

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
stating that

M^r A Doepfner dated *21 October 1887*
having got the required repairs effected to the *Bullaun Dispensary House* (as respects of Medical Officer enclosed) he requests the Board would be pleased to grant him a cheque for the six years' Rent due him.

The Clerk was directed to inform *M^r Doepfner* that there are only four years' Rent due him to the 30th September last, and that the Medical Officer enquire what use is being made of the Rattle attached to this Dispensary House at the days not occupied or required by the Medical Officer for his accommodation.

[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 Local Government Board dated 19th October 1887 transmitting a form of queries to be answered by *M^r Nicholas J. Berrill*, who has been appointed Sanitary Sub Officer for the Loughrea Township.

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

29 day of October 1887.

(Signed,)

Patrick Moran

Clerk of the Union.

Labours Ireland Act

Read Letter from the Local Govt Board dated 20 October 1887 referring to the resolution of the Board at last meeting as regards granting the required number of Cottages in the Loughrea and Miterney Divisions and stating that they see no reason to alter their decision in these cases

Order The Board would ask the Local Govt Board, to again consider their decision as regards the Loughrea Cottages as it is generally allowed that they are very much required

J. A. Daly

LOUGHREA UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

46 & 47 Vic., cap. 60, and 48 & 49 Vic., cap. 77.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural
Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on
the _____ day of _____ 188 .

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER MEMBERS :—

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £

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

188

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. of inmates actually residing on the above date.	Total No. of inmates on the above date.	Able-bodied.						Boys and Girls above 5 and under 15 years of age.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children under 5 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	151													
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,	58														
Fever Sheds,															
Total,	818	151													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	11	33	31	22	5	5	10	12	9	138		45	In separate Wards, 1	In Wards with other inmates, 8	
Admitted during the Week,	30	83	1	1	1	1	3	1	48						
Total,	41	116	32	23	6	6	10	15	10	186		45	Total, 45	Total, 8	
Discharged during the Week,	27	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	34						
Died,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1						
Total Discharged and Died,	27	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	35						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	14	36	33	22	4	6	10	15	9	157					

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 29 day of Oct 1887, 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.	68	98					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	46	75					No. X.						
No. III.	29	114					No. XI.						
No. IV.	28	44					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 29th day of October 1887

PRESENT: In the Chair, Colonel Daly Subsequently Major Rogers
Other Guardians:—Mess.

Messrs. P. Kennedy and John Glynn.

Next Meeting to be held on _____, the _____ day
of _____ 1887.

(Signed), _____
Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1236 to No. 1269, 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:

I beg leave to report that it will be necessary for Collector Flanagan to enter into a new Bond, one of his sureties (Mr P. J. Davy) being now an ex-officio 'Guardian of this Union' Order. Call on Mr Flanagan to submit name of a surety on this day week in place of Mr. Davy

"That one of my own sureties (Mr John Diamond) is lately deceased," "I will submit at next meeting the name of a person in his stead."

"That it is time to make arrangements regarding the rates still uncollected in the respective Districts, striking off irrecoverable rates and carrying forward as arrears those that are collectable and including them in the new Rates Books and Warrants."

Order. Call on the Collectors to attend on this day week with lists of Outstanding Rates

"The Vet. Dept. have lodged to credit of the Union the sum of £3.2.6 being one-half the expenses under the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act for the month of July last."

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, £ 3 : 2 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was £ 116 : 1 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as 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.
F. Cosgrava,	Loughrea, ...									
	Kilconickny, ...									
	Lackalea, ...									
	Kilchreest, ...									
	Castleboy, ...									
	Aille, ...									
	Mountain, ...									
	Derrylaur, ...									
								129	84	
M. J. Keaven,	Athenry, ...									
	Craughwell, ...									
	Killogilleen, ...									
	Moyode, ...									
	Groethill, ...									
	Graigabbey, ...									
	Kilconierin, ...									
	Kiltullagh, ...									
	Raford, ...									
	Cloonkeen, ...									
	Colmanstown, ...									
	Cappalusk, ...									
	Killimor, ...									
	Tiaquin, ...									
								168	153	
M. M'Donagh,	Ballynagar, ...									
	Drumkeary, ...									
	Loughatorick, ...									
	Marblehill, ...									
	Woodford, ...									
								300	16	
M. Flanagan,	Leitrim, ...									
	Bracklagh, ...									
	Kilteskill, ...									
	Kilmeen, ...									
	Bullaun, ...									
	Kilrekeel, ...									
	Grange, ...									
								244	76	
	TOTAL, ...							842	127	

