at
Kilmeen

Order Referred to the Guardian of the Division

W. Rogers

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the
31 day of March 1883

(Signed),

Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea

UNION.

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Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £76264.10.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of March 1883

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building	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	Children above 2 and under 3 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
										Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse												
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,												
TOTAL,												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			11	32	22	27	7	4	5	16	14	138
Admitted during the Week,			4	1	"	1				6		
TOTAL,			15	33	22	28	7	4	5	16	14	144
Discharged during the Week,			7	3	1	1	1	"	"	1	2	16
Died,			"	"	1	2	"	"	"	"	"	3
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	3	2	3	1	"	"	1	2	19
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			8	30	20	25	6	4	5	15	12	125
										No. at corresponding period last year		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of March 1883, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Viet. 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 Viet. 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.	80	150					Dist. forward,						
No. II.	30	48					No. X.						
No. III.	88	226					No. XI.						
No. IV.	32	104					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	230	528					TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 31st day of March 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Major Rogers

Other Guardians:—

*Capt. A. Smyth, Messrs Jps. Hardy
L. M. Egan, Patrick Ryan, Francis Conry, John Gloster
Patrick Kennedy, Martin Davock and Michael Fahy*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 418 to No. 423 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 is required this day at the hearing of the Civil Bill Process in Ballinasloe at the suit of G. C. Lambert v. The Guardians

That he has not as yet issued the Notices referred to in Minutes of the 3rd Ultmo regarding the attendance of the Relieving Officers as the appointment of the two temporary Relieving Officers will render a new arrangement necessary

That he has paid policy of Insurance on the Workhouse premises to The Patriotic Insurance Company and applied to them for the new policy

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, — £169: 10: 4

Paid during the Week, — £161: 10: 5

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was £659: 3: 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collected Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
J. Cosgrave	Loughrea	41	15	10				626	11	5
	Kilconickney	7	4	2				114	3	1
	Lackaba	1	11	1				38	4	2
	Kilchrust	9	10	6				130	5	11
	Castleboy	"	"	"				97	13	10
	Kille	8	10	1				88	3	9
	Mountain	6	15	2				70	16	7
	Berryglan	"	"	"				76	10	1
		15	6	10				1242	8	10
								91	19	9
H. J. Keaven	Athensry							75	17	4
	Craughwell							1410	5	11
	Killegillan							285	9	7
	Mayode							142	13	6
	Greathill							144	11	9
	Grang Abbey							65	10	1
	Kilconicran							70	12	1
	Killulla							57	6	5
	Rapad							99	12	11
	Bloomkeen							97	19	10
	Bolmansdown							72	6	7
	Boppalusk							73	8	4
	Killmor	9	6	3				9	4	6
	Liaquin	21	7	10				118	5	9
		30	14	1				84	5	7
H. M. Bonagh	Ballinagar	14	19	3	7	18	8	72	11	10
	Grumkleary	5	8	5				134	1	8
	Loughatorick	9	16	0	1	7	0	198	18	4
	Drakehill	2	17	11				1720	18	10
	Woodford	8	10	9	10	15	8	112	16	5
		41	12	4	21	17	1	146	6	4
								36	6	11
								165	13	7
								105	17	8
								567	0	10
								168	7	0
								124	19	7
								860	7	5
								132	15	
								248	15	10
Sethon	Bracklagh							132	17	8
	Kittskill							228	2	3
	Kilmeen							96	3	
	Bullaun							128	10	7
	Kiltrule							138	17	5
	Lyngan							1106	4	0
								335	4	
Total		147	13	3	21	17	1	1704	10	5

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

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

5696-2-7th Mth

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 £ 19 s. 16 d. //

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 23 : 11 : 11

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 2 : 9

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - : 5 : 0

Average Cost in ~~Workhouse~~ Hall - - - : 2 : 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:—

888 lbs White Bread
9 1/2 .. Butter
222 .. Meat
2 1/2 cut oat meal
12 lbs Tea
46 .. Sugar
2 1/2 cut whole flour
14 lbs Rice
3 Ox heads
4 Bottles Vine
6 .. Potatoes
158 Eggs

14 lbs Cocoa
19 oz Tobacco
8 lbs Moulds

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 day of 188
whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

£ s. d.

