

who had been struck off the Out-door Relief List and recommending that the relief be not only continued but bed and bed clothing also provided for them (Solicitor)

Officer Hanniff was called before the Board and directed to forthwith visit those parties and exercise his provisional powers if found necessary

Letter from the Treasurer dated 12th January, 1884 stating that his Directors will be happy to advance the Loan of £500 for the proposed new Building upon the Guardians' obtaining the necessary permission from the Local Government Board

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

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Ditto disallowed, " " " " " " -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - 2

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - 2

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the

day of 188

(Signed,) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Order Request the terms for the Loan for Twenty Years and to pay off Principal and interest by a fixed annuity

Letter from Collector Keaven dated 12th January 1884 submitting the name of Mr Joseph Kelly of Rog as one of his Surches in place of Mr Michael Kean

The Board approved the Surches in question and directed that the Solicitor be instructed to prepare a new Bond for this Collector

As regards the Balances of Rates still outstanding in the respective Districts Collectors Keaven and McDonough were called before the Board and informed that unless all the available Rates be collected and lodged with the Treasurer within the next fortnight then Bonds would be forthwith put in Suit

The Clerk to notify to collectors Keaven and McDonough that a like course would be adopted in their case also

The Board accepted the tender of Nathaniel Steves for the Grass Supply of Turf to the Workhouse at 11-4^h p Blaw

The

The Medical Officers Report "That the two
"bedsteads in the Hospital are broken and
"as they were never of any use they may be
"removed and going to replace them, being
"placed over the Rooms assigned to the Nuns until
"they are removed it would be dangerous for the
"Sisters to occupy these rooms"

Ordered To be referred to Mr. Kaufman "That
"with reference to his report of the 29th Ult^o
"he has to state that no usual practice can be
"followed in ordering Stimulants for the Sick
"as it is the duty of the Medical Officer to
"prescribe them when necessary. On Christmas
"day the Stimulants prescribed were absolutely
"necessary for the health of the feeble patients
"who got them In this Hospital there
"is a remarkable economy in the use of
"Stimulants"

(No order)

Upon the application of the
Medical Officer a supply of Medicines
was ordered for Waltham Hospital and
Shoes for two inmates named Mary Quinn
and Mary Kelly

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 follow:

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given) :

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.] An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the Half-year ended _____ 188 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188 .

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

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively :—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees ; namely :—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

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 follow)

Read Letter from *The Local Govt Board* dated 9 January 1881, stating that

enclosure form for furnishing particulars of the Expenditure under the Medical Charities Act in this Union for the year ended 29 September last

[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 follow :

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 follow :

Letter from the Solicitor General of Works, dated 5 January 1882 applying for payment of the several instalments of the Loan due the 1st November last amounting to £139 7 1
The Board ordered a cheque for the foregoing amount

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

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

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

Joseph Hardy

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the
19 day of *January*, 188*4*
(Signed,) *Patrick Egan*
Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

207

Population in 1881 25237

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 above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 5 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.	760	125												
Temporary Buildings.														
Additional Workhouse.	58													
Permanent Fever Hospital.														
Fever Sheds.														
Total.	818	126												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			13	24	33	22	6	3	4	12	13	130	44	
Admitted during the Week.			7	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	10	3	
Total.			20	26	33	22	7	3	4	12	13	140	47	
Discharged during the Week.			12	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	1	
Died.			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total Discharged and Died.			12	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	1	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			8	24	33	22	7	3	4	12	13	126	46	
No. at corresponding period last year.														

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY the 13 day of January 1884, 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.	29	126					Br. forw'd.						
No. II.	39	55					No. X.						
No. III.	20	135					No. XI.						
No. IV.	25	53					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL.	213	369					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 19 day of January 1884

PRESENT: In the Chair, Joseph Hardy Esq.

Other Guardians:—Major Rogers, Mesp, Mick O'Leary, Martin Darack, Mr. Blake, Pat. Ryan, Mr. Kealy, John Roche, Mick Daly, Mr. Jennings, John Mr. Caffrey, Pat. Kennedy, Lawrence Egan, Mick Daly, Stephen Kelland, John O'Flaherty, Dr. Roughton Esq. I attended the meeting

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 476 to No. 476 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. _____ both 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 Mr. Kempster having a previous appointment for the week could not attend on Tuesday last to meet the Reg. Mr. and Committee at the Workhouse Hospital

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 - - - - - £ 185: 11: 9

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ 185: 11: 9

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 149: 10: 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 follow:—

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.
M. Keaven	Mheny							12	13	5
	Coleman							11	14	2
	Redgill							19	13	2
	Bray							4	13	2
	Freemill							11	14	1
	Donnelly							8	18	5
	Kilgussey							9	4	4
	Killulla							13	3	11
	Reddy							1	4	1
	Donohue							11	8	2
	Lamont								17	11
	Boydell							7	14	3
	Killmer							9	14	1
	Craven							14	13	11
M. Managan	Lahon							137	6	8
	Bray							114	2	2
	Killgill							187	4	10
	Killmeen							438	16	8
	Bullawn							10	3	7
	Kilkeel							22	6	1
	Kilmeen							10	2	5
	Bullawn							26	10	
	Kilkeel							12	9	9
	Grange							5	13	18
								5	1	2
								92	0	11
								332	2	
								263	2	5
M. Moore	Lough							688	5	4
	Kilmeen							15	18	4
	Kilmeen							14	13	3
	Kilmeen							3	2	10
	Kilmeen							4	5	11
	Kilmeen							3	10	10
	Kilmeen							15	1	5
	Kilmeen							7	6	4
	Kilmeen							65	18	11
	Kilmeen							57	17	2
	Kilmeen							73	17	4
	Kilmeen							191	13	5
	Kilmeen							56	4	11
	Kilmeen							41	8	9
M. Donogh	Kilmeen							22	6	5
	Kilmeen							56	3	2
	Kilmeen							20	8	2
	Kilmeen							150	11	5
	Kilmeen							111	16	6
	Kilmeen							124	19	4
	Kilmeen							387	7	16
	Kilmeen							1706	1	11

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was = = = £ 22: 3: 10

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was = 22: 11: 3

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: 10

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, = = = : 2: 3½

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:—

884 lb White Bread	20 oz Spices
64. Butter	8 lb Mould candles
99½. Meat	
458 Quarts Sweet Milk	
12 lb Tea	
50. Sugar	
2½ but White Flour	
3 Oz Soap	
1 Quart Whiskey	
1 Bottle Wine	
64 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 Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12 day of Jan, 1884, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	=	=	=	£	s.	d.
In Kind,	=	=	=	22	6	4
Total,	=	=	=	£		

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

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

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.					Brought 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.			
	Carried 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.