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: 6: 3

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 20: 8: 4

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 2: 6 $\frac{3}{4}$

Average Cost in Infirmary, = = = : 3: 9 $\frac{3}{4}$

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, = = = : 2: 0 $\frac{1}{2}$

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

1000 lbs White Bread	14 lbs Cocoa
23 $\frac{3}{4}$ " Butter	126 Eggs
112 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Meat	26 oz Tobacco
66 gts Sweet Milk	8 lbs Moulds
13 lbs of Tea	14 " W. soda
92 " of Sugar	1 " Blue
2 $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt of whole Flour	5 Gals P. Oil
2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " of Indian Meal	
3 ox heads	
4 Bottle of Wine	
2 gts Whisky	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27 day of October 1887, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - -	22	6	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 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:

	£	s.	d.
1. Clothing Account.			
Michl. Connolly O.D.R. Clunkkeen	12		
Edmund Lalor	10		
Wm Ridge Milk	7	11	8
M. Connellan Grave Yard	1		
M. Hayes	1		

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

	£	s.	d.
2. Establishment Account.			
Michl. Meers	10	6	
Dr Mullen Lunacy Fee	1	1	
" O Farrell	1	1	
Matt Cahill Fenders	1	16	

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

[illegible]

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

\mathcal{L}	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:—

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

"That Mr P. Morgan has applied for
'M. Concoran as servant. This boy requires
'clothes."

The Board settled with Mr Morgan at ¹⁰/₇ per
quarter wages. Boy to get clothes, cost not to
exceed £1. 5. 0

"The medical officer has recommended 1 pint of
"milk daily to M^{rs} Wiland, an inmate
"in the Infirmary Ward" (Approved)
Ordered - 2 whitewash brushes 2 lamp chimneys

2 jars branding ink, 1 set shoes for the horse
1 Key for Journal, 1 pair of shoes each for
Winnie Hynes, Mary Brady, and Mary Greene
Vendors supplied by Matt Cahill for Hospital
Submitted and approved

Average degrees of cream for current week
J. Kennedy $10\frac{5}{9}$, M. Kennedy $10\frac{4}{9}$, W. Ridge $10\frac{4}{9}$

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).—

42399/87 Letter from the Local Government Board dated 24th October 1887 referring to the question as to the Guardians liability to pay County Cess or Town Rate upon the Workhouse, and requesting to be furnished with particulars of the apportionment made by the Grand Jury and of the Township Rate showing the Party assessed to those rates.

The Clerk stated he had applied to the Barony Cess Collector and Town Clerk for this information which would be furnished to the Local Govt. Board when supplied.

126m/87. Circular from same dated 28 October 1887 forwarding forms for furnishing particulars of the medical and educational expenditure of this Union for the past half year.

Circular

Circular from the Clerk of the Cavan Union dated 24 October 1887 transmitting copy resolution of that Board recommending that a reduction of 50 per cent. be made by Landlords in the Rents in consequence of the depressed state of the times.

No Order

Letter from the Secretary Cabra Institution dated 24 Oct. 1887 stating that the deaf mute Elizabeth Dolphin was allowed to remain at home at the request of her parents in consequence of the delicate state of her health and that she will be received back at any time she is sent up. That Margaret Earls having acquired a fair education and knowledge of dressmaking &c the Committee considered it only fair to the Guardians not to keep her any longer a charge on the Rates and therefore directed her discharge from the asylum.

The Relieving Officers (Labor & Councils) were directed to make further inquiries regarding those children.

Letter from Collector Cosgrave dated 29 Oct 1887 stating that being unwell for the past fortnight he was unable to prepare his Schedule of Outstanding Rates but that he would have it ready to submit it at next meeting.

The Board considered the foregoing satisfactory and directed the Clerk call on the Other Collectors to have their lists regularly made out and produced at next meeting.

Upon the application of the medical officer a double Truss was ordered for an Hospital Patient named Edward Kennedy.

The Board accepted the tender of Mr Patrick Finnerty for the supply of sound Marketable Potatoes to the Workhouse for the ensuing six months at two pence halfpenny per stone

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 - 38

Ditto disallowed, - " " " " - Nil

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - Nil

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - 3

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.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. }

LOUGHREA UNION.

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

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as 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 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/87 Letter from The Local Govt. Board dated 28th October 1887 enclosing forms for furnishing a Return of the Salaries paid under the Public Health Act for the past half year

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

5th day of November 1887

(Signed,)

Patrick Cogan

Clerk of the Union.