In Money, - - -
In kind, - - - 27 . 19 . 8
Total, - - - £ 27 . 19 . 8

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. 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:—

The inmates partook of a plentiful supply of Bread and Tea for Breakfast and Beef for Dinner on Easter Sunday for which they felt thankful

That he begs to submit Caps and Socks sent in by Miss Ada Yates Carraro

The Board approved thereof

Ordered 15 St. Cato 10 coat straw
Clothes for Bridget McEauley cost not to exceed 10s and boots for Mary Kelly cost not to exceed 7s Inmates who intend leaving

Average degrees of Cream for current week

Ridge 10 $\frac{3}{4}$ Kennedy 10 $\frac{4}{7}$ Ford 9 $\frac{4}{7}$

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):—

10651/83

Letter from The Local Gov. Board dated 29th March 1883 enclosing communication addressed to them by Mr. Francis Murphy complaining that he had been misled by the Clerk in regard to the Dealcations of Collector Hession requesting that Law-proceedings be stayed until an inquiry is held into the statements put forward by him and in reference thereto The Local Gov. Board request that they be furnished with any observations the Guardians wish to make thereon

We do not consider that there are any grounds for calling for an inquiry we have placed the matter in the hands of our Solicitor and shall be guided by his advice

Letter from Same dated 30th March 1883 stating as regards the girl Eliza Warde who it appears is resident in a Division Scheduled under The Unrears of Rent Ireland Act that her name may be placed on the list of applicants and her case would be considered on the 9th Prox by the Member of the Emigration Committee

Ordered This girls name is to be placed on the list

Letter from Same dated 30th March 1883 referring to the Notices ordered to be posted showing the arrangements made for the attendance of the Relieving Officers and requesting that an entry be made on the Minutes to show what Districts have been assigned to each Relieving Officer and the days and hours fixed for attendance and also inquiring whether the Relieving Officers keep their Diaries punctually

Ordered The Clerk to attend to this. The Relieving Officers were called before the Board and informed that in future their Diaries would be strictly examined at each Meeting and the entries therein they would be held accountable

10651/83
11026/83

Letter from Same dated 30th March 1883 approving the proposed payment of the sum of £ 30 to the Clerk for his services under The Parliamentary Act for the past year and sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Martin Flanagan as Rate Collector for No. 4 District

Letter from Mr. C. J. Redington dated 27th March 1883 stating that Mr. Wall a Member of the Emigration Committee would attend at Athenry on the 7th and at Loughrea on the 9th Prox for the purpose of inspecting the Emigrants selected under the Unrears of Rent Ireland Act and that all those parties over the age of Nine years should be in attendance at their respective stations and directing that the Clerk also attend with the Lists and to notify to the Emigrants the day of Mr. Wall's visit

Ordered The Clerk to attend to this

The question of the Ocean passage for those parties was again considered and communications having been received from the Agents of the Allen and Beaver lines of Steamers quoting their terms

The Board agreed to accept the offer of the Beaver line at £ 3. 10. 0 for the Ocean passage of each adult sent from the Port of Galway to New York, Boston or Philadelphia

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,
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 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 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).

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the

7 day of April

1883

(Signed),

Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1881—25237

Present Net Annual Value, £ 76264.10.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of March 1883

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	No. of 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 5 and under 9 years of age	Children under 5 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	160	125												
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse														
Permanent Fever Hospital	58													
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	818	125												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			8	29	20	25	6	4	5	15	12	124	39	
Admitted during the Week,			2	2	2	1	2		1			10		
TOTAL			10	31	22	26	8	4	6	15	12	134		
Discharged during the Week, Died,			3	2	1		2		1			9		
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	2	1		2		1			9		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			7	29	21	26	6	4	5	15	12	125		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of March 1883, 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.	79	140			79	140	Dist. forward,						
No. II.	30	50			30	50	No. X.						
No. III.	88	241			88	241	No. XI.						
No. IV.	32	104			32	104	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	229	535			229	535	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 7th day of April 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major Rogers

Other Guardians:—
Capt. A. Smyth, Messrs Laurence Egan
S. M. Egan, Patrick Cawley, Michael Lally, Thos. Jennings
Michael Glennane, John Roche, Michael Lally
John Kinsidan, Edw. Sean, P. Kennedy & M. Savock

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4124 to No. 4122 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 in accordance with Mr. Redington's instructions he proceeded to day to Athenry to meet Mr. Wall and the parties about emigrating from that locality