John Stephens	Shet		8	
Charles Humphrey	Carpenter	1	16	
James Hourne	Mason	2		
James Kennedy	White Smith	1	4	
Loughree Condon	Scum Rate		6	10

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

2. Establishment Account. £ s. d.

John Glenneen	Shaw	1	7	6
Railway Company	Canice		4	6
Michael Conry	Carney Hump	2		

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

St. S. J.

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

L. S. J.

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 follow :—

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

follow :- "That the Rippers and Sheeting Liners have been supplied by the Contractors and are submitted for inspection."

for inspection
Order Approved, of and Keep the Surplus Shedding
Supplied over the quantity contracted for
Ordered 12 cut Shovels, 1 White Wash Brush + 1 Sweeping
Brush

For Hospital - 4 Sleeping Bunks, 2 Trunk Bunks,
4 House Buckets, 2 Line Buckets, 4 Wooden
Trays, 4 Dog Quarts & 4 Dog Pint Tins,
4 Dog Spoons, 2 Dog Knives and Forks,
1 Carving Knife & fork, 4 Candlesticks,
2 Lamps, 2 Washing Boards
Storage degrees
Broom, 6 Cement Blocks

of beam for current week
 Total $10\frac{3}{7}$

Ridge 10 $\frac{2}{7}$ Kennedy 10 $\frac{2}{7}$

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

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 follow):—

10 M/84
Circular from the Local Government Board dated 12th January 1884 drawing the attention of the Clerk to his duties as Returning Officer

Letter from Mr Taylor dated 18th January 1884 requesting payment of the Balance due the late Husband Mr John Taylor for pension from 25 March to 11 May and £2:11:6
Order Clerk to inquire if Administration has been taken out by Mr Taylor

Letter from the Treasurer dated 19th January 1884 stating that his Directors will advance the Sum of £500 for the new Building at the Workhouse Hospital. Principal and interest repayable by annual instalments within Twenty Years

Years; adding that as the Loan will be continuous for so long a period, the uniform rate thereon will be 5th Cent per annum

Order Benjamin from Mr Purcell what amt of Instalment his Directors will require to be paid each Year

Pursuant to notice - The question of the pension to the late Hospital Nurse having been taken into consideration It was proposed by Major Regus - Seconded by Mr Roche and Resolved - That Mr Tilly be granted by this Board the largest Superannuation allowance the law permits

The Board next proceeded to consider the question of the National School Teachers and Mr McBarthly proposed and Mr Lawley seconded. That this Union become contributory for the ensuing Year

An Amendment having been moved thereto, before a Poll was taken - Mr McBarthly withdrew his motion and the Board Resolved That this Union do not become contributory under the National Schools Teachers of Ireland Act

The prices named in the tenders received for the purchase of the surplus clothing intended for Emigrants being considered too low, the Clerk was directed to advertise again and invite fresh tenders for that day fortnight

The changeability of an inmate named Patti Quinn was altered from the Bullaugh Electoral Division to the Union at large and the Register corrected accordingly.

The following Notice of Motion was received. - On this day fortnight I will move that the Roman Catholic Chaplain on account of the new duties imposed on him in daily attendance on the Sick of Illness be remunerated by an additional Salary of £50 per annum

(Signed)
John Roche

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 16

Witto disallowed, - - - - -

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

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - 2

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - 2

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

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

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

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

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

(Signed,) _____

Clerk of the Union.

The Clerk was directed to inquire amount of Salaries allowed the Roman Catholic Chaplains in the Unions of Galway, Gort and Ballinasloe

The Rate collectors attended before the Board and produced a communication from the Local Government Board containing replies to certain queries addressed to them by the collectors as regards the collection of the Poor Rate. The Board directed the collectors to be guided by the opinions therein given, and apply to the Local Government Board for further information if found necessary.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.}

UNION.

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

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
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*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
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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
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Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount,

£ s. d.

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the Half-year ended _____ 188 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188 .

_____ District,	=	=	=	=	£
_____ District,	=	=	=	=	£
_____ District,	=	=	=	=	£
_____ District,	=	=	=	=	£

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively :—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees ; namely :—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

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 follow) :

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 188 _____
stating that

[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 follow :

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 follow :

16th/88

Circular from the Local Government Board dated 17th January 1888 setting forth the terms upon which Loans will be granted for the erection of Labourers' cottages as approved and sanctioned by the Treasury

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

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

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

The question of the erection of
Laborers Cottages having been considered the
Clerk was directed to instruct the Solicitor to
prepare the necessary Voucher as regards the
Schemes approved of in this Union.

Upon the recommendation of the
Chairman Michael Larkin was appointed
caretaker of the Kilbought Borel Ground at a
Salary of £1 a year.

Thursday

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the
26 day of January 1884
(Signed,) Patrick Hogan
Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea

UNION.

217

Population in 1881-76

Present Net Annual Value, £76266 10 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19 day of January 1884.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 2 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 9 years of age.	Children under 2 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	760														
Temporary Buildings.															
Additional Workhouse.															
Permanent Fever Hospital.	58														
Fever Sheds.															
Total.	818														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			8	24	33	22	7	3	4	12	13	126	Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards. 48	In separate Wards, 1	
Admitted during the Week,			6	3	-	-	3	-	-	1	1	14	Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital. 1	In Wards with other Inmates, 1	
TOTAL,			14	27	33	22	10	3	4	13	14	140	Total, 49	Total, 5	
Discharged during the Week,			6	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	10			
Died,			1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1			
Total Discharged and Died,			7	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	11			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			7	26	30	22	10	3	4	13	14	129			

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 19 day of January 1884, 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	126					Rel. forwd.						
No. II.	39	55					No. X.						
No. III.	21	134					No. XI.						
No. IV.	25	55					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL.	244	370					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 26 day of January 1884

PRESENT: In the Chair, (Colonel Daly)
Other Guardians: Messrs Joseph Hardy, Oliver Doepfen, Michael Lally, Edward Neave + Pdt Kennedy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4761 to No. 4772 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. _____ both 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 Collectors Caspere & McDonagh have not as yet taken up their new Warrants. Collector Caspere attended and promised to take up his Warrants in a day or two. Advertisements have been inserted for the sale of the Surplus Clothing intended for the Emigrants.