Labourers Ireland Act

Read Letter from the Local Government
Board dated 25th October 1887 enclosing four
Copies of the Longford Union Labourers Order 1887
for perusal upon the parties interested pursuant
to the 7th Section of the Labourers Act of 1883.

The Clerk was directed to attend to the
foregoing

J. D. Daly

LOUGHREA UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.46 & 47 Vic., cap. 60, and 48 & 49 Vic., cap. 77.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural
Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on

the _____ day of _____ 188 .

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER MEMBERS :—

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1881—26402

Present Net Annual Value, £76805

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of October 1887

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	Total in the Union on the above date.	Able-bodied.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 16 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 16 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 2 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.		Total.
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Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, - - -	14	38	33	22	4	6	10	15	9	151	50	In separate Wards, } In Wards, } with other } Institutions, } 8	
Admitted during the Week, -	36	4	2				1	1	1	45			
Total, - - -	50	42	35	22	4	6	11	16	10	196			
Discharged during the Week, -	26	6		1	1	1		3	1	39			
Died, - - - - -													
Total Discharged and Died, -	26	6		1	1	1		3	1	39			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, - - - - -	24	36	35	21	3	5	11	13	9	157			
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.													
										M.	F.	Children under 16.	Total.
No. Relieved during Week, -										33	1		34
No. in Workhouse at date, -										10			10
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 29th day of October 1887, 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.	
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No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL.	220	320					TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 5th day of November 1887

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Ed. Daly*
Other Guardians:—

*Messrs. P. Kennedy, J. Forde, P. J. Kelly,
J. Glynn, J. Dilleen, S. Roland,
J. Slater.*

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

(Signed), _____
Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1284 to No. 1327, 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:

"I beg leave to submit the name of Mr John Carol Kelly's Lane Loughrea as my 'Surety' in place of the late Mr John Diamond (Security approved of.)"

"In the accounts for the half year ended 29th Sept. last there is included a sum of £2 13 6 being cost of 116 ^{days} maintenance and clothing of a child named Bridget Burke. This child it appears left the Workhouse on the 2nd July last, but was not discharged off the Register Relief List, Diet & Book &c."

Order. The Board request the Local Govt. Board will instruct their Auditor not to surcharge the Master.

"I have over and over applied to Messrs. Finn for the 2yrs Rent of Mill Premises (£30) but could get only promises of payment from them."

Order. To notice the Messrs Finn to pay a proceedings will be taken at once.

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 — — — £ 22 : . : 8

Paid during the Week, — — — £ 34 : 4 : 2

And that the Balance on the Account ^{of} the Guardians was £ 989 : 0 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as 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.
F. Cosgrave,	Loughrea, ...	4	10	11						
	Kilconickny, ...	2	4	1						
	Lackalea, ...	1	5							
	Kilchreest, ...	1	3	5						
	Castleboy, ...									
	Aille, ...	1	1	11						
	Mountain, ...									
	Derrylaur, ...									
					10	08		119	78	
M. J. Keaven,	Athenry, ...									
	Craughwell, ...	1	10	11						
	Killogilleen, ...	2	3	4						
	Moyode, ...									
	Greethill, ...	2	15	0						
	Graigabbey, ...	1	7	0						
	Kilconierin, ...									
	Kiltullagh, ...		18	11						
	Raford, ...		4	4						
	Cloonkeen, ...	1	11	0						
	Colmanstown, ...		15	0						
	Cappalusk, ...		14	6						
	Killimor, ...									
	Tiaquin, ...									
					12	00		156	153	
M. M'Donagh,	Ballynagar, ...									
	Drumkeary, ...									
	Loughatorick, ...									
	Marblehill, ...									
	Woodford, ...									
								300	16	
M. Flanagan,	Leitrim, ...									
	Bracklagh, ...									
	Kilteskill, ...									
	Kilmeen, ...									
	Bullaun, ...									
	Kilrckee, ...									
	Grange, ...									
								244	76	
	TOTAL, ...				22	08		820	111	

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.
19: 5: 9

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ s. d.
22: 9: 2

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was £ s. d.
2: 8 $\frac{3}{4}$

Average Cost in Infirmary, "Hall" £ s. d.
4: 1 $\frac{3}{4}$

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, "Hall" £ s. d.
2: 0 $\frac{3}{4}$