The case of Lambert v. The Guardians was heard at Ballinasloe Quarter Sessions on the 31st Ultmo and a Decree granted for £ 25

Messrs J. Donohoe, R. Mitchell and the Contractor Michael Curran were examined as witnesses for the Guardians. Mr. O'Sullivan intimated his intention to appeal against the decision of the Recorder

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

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

Paid during the Week,

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 659 : 3 : 3

The Week 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 Uncollected
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
H. Cosgrove	Loughrea			62 6 11
	Kilfinny			11 4 3
	Loughrea			38 4 2
	Kilfinny			130 5 11
	Castletown			97 13 10
	Killybeg			38 3 9
	Mountain			70 16 7
	Currylaw			76 10 1
				1242 8 10
				91 19 9
M. J. Keaven	Athlone			1410 5 11
	Bray			255 9 7
	Kilboy			142 13 6
	Kilboy			144 11 9
	Grange			65 10 1
	Spill Hill			70 12 1
	Craig Abbey			51 6 5
	Kilconra			99 12 11
	Kiltrilla			97 19 10
	Rapora			72 6 7
	Blauken			73 8 4
	Salinasstown			9 4 6
	Bappalusk			118 5 9
	Millinon			54 5 7
	Clafin			72 11 10
Mch. McDougal	Ballinagar			134 18 10
	Grange			134 18 10
	Grange			198 18 4
	Grange			1720 18 10
	Grange			112 16 5
	Grange			146 6 4
	Grange			36 6 11
	Grange			165 13 7
	Grange			105 17 8
	Grange			567 0 10
M. Hanagan	Grange			168 7 0
	Grange			124 19 7
	Grange			860 7 5
	Grange			132 18 5
	Grange			248 15 10
	Grange			132 17 8
	Grange			228 2 3
	Grange			96 3 5
	Grange			128 10 7
	Grange			133 17 5
				1106 4 0
				335 4 5
				263 2 5
				1704 10 5
				82 81 80

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

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

Total £ 5696.2.7

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 £ 23 s. 12d. 9

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 25: 13: 2

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 3: 8½

Average Cost in Infirmary, - : 5: 1

Average Cost in ~~xxxx~~ Hospital Hall - : 2: 3

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

848 lbs White Bread	16 oz Tobacco
8½ " Butter	4 lbs Starch
107½ " Meat	6 " Mould candles
455 qts Sweet milk	
10 lbs Tea	
4½ " Sugar	
3 lb heads	
4 lbs Bread Soda	
1 qt. Whiskey	
1½ doz Porter	
116 Eggs	
14 lbs Cocoa	

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 31. day of March 1883 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - -	15	4	4
In kind, - - -	12	5	8
Total, - - -	£27	10	0

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By 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:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Bank of Ireland	1	3	6
D. H. O'Reilly Insurance	3	0	0
Michael Tully Sweep	1	10	0
J. Barrett Painter	1	14	0
J. Shiel Cats		15	10
M. Glynn Lime Washing	1	2	6

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
J. Bonniffe clothes	1	10	0
J. McNeill Water Works	2	0	0
Thos. Bane Porter	1	0	0
M. Cawley Rent	1	0	0
M. Saffery Rent	1	0	0
Thos. Healy Grave yard	11	0	0
Jas. Rescham Out Door Relief	30	0	0
Jas. Forde Milk	8	6	0
Pat. Glynn Out Door Relief	15	0	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. 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:—

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Masters Report

"Mr. Fahy has complained to him that Assistant Nurse Nora Langley tore two sheets in the Hospital."

This woman was called before the Board and reprimanded.

"The Matron holds an American letter in which is enclosed an order for £1 for an inmate named Ellen Kearns"

Order

The Matron to hold the money.

An inmate named Martin Connors was sent to Kilreece on Sunday last to post Notices and returned after 9 O'clock pm very much under the influence of drink. He gave no punishment in the case awaiting the Meeting of the Board

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

Order

The Master to caution this man.