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, £ 45 : 11 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 174 : 6 : 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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
M J Keasen	Murray	2	4	6	10	8	11			
	Grassmill	2	6	9	9	7	5			
	Killegillheen	11	9		19	1	10			
	Innyade	10	10		4	2	4			
	Griffith	4	15	11	6	18	2			
	St. Mary's				8	18	5			
	Kilnashanny				9	4	4			
	Kilbulla	6	0	2	11	3	2			
	Rapra	8	11		1	4	1			
	Donker				19	10	2			
	Chamartin					17	11			
	Cappaluck				7	14	3			
M McDonagh	Kilbarnet				10	5	8			
	Scapin	1	5	9	5	5	14	8	6	
					123	1	4	82		
					112	16	5	81		
					187	4	10	80		
					423	2	7	Del		
	Ballinacree	2	7	1	56	4	11			
	St. Mary's	2	7	1	32	6	6			
	St. Mary's	2	7	1	22	6	5			
	St. Mary's	2	7	1	52	17	10			
	St. Mary's	2	7	1	19	15	4			
	St. Mary's	16	19	7	137	11	0	82		
M Mangen					105	5	2	81		
					114	11	4	80		
					357	7	6	Del		
	Lehm	10	3	7	10	3	7			
	Brinkla	22	6	1	22	6	1			
	Kilbulla	10	2	5	10	2	5			
	Kilbarnet	26	10		26	10				
	Bullaun	12	7	9	12	7	9			
	Kilbarnet	5	13	8	5	13	8			
	Long	5	1	2	92	0	11	82		
					333	2	0	81		
					263	2	5	80		
J Caspere					688	5	4	Del		
	Layhice	15	18	4	15	18	4			
	Kilbarnet	14	13	3	14	13	3			
	Kilbarnet	3	2	10	3	2	10			
	Kilbarnet	4	5	11	4	5	11			
	Kilbarnet	3	10	10	3	10	10			
	Kilbarnet	15	1	5	15	1	5			
	Kilbarnet	7	6	4	7	6	4			
	Kilbarnet	65	18	11	65	18	11	82		
	Kilbarnet	51	17	2	51	17	2	81		
	Kilbarnet	73	17	4	73	17	4	80		
	Kilbarnet	191	13	5	191	13	5	Del		
		18	5	4	27	5	9	1660	8	10

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was - - - - - £ s. d.
18 : 16 : 4

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 21 : 15 : 8

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 : 10

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 2 : 3½

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 :—

892 lb White Bread	42 lb Cocoa
8. Butter	73 Egg
97. Meat	20 lb Scales
469 Quarts Sweet Milk	8 lb Mould Candles
1½ lb Tea	6 gal Paraffin Oil
57. Sugar	
14. Rice	
3 Ox Heads	
1 Quart Whiskey	
1 Bottle Wine	
½ doz Porter	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19 day of Jan 1894, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In Money,	-	-	-	22	9	5
In Kind,	-	-	-			
Total,	-	-	-	£		

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		By Cheque on Treasurer.	Article and Quantity.			Value.	By Cheque on Treasurer.	Article and Quantity.	Value.
		£ s. d.				£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
No. I.					Brought 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.					
	Carried 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.
S. Leonard	28 15
S. Blackton	28 15
Joseph McCabe	2 9
Martin Hanebeen	1 4
James Hanneff	1 4
James F. H.	7 2
Debit Clothing Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.	
2. Establishment Account.	£ s. d.
Mary Duff	55 8 1
Larkin Ridge	12 6 4
Patrick Glynn	10
James Hanneff	8
William Burrell	12
Edward Lahn	10

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

£ s. d.

[illegible]

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

4. *Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.*

£ s. d.

col

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 follow:—

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

follow:— That the storm of Wednesday night caused some damage to the House. Several of the Ridge Poles of the front Porchway were blown down and broken; the right wing of the main building is very defective, and the Schoolmaster's Room in its present state is unfit for occupation.

Order Referred to visiting Committee

and Childrens Boots Supplied by the Contractors are
Submitted for inspection

Approved of
An Estimate from Mr. Grady for repairs
of the barn is submitted.
Order Consideration adjourned

Ordered 20 yards Rope + 100 lb Shoe Brushes
Average degree of
cream for current week -
Rope 10²/₇ Kennedy 10²/₇ Fide 10⁴/₇

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

840
1844/84

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 follow):—

Letters from the Local Government Board dated respectively 22nd & 25th January 1884 inquiring whether the several Articles of Furniture ordered for the Nurses' apartments in Hospital have been supplied, and drawing that the Board of Guardians had no legal authority to provide Furniture to exceeding £10 in value otherwise than in the manner prescribed by the 16th Article of the General Regulations when the consent of the Local Gov Board had been "first had and obtained" and they must necessarily leave the matter to be dealt with by the Auditor.

With reference to the foregoing:— Furniture not having been supplied, the Clerk has been directed to advertise for this day fortnight.

Letter

2789/84

Letter from same dated 25th Jan^y 1882 transmitting a form of particulars to be filled up respecting Mr. Fahy's late Hospital Nurse to whom the Board propose to grant a Superannuation allowance.

2866/84

Letter from same dated 25th January 1882 enclosing Copy of a communication received from the Rate Collectors requesting certain information as regards the collection of the Poor Rate, and inquiring why the arrears of former Rates had not been carried forward into the new Rate Books.

The Clerk explained, that it was considered probable there would be a change in the present Collectors and that at the meeting of the 29th September last when the Estimate was under consideration, the Board resolved "as regards the arrears still outstanding the Board declined to carry them forward into the new Rate Books, leaving it incumbent upon the present Collectors to collect them."

Collectors Burgess and Flanagan attended this day and explained cause for not having more of the arrears collected, and the Board granted the former a fortnight to complete their collection and Messrs. Flanagan, in Donagh and Seaven a week each - the Clerk to notify to the last named that his Bond would be put in suit if he failed in having all available Rates collected by Saturday next.

Letter

Petitions having been read from the parties named McKelvy and Flynn praying for time to pay the Red Rate for which they had been lately decreed at Petty Sessions - the Board declined to interfere in the matter.