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:—

968 lbs White Bread	1 doz ⁿ Porter
224 " Butter	14 lbs Cocoa
117 " Meat	148 Eggs
53 stone of Potatoes	26 3 Tobacco
638 qts sweet milk	1 lb A. root
14 lbs of Tea	8 lbs mould Candles
100 " of Sugar	4 " Starch
3 oz heads	4 " Blue
2 bottles of Wine	6 gals P. oil
4 qts of Whisky	
3 bottles of Lemonade	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24 day of October 1887, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - -	21	18	10
In kind, - - -	-	-	-
Total, - - -	21	18	10

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
1. Clothing Account.			
Michl. Connolly O. D. R. Mummy	15	.	.
Wm Beirne	15	.	.
Andrew Dolphin Rent of Prop ^y .	24	.	.
Will ^m . Flynn Groceries	13	0	7
Jane Glynn Whisky &c	4	10	4

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

	£	s.	d.
2. Establishment Account.			
John Forde Regis ⁿ .	2	19	8
Patrick Parker Water Works	12	.	.

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

[illegible]

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

[illegible]

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:

"The Medical Officer has recommended 1 pint
of milk daily for ten days to Mary Burke, an
inmate in the infirm ward"

Approved

"Mary Connolly an Epileptic in the Infirmary Ward died this morning."

Order call on Medical officer to make a report on the sudden death of Mary Connolly

Ordered. 1 dozⁿ large Coffins. 4 Potatoe nets
1 Ball of Twine 1 Lamp Chimney
½ yd Lamp wick 6 yds of Rope
1 lb Tobacco Weekly to an inmate named M. Quinn

Average degrees of Cream for Current week

J. Kennedy $10\frac{4}{7}$, M. Kennedy $10\frac{3}{7}$, W. Ridge $10\frac{3}{7}$.

* 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).—

44642/89 Letter from the Local Government Board dated 3rd November 1887 enclosing Copy of a communication addressed to them by an inmate named Catherine Galvin complaining that in consequence of her husband's refusal to pay her alimony awarded her by the Court she was obliged to seek admission to the Workhouse and that she expected the Guardians would compel him to maintain her & requesting the observations of the Board thereon.

The Board inquired into this case, and as far as they can discover - the husband having assigned his property - they cannot, with any chance of success, proceed against him for his wife's maintenance.

Letter

45369/87. Letter from same dated 4th November 1887 referring to the question of the Guardians' liability to pay County Cess and Town Rate assessed upon the half annual Rent of the Workhouse and stating that they learn that the Court of Appeal in a recent case decided that a Covenant to pay Rent over and above Taxes &c in a lease of premises used exclusively for charitable purposes obliged the tenant to indemnify the Landlord against the rate levied upon the half annual Rent assessed under the 2nd Sec of the Tenement Valuation Act.

A letter was read from Mr Tenner demanding payment of the Rent due upon the Workhouse and Mill up to 1st May last (£42.18.11½) the Clerk was directed to wait upon Mr Tenner and ascertain will he give the reduction of 4^{/-} in the £ as allowed to other tenants who had paid their Rent.)

Circular from the Clerk of Carrick-on-Suir Union dated 29th Oct 1887 enclosing copy resolution adopted by that Board condemnatory of the treatment received by Mr. W. Blunt and his Lady at the hands of certain Government Officials in Woodford.

Mr P. J. Kelly proposed and Mr Glynn seconded the adoption by this Board of the foregoing resolution. The Chairman declined to receive the resolution or put it from the Chair on the grounds that the subject is foreign to the legitimate business of the Board of Guardians.

Petition from an inmate named Mary Kelly dated 5th Nov. 1887 praying the Board would be pleased to grant her some assistance to procure an outfit &c her passage having been paid to America. The

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.}

LOUGHREA UNION.

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

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the
Board, with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions
were given thereon as 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 _____ 1887
stating that

The Returns of the Expenditure on of Salaries and Medicines for the past half year were laid before the Board and signed

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 8 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as 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 Mr R. Stephens Esq.
dated 31st October 1887 stating that Mr Townsend
having named Mr J. Redington as his Arbitrator
he begs to enclose form of agreement for Board's
approval and signature and that he will send*

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):

a Copy signed by Mr Townsend.

The Board approved and signed the document in question.

Letter from Mr J. W. O'Farrell Esq. dated 4th November 1887 stating that having lodged an objection on the part of the Guardians to the sale of the Athenry Grave Yard he finds that the sealed Order of the Church Temporalities Comm^{rs} vesting the several Grave Yards in the Board was subsequently amended by striking out this Grave Yard of Athenry, he considers therefore it would be useless to proceed further with this case.

The Board agreed with their Solicitor and directed that this matter be no further proceeded with.