He gave a pass to Ellen Stanton for one hour on Wednesday last to go to town she returned within the time named"

Order

Very satisfactory

'As the weather is now so fine the consumption of coal may with safety be reduced'

(Approved of)

Ordered

1/2 St. White lead 1/2 St. Blue, 1/2 St. Putty
1/2 " Whiting 1 qt. Oil 7/16 worth of Flower Seeds
10 cwt. Straw

Average degrees of Cream for current week

Ridge 9 5/7 Kennedy 9 3/7 Forde 9 3/7

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):—

90th/83 Circular from The Local Gov. Board dated 3 April 83 requiring a return of the Rates agreed to or signed for the past quarter

1223d/83 Letter from same dated 6 April 1883 sanctioning the appointment of Mr. John Lynam as Temporary Relieving Officer

The Board directed to have his Bond perfected and signed in presence of Solicitor as recommended in a recent circular of The Local Gov. Board

Letter from Mr. C. J. Redington dated 14 April 1883 setting forth the conditions under which Contracts for the conveyance of Emigrants must be made and that before sanctioning the arrangements with the Beaver Line he requires information as to the Port from which Emigrants will sail and where landed and the period for which the Contract will hold good also giving particulars as to cost of outfits and the allowance each Emigrant must have on landing

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The Clerk was directed to reply to the foregoing

Letter from The Lord Mayor of Dublin dated 30 March 1883 requesting that the Chairman would be pleased to allow that his name be added to those who have already signified their willingness to cooperate in the movement for a National Tribute to Mr. Carnell M.P.

No order

Letter from Collector Kavan dated 7 April 1883 stating that Thomas Carls who was decreed for Sess with £2 costs wants time until the 19 Inst also inquiring whether he could in some cases take Poor Rates without the Sess Rates

Order

To use your own discretion

The Board allowed a man named Mitchell from the Aille Division a sum of £2.10.0 out of the Rates to assist his Emigration expenses to America and requested the sanction of the Local Gov. Board to this expenditure.

The following Notice of Motion was handed in
April 7th 83 I hereby give notice that I will on this day fortnight move that the Out Poor Relief given to Martin Walsh and family be charged to the Union at large and not to Loughrea they not having a residence in the Division to entitle them to be charged thereto.

Signed, P. J. Kennedy
Upon the application of Collector Flanagan Mr. Michael Gely of Newtown Gely was approved as his Surety in place of Mr. John Donohoe of Carrmack

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The Medical Officers Report

John Kennedy a poor patient recovering from an illness of over two months complains on the 30th March of not getting his Porter and on the 4th April he complains that the Workhouse Master wantonly attacked him in the Infirmary on the day before. If his statement be true it was a great crime and in the name of humanity he would ask the Board to call this man before them hear his story and at once and for ever put a stop to such unseemly scenes. Hospitals should be Sanctuaries for the inmates.

The Board having inquired into the above find that the Porter was not ordered on the day named and as regards the charge made against the Master we consider that it is frivolous and not borne out by Kennedy's statement as made to the Guardians.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 8

Ditto disallowed, -

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 -

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 Board accepted the Tender of Messrs Hunt & Co for the years supply of Medicines to the Workhouse and Dispensaries and of Messrs McKill & Thompson for the years supply of Surgical Instruments

Certified Return Form K. of the Guardians elected as well as those who remain in office for the year ending 25th March 1884 having been submitted.

The Board proceeded to elect the Committees as follows

Finance Committee

Any two Members of the Board present at the days proceedings

Visiting Committee

Capt. A. Smyth
Messrs P. Kennedy, L. M. Egan, P. Ryan
K. Egan, J. Roche, L. Egan, M. Sarscock
J. Jennings, M. Glennane and M. Sahy

In pursuance of the provisions of Act 3 of The General order of the 18th December 1882 the election of the honorary officers will take place at the Meeting of the 14th Inst.

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,
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,	-	-	£

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[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 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 The Hon. Secretary Woodford Dispensary Committee dated 3 April 1883

Stating that the Medical Officer called attention of the Committee to the unsatisfactory state of the Cloghrooley Dispensary House and begs to suggest that the necessary repairs should be done thereto in order to insure the preservation of the Medicines stored therein.