Mr^s Kennedy, Laphy & Kear
having inspected the Ventilators on the Roof of the
Hospital & commended that they be removed -

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

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

Drum disallowed, " " " " " "

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was = = 0

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - - - 4

No. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians = 3

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

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

(Signed,) _____

Clerk of the Union.

The Board approved the suggestion and requested Mr. Campbell who was present to prepare a Plan & Specifications for same and the Master was authorized to employ Mr. Gilligan as it is a work of necessity.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held
on _____ the _____ day of _____ 183 .

(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 follow :*

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the Half-year ended _____ 188 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188 .

_____ District,	=	=	=	=	£
_____ District,	=	=	=	=	£
_____ District,	=	=	=	=	£
_____ District,	=	=	=	=	£

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms C 1 and C 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

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 follow):

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 188 _____
stating that

[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 follow:

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 follow:

Sealed order of the Local Govt Board dated 17 January 1884, prescribing, one month as the time within which a Petition may be lodged against a Provisional order granted under Section 8. Sub Section (B), of the Labourers (Ireland) Act 1883

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

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

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

Letter from Mr J D O'Connell Esq. dated
25th January 1884 transmitting the Draft Petitions
in the case of the Labourers Cottages for Athenry
and Longrea and observing that Mr Lord Gort
Board can give costs against the Guardians in the
event of the Petitioners being defeated and also drawing
attention to the concluding passage of the Sixth
Section of the Act.
Mr Kennedy proposed and Mr Luby
seconded

That the Petitions as submitted be approved of
Amendment moved by Mr Dolphin

That the consideration thereof be postponed

The
Amendment not having been seconded the resolution
was declared carried and the Clerk was directed
to instruct Mr O'Connell to forthwith prepare the fair
Copies Petitions for signature and Seal this day

Thomas Greany having tendered to
supply and properly set in Stone 12 feet square
lugs inches thick to the Fontains in Longrea
for the sum of £5.5:6 the Board deemed the
price excessive and rejected the tender accordingly

J D O'Connell

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the

2nd day of February 1884

(Signed,) Patrick Regan

Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

227

Population in 1881-25237

Present Net Annual Value, £76266: 10: 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of January 1884.

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, 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.	TOTAL.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	760	145													
Temporary Buildings.	58	3													
Additional Workhouse.															
Permanent Fever Hospital.															
Fever Sheds.															
Total.	878	148													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			7	26	30	22	10	3	4	13	14	129	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward.	52	In separate Wards.
Admitted during the Week.			10	8		1	1		3	2	5	31	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital.	3	In Wards with other inmates.
TOTAL.			17	34	30	23	11	3	7	15	19	160	Total.	55	Total.
Discharged during the Week.			8	3		1						12			
Died.															
Total Discharged and Died.			8	3		1						12			
REMAINING ON THIS ABOVE DATE.			9	31	30	23	10	3	7	15	19	148			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													M.	F.	Children under 12.
													Total.		
													No. Relieved during Week.	6	2
													No. in Workhouse at date.	6	
													No. at corresponding period last year.		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY the 26 day of January 1884, 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	124					By. forw.						
No. II.	39	53					No. X.						
No. III.	71	135					No. XI.						
No. IV.	25	53					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
By. Ord.	214	367					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Sunday the 2 day of February 1884

PRESENT: In the Chair, Colonel Daly
 Other Guardians:—Major Ryan, Capt Smyth, Sir Henry Burke, Messrs P. Mitchell, M. Lally, J. J. Lacey, J. Hardy, C. O'Connell, W. Daly, P. Bracken, B. Rochford, M. Daly, M. Egan, M. Darragh, G. O'Connor, P. H. Doolin, P. Ryan, J. Roche, J. Finn, J. Roland, P. Kennedy, J. Glavin, G. Keane, J. Egan, O. Doolin, J. Kearney, P. Clarke, J. Jennings, J. Riordan, L. Egan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4774 to No. 4802 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. _____ both 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 Collectors Grogan & McDonagh have not as yet taken up their new Warrants the called upon to do so.

Advertisements have been issued inviting tenders for the supply of the Furniture & for the Mens Apartments in the Hospital.

That he has lodged with the Treasurer to the credit of the Union 17^{/-} for maintenance & in Hospital of J. C. Kavanagh and 5^{/-} fine imposed by the Magistrates in a Sanitary prosecution.

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 - - - - - £ 55. 1. 10

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ 136. 4. 2

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 1252. 6. 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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. Grogan	Loughrea	4	4	3	4	14	11	4	4	
	Kilcumshy	3	7	10	2	9	2	14	4	1
	Kilcumshy (Don)	1	16	9	1	12	11	1	9	11
	Kille Water	3	11	1	-	-	-	4	5	11
	Donagh	2	4	11	7	14	10	3	10	10
	Donagh	15	4	10	16	10	11	49	8	0
M. Flanagan	Lahinch				3	18	10	51	17	2
	Bracklow				4	16	2	58	12	6
	Markhill							15	9	11
	Kilcumshy				8	15	1	10	2	5
	Ballaugh				1	12	11	17	14	11
	Kilcumshy				1	18	2	10	14	10
M. W. Donagh	Donagh							3	15	6
	Donagh							5	1	2
	Donagh				21	1	2	70	19	9
	Donagh							333	2	0
	Donagh							263	2	5
	Donagh							667	4	2
M. J. Keenan	Ballingin							56	4	11
	Donagh							32	6	6
	Donagh							22	6	5
	Donagh							52	17	10
	Donagh				1	2	11	18	12	5
	Donagh				1	2	11	136	8	1
M. J. Keenan	Donagh							105	8	2
	Donagh							114	11	4
	Donagh							356	4	7
	Donagh							10	8	11
	Donagh							9	7	5
	Donagh							19	1	10
M. J. Keenan	Donagh							4	2	4
	Donagh							6	18	2
	Donagh							8	18	5
	Donagh							9	4	4
	Donagh							11	3	3
	Donagh							1	4	1
M. J. Keenan	Donagh							10	9	2
	Donagh								17	11
	Donagh							7	14	3
	Donagh							9	3	8
	Donagh							4	8	6
	Donagh							123	1	4
M. J. Keenan	Donagh							112	16	5
	Donagh							187	4	10
	Donagh							423	2	7
	Donagh							53	19	8
	Donagh							1606	9	0
	Donagh									

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ s. d.
= = = = 16 : 11 : 8

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 22 : 11 : 10

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 : 10

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, Hall - - - : 2 : 3½

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 :—

932 lb White Bread	6 Bales Lard
6½ Butter	87 Eggs
110 Meat	23 lb Tobacco
532 Quarts Sweet Milk	12 lb Mould Candles
2½ cut Outmeal	14. Working Soap
2½ Indian Meal	2 Gal Paraffine Oil
11½ lb Tea	
57. Sugar	
2. Corn flour	
1 Quart Whiskey	
1 Bottle Wine	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26 day of January 1884, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	-	-	-	21 - 13 - 7
In Kind,	-	-	-	
Total,	-	-	£	

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and Quantity.	Value. £ s. d.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and Quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						Brought 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.				
	Carried 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.