Order The Clerk to call on the Landlord to make the necessary repairs

Extract from Minutes of the Athenry Dispensary Committee at their last Meeting

Our Medical Officer being obliged to proceed to Sligo on Crown Summons we appoint Doctor Suggan of Turloughmore to take charge of the District until the return of Doctor Leonard and we agree to pay him the sum of £2.2.0 per week To obtain the sanction of The Local Gov. Board

Order

[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:—

The Board directed payment of the sum of £1.3.6 the cost of the Mortgage of the Supplemental Loan for Woodford and of £11. No Thos. Healy on account of his Contract for enclosing the Kilmeen Burial Ground

Joseph Hardy

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the

14 day of April 1883

(Signed),

Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

Present Net Annual Value, £76264:10:0

e 7th day of April 1883

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 7 day of April 1883, 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	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
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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Saturday*
the *14* day of *April* 188*3*

PRESENT: In the Chair, Joseph Hardy Esq.
James Esq. Messrs. Baxter & Smith

Other Guardians:— *Major Goddell & Rogers Capts T & A Smyth*
Messrs John & Burke, Thos. Deroan P & Golphin, Thos. Blake.

Messrs John & Burke, Thos. Deroun, P. H. Dolphin, Thos. Bellake
J. H. Lewis, William J. McLean, W. B. Williams, Denis Deely, J. J. Egan

J. M. A. Lewis, Cogan, L. M. Egan, C. B. Willies, Denis Deely, J. J. Egan
 Chad Kerrall, Henry, W. K. Kipps, J. Jennings, M. J. Kelly, W. Galwey
 Thos. Kerr, M. J. Kelly, J. Connolly, L. Egan, M. Glennon, P. Kennedy
 J. Roche, J. Riordan, J. Donohue, M. Davock, P. Ryan, A. Bessie
 P. Mitchell, J. Galbraith, R. P. P. Reese, W. P. Samuels, P. Blake
 Wm. J. Kelly, J. P. Dolphin, J. J. Joyce, Thos. Keary, J. Gloster, S. Roland
 J. Crowe, P. P. Woderick

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4134 to No. 4142 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 Bonds and other Sureties in his custody are herewith submitted"

"One of the Sureties named in the Bond of Miss Young Matron is deceased"

The Board directed to call on the Matron to submit the name of a Surety in place of the late W. Shadwell

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

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

Paid during the Week, £ 65 : 1 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £609 : 5 : 8

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 Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
J. Cosgrave	Loughrea	26	11	6				599	19	11
	Kilcomiskey	15	1	6				99	1	7
	Lacpaula							38	4	2
	Kilchreest	11	6	0				118	19	11
	Castleboy	2	9	2				95	4	8
	Gille	9	8	7				78	15	2
	Mountain							70	16	7
	Berrylane							76	10	1
		64	16	9				1177	12	1
								91	19	9
M. J. Keaven	Athenry	21	13	5				263	16	2
	Braughwell	3	15	1				138	18	5
	Killogilteen	9	8	9				135	3	0
	Mayode							65	10	1
	Wethill	5	5	6				65	6	4
	Grangabber	14	1					50	12	4
	Kilconeran	3	2					99	9	7
	Kittullagh	11	3					97	8	7
	Rapard	4	8					72	1	11
	Bloonkeen	2	8	5				70	19	11
	Colmanstown							9	4	6
	Cappalusk	19	4					117	6	5
	Killimor	3	2	6				81	3	1
	Traginn	1	16	6				70	15	4
M. M. Donagh	Ballingar							1337	16	1
	Drumkeary							134	1	8
	Loughatnilt							198	18	4
	Indrillehill							1670	16	1
	Woodford							112	16	5
								146	6	4
								36	6	11
								165	13	4
								105	14	8
								567	8	10
M. Flanagan	Lutrim							168	7	0
	Dracklagh							124	19	7
	Kiltishill							860	7	5
	Kilmeen							132	18	0
	Bullaun							248	15	10
	Kilreeble							132	14	8
	Grange							228	2	3
								96	3	0
								128	10	4
								138	14	5
Total		114	19	5				106	4	0
								335	4	0
								263	2	5
								1704	10	5

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

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

Total — 5581-3-1

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 15 s. 16 d. 4

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 21: 6: 1

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 3: 0

Average Cost in Infirmary, - : 4: 11

Average Cost in ~~Female Hospital~~ Hall - : 2: 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:—

848 lbs White Bread

8 " Butter

92s " Meat

2½ cut oat meal

120 qts sweet milk

10 lbs Tea

46 " Sugar

3 On heads

2½ cut Indian meal

4 Bottles Wine

1 qt. Whiskey

103 Eggs

28 lbs Cocoa

14 oz Tobacco

112s lbs Soap

6 " Moulds

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 April 1883 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - -	15	9	4
In kind, - - - -	12	0	10
Total, - - - -	£ 27	10	2

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. 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.					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.