D. Donoghue	Salary as Med Officer.	25	
Patrick Egan,	Chaplain	30	
Rev John Cunningham	Chaplain	12	10
Rev Edward Rush	Chaplain	2	10
James F. McKenna	Chaplain	12	10
May A. (Chaplain)	Chaplain	6	3
Susan (Chaplain)	Chaplain	3	16 8
Marion Stanton	Teacher	6	5
William T. (Chaplain)	Chaplain	3	15
James Hanniffy	Rel. Officer	7	10
William Byrne	"	7	10
James Stanton	Known	2	10
Benjamin Murray	Inspector	3	15
John Kevin	Rel. Off.	2	10
D. Donoghue	Med. Off.	28	15
Dr. Burke	"	28	15
James Hanniffy	Rel. Off.	5	-
Patrick Flynn	"	10	-

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.

£ 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 follow :—

We the undersigned members of the
visiting committee command the following
allegations to be done for the accommodation
of the Nurses in charge of the Workhouse Hospital

Two Rooms in the Hospital to be fitted
up as temporary cells; the present Kitchen door to be
remodelled and a door to be placed in the Wall
dividing the Kitchen from the Sacristy.
The Altar to be removed and replaced by a
new one presented by the Rev Mother, and a
wooden partition to be erected in the Sacristy
and that one Carpenter and one Mason be
employed to do the work.

Signed

Lm Egan

Pat Kennedy

The Board approved the foregoing

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

Ordered 6 Brown Handles

Average degrees of beam
for Current Week
Ridge $10\frac{3}{7}$ Kennedy $10\frac{2}{7}$ Ford $10\frac{2}{7}$

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

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

Circular from the Clerk, Mountmellick Union dated 31 January 1884 transmitting copy resolution of the Board objecting to the principle of the proposed Medical Officers' Remuneration Bill and inviting the co-operation of the Board in opposing same.

No order

Letter from Mr J. W. Philpott dated 1st February 1884, requesting the Board would be pleased to pay him at the rate of 3^d 4^d per line for publishing Union advertisements in the ^{Mountain} Wick News at the rate of £5⁰ allowed, is so very small and the number of advertisements has increased considerably.

With reference to the foregoing the Board decline to increase the price of advertisements.

Letter

Letter from Mr J. F. Kempton dated 1st February 1884 enclosing specification for removing ventilators from Roof of Hospital and sheeting the place with Lead as recommended at last meeting. The tender of Mr John Lelligan for carrying out the foregoing was accepted at £3 the work to be completed subject to Mr Kempton's approval.

The tender of Pat Kelly at £2:11:0 was also accepted for putting in a new shaft and other repairs required to the McHorne dam.

The prices named in the tender for the supplies of the emigrants being deemed below the Board rejected them accordingly.

The terms of the Treasurer's letter regarding the Loan of £500 for the proposed new building for the Nurses have been referred to the Board. Requested him to enquire if his Directors would lend the money at the same rate as the Board of Works namely 3¹/₂ per cent.

The question of the outstanding rates having been considered Collector Keenan was called before the Board and his statement inquired into as to the cause of their non collection.

The Board directed Mr J. Small Solicitor who was present to forthwith take proceedings against Collectors Keenan and McDonagh and their families.

The

The Medical Officers Report that the Druggs
applied for for the Hospital over three
weeks ago have not as yet arrived
order to call the attention of the Contractors
to the Druggs not having been sent
Upon

Upon
the application of the Medical Officer three
were ordered for Mary Albert, Pat Larkin
Anne Lyons and Mary Sheel

Pursuant to notice.

Mr Roche prepared
and Mr Brodwin Recorded that

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 22

Iditto 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. 3

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

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

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

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

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

(Signed,) _____
Clerk of the Union.

That the Salary of the Roman Catholic Chaplain of this War Office be increased from £50 to £100 a year

Amendment moved by Mr. Oliver

Amendment moved by Mr. Oliver
Doehlin Recorded by Mr. James I. Egan

That the increase to the salary of the Roman Catholic Chaplain be from £50 to £80 a year

Upon a division of the Board there voted for the Amendment 12 - Against - 18

The Resolution was then put from the Chair and carried by a majority of 19 to

Returns as to Salaries of Rhapsodie Chaplains
 in the Unions of Ballinasloe, Gort and Galway
 were laid before the Board;

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 follow :*

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given) :

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

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the Half-year ended _____ 188 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188 .

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

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively :—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees ; namely :—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

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 follow):

Read Letter from S. Donoghoe dated 2 Feb 1884
stating that

calling attention to the dangerous condition of the Kilthreest Dispensary House as part of the roof has fallen in and the front and back walls are about falling and that he would recommend to have the Dugs and fixtures removed out of the House and the patients to attend at the Longflea Dispensary (on Wednesday) instead of Kilthreest (pending) something being done towards repairing the Dispensary House

order Land Copy of this Report to the Landlord, Mr. Pepp, and the ^{of the Division} Guardians is requested to hire a Room if required

The Athenry Sanitary Committee reported that they had examined and approved the Medical Officers Vaccination Register for the Year ended 31 December 83 containing 105 Cases Successful Vaccination

[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 V), 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. :-

Woodford 21 Defaulters

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

Relieving Officer to notice parties to have their children for birth vaccinated

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

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

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

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

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Letter from The Local Govt Board dated 26 January 1884, stating that they have recommended the issue of £200 to the Board being the third instalment of the Loan for fencing and enclosing Burial grounds

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

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

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

f200

A Draft for the foregoing amount having been received from the Board of Works the Lark was directed to have James lodged with the Treasurer to the credit of the Union

Mr. O'Connell, Esq. attended before the Board and submitted Petitions as regards the Lavatories Cottages for Mhenry and Longwood which were duly signed by the Chairman and the Secy of the Union offered thereto

The Mhenry Disposal Committee and Med. Officer of Health recommended that certain sewers be constructed in Mhenry - one to run from opposite Mr. P. Brodericks to the North Gate Meeting Sewer there to Court Lane - one from opposite Mr. James Ryan's House to the Dispensary and also from Court Lane to this River and that the sewer from the Square to Mr. J. Brodericks Corner and on to the River be widened, cleared and properly flagged so as to remove the present disgusting outfall to the River. The Med. Officer added 'that the present yards to the Houses in Chapel Lane, North Gate Street and Chapel St are in a deplorably sanitary condition'

order Report adopted

The Committee having recommended the payment to Mr. Lambert of the sum of £24.5.0 for the rent of the field intended some time ago as an outfall for the sewage of Mhenry. The Board postponed the consideration thereof

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the

9th day of February 1884

(Signed,) Patrick O'Connell
Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea

UNION.