Doctor Lynch	Supernumerary	19	3	4
Doctor O'Donoghue	Salary	25	0	0
Patrick Egan	"	30	"	"
Rev. John Cunningham	"	12	10	"
Rev. Edward Rush	"	2	10	"
John Kearney	"	12	10	"

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

Margaret A. Young	Establishment Account	6	5	"
Susan Fahy	"	5	0	"
Maria Staunton	"	6	5	"
William Fahy	do clothes	5	15	"
James Staunton	Prison	2	10	"
John Revin	do	5	0	"
John Revin	Salary	2	10	"
Patrick Egan	Parliamentary Voters	30	0	"
Doctor O'Donoghue	Salary	28	15	"
Doctor Burke	"	28	15	"
Catherine Lyons	"	2	2	"
Catherine Cullen	Rent	2	5	"
Doctor Leonard	Salary	28	15	"
do	Rent	5	0	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
Doctor Blackton	Salary	28	15	
William Gordon	Ret	3	5	
Mary Fahy	do	3	5	
Anthony Foster	do	2	0	
	pld	297	15	6
John McNeill	Wk. Wks	1	9	6
J. Barrett	Painting		12	"
M. Glynn	Linen		13	6
Pat Mitchell	Stair	2	9	"
Jas. Rickham	o D Relief	20	0	"
Jas. Hanniffy	"	10	0	"
Edw. Salor	"	10	0	"

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:—

Ordered

1 Stone Whiting
 1/2 " Putty
 1 lb. glue
 1 oz. Rinsop seed
 1 Trowel
 1 cut Bran for horse
 6 Towels for Matrons use

A pass for a few hours each to Ellen Kearns
 Ellen Stanton and Anne Lyons

Average degrees of Cream for Current week
 Ridge 10²/₇ Kennedy 10²/₇ Forde 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):—

The Clerk in his Capacity of Returning Officers having taken the Chair the Board proceeded to elect their Honorary Officers. Mr. J. Roche proposed and Mr. Jennings seconded That Mr. L. Egan be elected Chairman of this Board of Guardians for the ensuing year. Amendment moved by Mr. R. P. Perse seconded by Mr. O. Dolphin

That the Right Hon. Lord Dunsandel be elected chairman. Upon a Division of the Board the amendment was carried by 24 to 16 and Lord Dunsandel was declared duly elected accordingly.

Mr. O. Dolphin proposed and Mr. Hardy seconded That

Col. Daly be appointed Vice Chairman

Amendment moved by Mr. Roche seconded by Mr. Kennedy

That Mr. M. Glennon be elected Vice Chairman. A poll being taken the amendment was lost by 16 to 24 and Col. Daly was declared elected

Mr. Francis J. Joyce proposed and Mr. Denis Daly seconded The appointment of Mr. Joseph Hardy as Deputy Vice Chairman. Amendment moved by Mr. Glennon seconded by Mr. Tashy. That Mr. P. P. Roderick be elected Deputy Vice Chairman.

Upon a division of the Board the amendment was lost by 20 to 26 and Mr. Hardy was declared elected Deputy Vice Chairman.

The following Guardians were proposed but subsequently withdrawn at their own request namely Major Rogers as Vice Chairman

Mr. M. Sawick
Mr. R. Rochford

Deputy Vice Chairman

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Proposed by Mr. R. P. Perse seconded by Mr. O. Ferrall. That a vote of thanks be passed to Major Rogers for the great interest heretofore taken by him in the affairs of the Union and our unanimous expression of regret at his declining to continue to act as Deputy Vice Chairman of this Board.

Carried unanimously

Circular from the Local Gov. Board dated 7th April 1883 requiring a return of the expenditure incurred for Distress Relief in each Electoral Division for the year ended 29th September last and Poundage Rate of same

12270/83

Letter from same dated 7th April 1883 transmitting copy communication received from Mr. James Gession regarding the defalcation of the late Collector Gession and requesting that an Execution might not issue against him as one of his Sureties together with a copy of their reply in which they decline to interfere in the matter it being now in the hands of the Boards Solicitor

The Board having taken the foregoing into consideration directed the Clerk to prepare a list of the

the Rate payers who appear to owe Rates, Poor Rates & Seed Rates) in each Division of the District and furnish a list to the Guardian representing such Division with a view to ascertaining the actual amount of this Collectors defalcation