237

Population in 1881— 25237

Present Net Annual Value £ 76264.14.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2 day of February 1886.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. Inmates on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 years of age, under 9 years of age.	Children above 5 years of age, under 9 years of age.	Infants under 5 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				TOTAL.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse.	760														
Temporary Buildings.															
Additional Workhouse.															
Permanent Fever Hospital.															
Fever Sheds.	58														
Total.	818														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			10	31	30	23	10	3	7	15	19	148	46	In separate Wards, 1	
Admitted during the Week.			15	5	3			1				24	13	In Wards with other inmates, 15	
TOTAL.			25	36	33	23	10	4	7	15	19	172	49	5	
Discharged during the Week.			8	4				2	1			16			
Died.					1	1						2			
Total Discharged and Died.			8	4	1	1		2	1			18			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			17	32	32	22	10	2	6	15	18	154			
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.															
												M.	F.	Children under 16.	TOTAL.
												13	3	1	17
												No. at corresponding period last year.			
												7	1	-	8

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY the 2 day of February 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
					Cases.	Persons.						Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	80	126					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	39	55					No. X.						
No. III.	73	129					No. XI.						
No. IV.	24	54					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL.	216	364					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 9 day of February 1886.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr Henry J Burke B.
Other Guardians:— Messrs. Agnew Pepp, John Donohoe, Stephen Roland, Patrick Bailey, Burton R.P. Pepp, William Daly, Gerald O'Connor, Edward Keane & Martin Parkin.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4874 to No. 4877 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. _____ both 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 communicated to the Treasurer the views of the Board regarding the rate of interest to be charged on the loan required for the proposed Building for the Nurses

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 - - - £ 317 3 10

Paid during the Week, - - - £ 91 11 8

And that the Balance on the Account *against* the Guardians was £ 1026 14 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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.
<i>Mr Keane</i>	<i>Shannon</i>	17 5		10 8 11
	<i>Longwell</i>			9 7 5
	<i>Kilgallen</i>	1 18 5		19 1 10
	<i>Chapde</i>	10 10	10 10	4 2 4
	<i>Spillhill</i>	1 4 0	12 6	1 15 7
	<i>Spillhill</i>		5 2 7	8 18 5
	<i>Spillhill</i>		6 7	8 17 9
	<i>Spillhill</i>		10 10	10 12 4
	<i>Spillhill</i>	1 10 1		1 13
	<i>Spillhill</i>			9 14 1
	<i>Spillhill</i>	1 19 10	10 6	17 11
	<i>Spillhill</i>			7 14 3
	<i>Spillhill</i>			7 16 2
	<i>Spillhill</i>		18 7	11 12 6
	<i>Spillhill</i>		2 15 2	112 12 6
	<i>Spillhill</i>	6 10 6	3 3 10	107 15 1
	<i>Spillhill</i>			179 10 7
	<i>Spillhill</i>			409 1 2
	<i>Spillhill</i>			11 4 4
	<i>Spillhill</i>			14 4 1
	<i>Spillhill</i>			1 9 11
	<i>Spillhill</i>			4 5 11
	<i>Spillhill</i>			3 10 10
	<i>Spillhill</i>			2 6 7
	<i>Spillhill</i>			7 6 4
	<i>Spillhill</i>			49 8 0
	<i>Spillhill</i>	13 2 9		38 14 5
	<i>Spillhill</i>			60 12 6
	<i>Spillhill</i>			148 14 11
	<i>Spillhill</i>			6 4 9
	<i>Spillhill</i>			12 17 9
	<i>Spillhill</i>			25 8 0
	<i>Spillhill</i>			26 13 9
	<i>Spillhill</i>			10 16 10
	<i>Spillhill</i>			12 3 8
	<i>Spillhill</i>			4 8 9
	<i>Spillhill</i>			83 17 11
	<i>Spillhill</i>			70 19 9
	<i>Spillhill</i>			333 2 0
	<i>Spillhill</i>			263 2 5
	<i>Spillhill</i>			667 4 2
	<i>Spillhill</i>			30 4 11
	<i>Spillhill</i>			32 6 6
	<i>Spillhill</i>			22 6 5
	<i>Spillhill</i>			32 17 10
	<i>Spillhill</i>			18 12 5
	<i>Spillhill</i>			136 8 1
	<i>Spillhill</i>			105 5 2
	<i>Spillhill</i>			114 11 4
	<i>Spillhill</i>			356 4 7
	<i>Spillhill</i>			117 3 10
	<i>Spillhill</i>			1572 4 10

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was = = = £ 20 : 9 : 0

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was = £ 23 : 14 : 9

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : £ 2 : 9 : 3

Average Cost in Infirmary, = = = £ 3 : 11 : 4

Average Cost in Fever 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 :—

940 lb White Bread	1 Doz Pater
5 ³ / ₄ Butter	14 lb Cocoa
102 ³ / ₄ Meat	86 Eggs
2 ¹ / ₂ lb Oatmeal	24 ony Flacco
560 Quarts Sweet Milk	8 lb Mould Candles
11 ¹ / ₂ lb Tea	112 Soap
50 Sugar	2 fahs Paraffin Oil
300 Heads	
4 lb Bread Soda	
1 Quart Whiskey	
2 Bottles Wine	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of July 1887, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	-	-	23 : 5 : 11
In Kind,	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	£

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and Quantity.	Value. £ s. d.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and Quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						Brought 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.				
	Carried 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.
Enslinny purgan	21	18	9
Made Mals	4		
Pils pads	2	11	3
Glenzing		3	6
Repair to bag	2	13	6
Carpenter	2	8	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Tins	1	10	2
Repairs to Roof	4	2	6
Repairs to Pump	1		
Wine	2	11	3
Sea. Sugar	11	2	6

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.

Sh. S. T.

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 follow :—

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

follow :- That Mr Gilligan has completed his contract for the repair of the Roof and closing of the Hospital Ventilators.

The Doctor has recommended Thady Tuane
to get 8 oz Bread daily for a fortnight as an Extra

Wm. J. Colegrove has selected Thomas
Larkin as Sergeant; this Bang wants to this

Clothes ordered cost not to exceed £1. and a like sum for clothes for 3 children named Healy about to leave the House.

Plans supplied by the Contractor is
Submitted for inspection

Ordered (Successing) Approved

Current week Average degree of beam for
Ridge $10\frac{1}{7}$ Kennedy $10\frac{2}{7}$ Fide $10\frac{2}{7}$

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

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 follow):—

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Letter from The Local Govt Board dated 7th February 1882, stating that they have received the half yearly Report of their Inspector D. Rouquay upon this Union, the financial condition of which is by no means satisfactory, drawing attention to the fact that none of the current Rate has yet been collected and to the objectionable practice of not bringing forward into the new Warrants the arrears of previous Rates and suggesting that the Collectors should be required to use every exertion to collect in the outstanding Rates and thus remedy the very unsatisfactory state of the Union finances, that as regards the general management of the Workhouse it is of a satisfactory character, but that the children are not taken out for exercise owing to the want of suitable clothing for outside wear, and drawing attention to their previous Circulars upon this subject and recommending that the necessary articles of dress

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be provided for the children and directions given to have the suggestions contained in the Circulars complied with. The Schoolmistress having been called before the Board and the question of the childrens dress suitable for outside wear inquired into. It was ordered that the Clerk shall report to the Board next Saturday what materials are required.

Letter from Same dated 7th Feb^r 1882, referring to the proposed removal of the ventilators from the Roof of the Hospital and sheeting the space with lead and inquiring if it is intended to substitute any other means of ventilation instead.

With reference to the foregoing the Ventilators were ordered to be removed at the suggestion of the Medical Officer.

Letter from Same dated 8th February 1882, requesting to be furnished with particulars of the Emoluments to the late Hospital Nurse which are stated in the form to average £41.10.0 annually. The Clerk to supply this information.

Letter from Same dated 8th February 1882, referring to the Balance of £205/- being the Grant for those parties who failed to emigrate and inquiring what

what action the Board propose to take as regards the clothes the orders for which were rejected last meeting and observing that the amount offered to must be returned at once to the Board of Works or the Comptroller Account of last year requires to be closed
order Consideration postponed to next meeting

Letter from The Right Hon. Lord Dunsandle dated Cannes 30th January 1884 stating that being prevented by indisposition from returning home as soon as he expected and as it is likely he will be absent for some time longer he considers it his duty to resign the Chairmanship of the Board and to return his sincere and grateful thanks for the support and kindness received during his long connexion with the Union from the

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

ditto disallowed, - - - - -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was -

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

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

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

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

(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 _____ 1884

(Signed,) _____
Clerk of the Union.

the Guardians and that he also bids advice to the Officers from whom he received every assistance order that the clerk be directed to write to Lord Dunsandle to ask him to reconsider his decision

Letter from the Commissioner of Valuation dated 4th February 1884 stating that he has appointed Mr. William Doherty to make the annual revision of the Valuation of this Union

A letter was read from the Reviser intimating that he would commence the revision on the 14th inst.

A Draft for the sum of £185:6:6 - the Parliamentary Grant for Medical and Educational Expenditure of the past half year was ordered to be lodged with the Treasurer to the credit of the Union

Collector Leaver's Warrants for collections were laid before the Board and signed - the clerk to retain them until his new Bond is duly registered and judgment marked thereon

Proposed by Mr. Roland Seconded by Mr. Darroch and Resolved That Mr. O. Small Solicitor be instructed to stay Law proceedings against Collector Leaver and McDonagh for a fortnight and in the mean time inquire of the Local Govt. Board if the Collector would be justified in asking the Poor Rate by instalments as in many cases the poorer classes are unable to pay in full and at one time the amounts returned against them

The Plan and Specification of the proposed new Buildings for the Nuns were laid before the Board and their consideration postponed to a larger meeting. The Clerk was directed to write in the mean time to Mr. Kemper for the Estimate.

The consideration of the tenders for the ~~Stimington~~ for the Nuns' Apartments was also postponed and referred to the Visiting Committee with instructions to supply immediate necessities only.
The Medical Officer's Report.

Average Cost of Food for patients in Hospital for week ended 4 February 3: 0 1/2
Do. including Fuel for Wards, Cooking and Washing 3 5/8

To include Compensation given to Attendants and Fuel consumed out of the Wards gives an erroneous result, and it is the cost of the patients' maintenance and extras that are required and for the future these items should be kept separate.

No order.
The Contractor has not sent the Drugg and he recommends the order to be sent to Messrs. Leslie & Co.
A communication was recd from the Contractor intimating that the Medicines would be forwarded this day.

The Clerk was directed to advertise for the Year's Supply of Eggs and Butter and for Coffee in three single tenders to be received on the 23rd inst.
In consequence of the lateness of the hour the ruling of the Relieving Officer's Books was postponed to next meeting.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held

on _____ the _____ day of _____ 183 _____

(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 Langhorne 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 follow:

Ordered to be procured from the Contractors

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given) :

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

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the Half-year ended _____ 188 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188 .

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

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively :—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

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 follow) :

Read Letter from *M A Pape* dated *6 January* 188*4*,
stating that

he will forthwith get the *Kilchreest*
Dispensary House put into proper repair and provide
a *Room* to be used as a *Temporary Dispensary* while
the *House* is undergoing repair. *The Board approved*
this arrangement *T. D. Daly*

[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 follow :

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 follow :

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the

16 day of February 1884.

(Signed,) Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea

UNION.