1223/83

Letter from same dated 7th April 1883 acknowledging the receipt of the Copy Notice showing the places and days fixed on for the attendance of the several Relieving Officers within the respective Districts

The Board directed that a supply of these Notices be printed and posted in conspicuous places within the Union

13116/83

Letter from same dated 9th April 1883 giving the names of the Emigrant Agents approved by the Lord Lieutenant to act under the Acts of Port Ireland Act at the Ports of Queenstown, Londonderry and Galway and the names of the Firms in New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Quebec to whom the allowances for the Emigrants may be forwarded

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 8

Ditto disallowed, - - - - -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 3

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - 5

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - 4

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 - - -

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.

13129/83

Letter from same dated 10th April 1883 transmitting a form of particulars to be filled up respecting the man Mitchell whom the Board propose to assist to emigrate

The form referred to was filled up. The name of a girl named Conry who has been this day allowed a sum of £2.10.0 by the Board to aid her emigration expenses being included

12131/83

Letter from same dated 13th April 1883 enclosing a form in which the particulars respecting the Insurance of the Workhouse Buildings should be entered and returned to their office. The Clerk was directed to comply with the foregoing on receipt of the New Policy of Insurance

Letter from Mr. B. P. Redington dated 11th April 1883 stating that before the arrangements with the Beaver Line for conveyance of Emigrants can be sanctioned a written engagement must be entered into with the Company to embark the Emigrants at Galway and land them at one of the U. S. Ports stating also the length of time the Contract would hold good

Mr. O'Brien the Agent to the Beaver Line having attended before the Board with reference to the foregoing the Clerk was directed to communicate with the Manager Mr. Roberts regarding the Contract to be entered into

Circular from the Clerk Granard Union dated 9th April 83 transmitting copy resolution of that Board regarding the cancelling by Government of a portion of the Seed Loan and requesting the Co-operation of this Board in the Movement

Order

Approved and request the Chairmans attendance at the deputation

For the office of Temporary Relieving officer Woodford Two Candidates Messrs Robert Turner and John Daly were proposed and seconded. The former being subsequently withdrawn Mr. Daly was declared unanimously elected

The Board agreed to allow a girl named Ferrall a sum of £2.10.0 out of the Rates to aid her Emigration Expenses provided she produces her passage Certificate to the Clerk and the name of a boy named Connolly from Soughred whose passage has been paid to be placed on the list for assistance under the Directors of Kent Island Act

Upon the application of the Medical Officer shoes were ordered for an inmate named Margaret Cannon and the Hospital to be linewashed. The mop and handle ordered for Hospital are to be provided by Master

Upon the ruling of the Application and Report Books this day it appearing that Relieving Officer Kechham had not the several cases in which he had given Out Door Relief duly entered upon his Books, the Board direct that at next Meeting each of the cases in which such relief had been issued be duly entered up and submitted to the Chairman or Guardian ruling his Books

The Warrants for Collection in Collector Flanagan's District were laid before the Board and signed

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, _____
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 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 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:—

Ballaun Dispensary District, Mr. *J. Tully* of *Rafan*
Rev. Michael Burke *Ballydangan*
Thomas Egan *Trinacra*
Patrick Carr *Canave*
Peter J. Griffin *Longtonaun*
Samuel L. Hardy *Cahahum*
Robert Drury *Murray*
Joseph Barrett *do*
Thomas M. Donoghue *do*
John O'Keefe *Craughwell*
Thomas Gallagher *Bayfield*
Raymond Kelly *Rockmore*
William J. Callaghan *Ballinacall*
Rev. A. Griffin *Lesham*
E. Caranagh *Brookville*
Samuel J. Burke *Cagle Hill*
Wardens Rev. G. E. Maxwell for *Laughrea Ballaun and Murray*
Rev. G. E. Mills *Murray & Ballaun*
Rev. W. R. Morrison *Laughrea*
Rev. M. Gough *do*
Rev. A. Griffin *(Ballaun)*
Rev. Thomas Head *do*
J. M. Donohue *do*

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:—

Rev. J. R. Blake *Murray*
 Order dated _____ (state subject). *do*
Rev. Michael Luman *do*
Michael Monaghan *do*
Michael Burke *do*
Rev. P. J. Boen *Woodsford*
Patrick Carr *do*
John M. Drury *do*
James Morgan *do*
Patrick Caranagh *do*