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Population in 1881 25,237

Present Net Annual Value £ 76,264.10.10

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9 day of February 1884

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 above 7 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 9 years of age.	Children under 2 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	760	142												
Temporary Buildings.	58	3												
Additional Workhouse.														
Permanent Fever Hospital.														
Fever Sheds.														
Total.	876	145												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			17	32	32	22	10	2	6	15	18	15	14	
Admitted during the Week.			15	3	3	1						22	3	
Total.			32	35	35	23	10	2	6	15	18	37	17	
Discharged during the Week.			24	3	2		1					30		
Died.						1						1		
Total Discharged and Died.			24	3	2	1	1					31		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			8	32	33	22	9	2	6	15	18	14	5	
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.														
												M.	F.	Children under 16.
No. Relieved during Week.												15	2	17
No. in Workhouse at date.														17
No. at corresponding period last year.														

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 9 day of February 1884, 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.	80	122					Rel. forw.						
No. II.	39	53					No. X.						
No. III.	73	126					No. XI.						
No. IV.	24	50					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Rel. forw.	216	357					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 16 day of February 1884.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Colonel Daly

Other Guardians:

Major Rogers, Sir Henry G. Burke,
Messrs. Patrick Kennedy, Michael Luby, Thomas Kearney,
Thomas Jennings & Martin Darby

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 23 : 0 : 4

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 24 : 3 : 4

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was £ 2 : 11 : 4

Average Cost in Infirmary, £ 4 : 12 : 4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, £ 2 : 3 : 5

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 :—

940 lb White Bread	2 Quarts Whiskey
3½ Butter	1 Bottle Wine
94½ Meat	28 lb Cocoa
335 Quarts Sweet Milk	76 Egg
11½ lb Tea	24 lb Tobacco
50 Sugar	1 lb Berants
28 Rice	8 Mouldy
4 Pepper	5 Starch
1 Corn Flour	4 Blue
3 or Heads	14 Washing Soda
1 Bottle Brandy	2 gals Paraffine Oil

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

The Abstract of the Cut-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9 day of Feb - 1884, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Cut-door Relief was

In Money,	-	-	-	£ 21	17	11
In Kind,	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-	£		

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s d.	By Order on Contractors.		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.						Brought 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.				
	Carried 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.
John Cumiffe	Egg & Butter	11	9	4
Patrick Glynn	No Relief	15		
James Hanratty	"	10		
William Byrne	"	15		
Eduard Lalor	"	12		

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

2. Establishment Account.

£ s d

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

4. *Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.*

L. 8. d.

We commend the above articles to be ^{condemned} ^{agreed} ^{Patrick Kennedy} ^{Michael Lamy}

Order Approved of

That he wishes to bring under the notice of the Board the case of an inmate named Nolan, & family. This man, having been called before the Board was ordered to be discharged and get clothes cost not to exceed £1.

Rugs Shroding (also Chambray) and Men's Socks
Supplied by the Contractors are submitted for inspection
Order Approved of with the exception of the Socks

Ordered the Services of a Tailor to make mens and Boys
Clothing

13 Cut Hay, 1 day large hoppers, 3 days Combs

Le Doy Chamber for Horpitz

Paper for a few hours to Maria Kelly & Mary Quinn
Sweat, degrees of cream, for

Average degrees of Ice on
Current week Ridge $10\frac{1}{2}$ Kennedy $10\frac{1}{2}$ Side $10\frac{3}{4}$

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

4594/83 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 follow):—

Letter from The Local Govt Board dated 15 February 1884 referring to the proposed increase in the Salary of the R Catholic Chaplain and drawing attention to the 48th Sec of the Irish Poor Relief Act which empowers the Local Govt Board and not the Board of Guardians to regulate the Chaplains Salaries and also that the new duties which the R Catholic Chaplain has to perform were not imposed by any Rule or Regulation which they have made and they are not prepared on such grounds to issue an order authorizing the increase from £50 to £100 a year, but that they would be willing to increase the Salary to £70 a year as the present Salary of the R Catholic Chaplain is somewhat below the average of the Salaries paid in other Unions similarly circumstanced as this Union.

Proposed by Mr Kennedy Seconded by Mr Leahy
We

We request the Local Govt Board to consider the Chaplains Salary. The Guardians were unanimous in recommending £80 as a fair remuneration considering that in other Unions similarly circumstanced more than this sum is allowed.

Complications leading to unpleasant results may arise unless the Local Govt Board sanction the unanimous wish of the Guardians.

The Local Govt Board themselves admit that the Chaplain has been hitherto underpaid. We therefore earnestly request the Local Govt Board to at least sanction the unanimous decision of the Guardians and to take into consideration that the Chaplain has been very much underpaid in the past.

Carried unanimously,

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Letter from same dated 15 February 1884 stating as regards the proposal to take the Poor Rate from the poorer Occupiers by instalments that the Poor Rate should be collected with the Poor Rate where both Rates are due and that the Collector should not take one without the other.

As order,
Circular from the Clerk Limerick Union dated 4th February 1884 transmitting Copy Petition to Parliament praying that the Lease for erection of Labourers Cottages be granted on the same terms as under the Relief of Distress Ireland Act.
The Board approve the foregoing.
Copy

Copy resolution from the Dungannon Union relative to granting Rate-Rented Landholders in Ireland the benefit of the Land Bill was not adopted - the voting being 3 for and 3 against

Letter from the Treasurer dated 16 Feb 1888 stating that the Directors decline to give the Loan of £500 for the proposed new Building for the Nurses upon the terms of the Board of Works viz. at 3½ per cent.

The Estimate for this Work having been rejected from Mr. Kimpster and it appearing to be in excess of the sum mentioned above, a special meeting of the Board was ordered to be summoned for

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 - 35

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 - 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 was -

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

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

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

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

for the 1st Proce to consider the matter. and Mr. Kimpster to be requested to be in attendance that day

The Treasurer having submitted the letter of the Local Government Board of the 13th inst regarding the Balance of the Red Loan, the Clerk was directed to inform him, the Treasurer, that the Board expect to be in a position to lodge a sum of money to meet the debt by this day fortnight

Advertisements were ordered to be issued inviting tenders on the 8th Proce for the years supply of Oat and Indian meal and for the furniture to furnish the Nurses apartments - the tenders received at last meeting being informal - and also for the sale of the Surplus Clothing intended for the Emigrants

The Medical Officer's Report -

Average cost of the Food and Stimulants for the patients in Hospital for week ending 19 February 1888 3 12

13th February 84 Examined the Milk sent to the Hospital by the undermentioned contractors and found the following results

Forde specific gravity 1027
Kennedy " " 1025
Ridge " " 1022

Forde's Milk was poor. Kennedy's very poor and Ridge's at least one third water. Each Milk was somewhat sour - order to caution the Contractors