Letter from the Under Secretary dated 14th November 1887 stating in reply to the resolution of the 15th Nov. that the Lord Justices are informed that the Contractor for sinking the wells in Craughwell and Ballywinma employs an Assistant who is duly licensed to use blasting powder and that therefore no inconvenience can result from Mr. Chocun's not being licensed himself. The Board directed that a copy of the foregoing letter be transmitted to the Contractor for his observations.

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

12th day of November, 1887.

(Signed,) Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

Labours Ireland, Acts

Read letter from the Local Govt. Board dated 14th November 1887 acknowledging the receipt of the Certificate of the service of the Sealed Orders upon the parties interested in those Cottages proposed to be created in Athenry and Loughrea.

P. Kennedy

LOUGHREA UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

46 & 47 Vic., cap. 60, and 48 & 49 Vic., cap. 77.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural
Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on
the _____ day of _____ 188 .

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER MEMBERS :—

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £

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

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that are in the above multiplicity.	Total No. in each multiplicity.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 9 years of age, and under 15 years of age.	Children under 9 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, - - -															
Temporary Buildings, -															
Additional Workhouse, -															
Permanent Fever Hospital, -															
Fever Sheds, - - -															
Total, - - -															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			24	36	35	21	3	5	11	13	9	157	In Hospital, 57 In separate Wards, 1 In separate Wards, 1 In Hospital, 1 In Hospital, 1	In separate Wards, 1 In separate Wards, 1 In separate Wards, 1 In separate Wards, 1	
Admitted during the Week.			21	2	3							26			
TOTAL.			45	38	38	21	3	5	11	13	9	183	Total, 57	Total, 8	
Discharged during the Week.			29	1	3					1	-	34	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
Died, - - - - -						1						1	M.	F.	Children under 15.
Total Discharged and Died, -			29	1	3	1				1		35	No. Relieved during Week, 21		21
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			16	37	35	20	3	5	11	12	9	148	No. in Workhouse at date, 2		2
													No. at corresponding period last year, -		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 5th day of November, 1887, 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.	68	97					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	44	68					No. X.						
No. III.	78	115					No. XI.						
No. IV.	30	47					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.	220	327					TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 12th day of November, 1887

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

Mr Patrick K Kennedy
Messrs. P. P. Broderick, John Gloster
Patt. Hawley, Michl. Leahy, John Glynn, Edw. Kern
James Dilleen, Peter J. Kelly & Stephen Roland

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

(Signed), _____

Executive Sanitary Officer.

The *Workhouse Register* was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1328 to No. 1353, 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:

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 - - - £ 64 : 12 : 9

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ 70 : 6 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account *Against* the Guardians was £ 994 : 14 : 0

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.
F. Cosgrave, ...	Loughrea, ...									
	Kilconickny, ...									
	Lackalea, ...									
	Kilchreest, ...									
	Castleboy, ...									
	Aille, ...									
	Mountain, ...									
M. J. Keaven, ...	Derrylaur, ...									
	Athenry, ...									
	Craughwell, ...									
	Killogilleen, ...									
	Moyode, ...									
	Greethill, ...									
	Graigabbey, ...									
	Kilconierin, ...									
	Kiltullagh, ...									
	Raford, ...									
M. M'Donagh, ...	Cloonkeen, ...									
	Colmanstown, ...									
	Cappalusk, ...									
	Killimor, ...									
	Tiaquin, ...									
M. M'Donagh, ...	Ballynagar, ...									
	Drumkeary, ...	4	5	0						
	Loughatorick, ...		12	10						
	Marblehill, ...	1	16	3						
M. Flanagan, ...	Woodford, ...	1	7	1						
	Leitrim, ...	4	9	5						
	Bracklagh, ...	17	5	9						
	Kilteskill, ...		10	11						
	Kilmeen, ...	4	16	6						
	Bullaun, ...		13	6						
	Kilrekeel, ...	27	4	3						
M. Flanagan, ...	Grange, ...	1	11	10						
	TOTAL, ...									

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ s. d.
= = = = 18 : 12 : 8

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ s. d.
= 22 : 10 : 1

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was £ s. d.
: 2 : 8 $\frac{3}{4}$

Average Cost in Infirmary, " " " " £ s. d.
: 4 : 1 $\frac{3}{4}$

Average Cost in ~~Seven Hospitals~~ Hall " " " " £ s. d.
: 2 : 0 $\frac{4}{4}$

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 :-

916lbs White Bread	1 doz ⁿ of Potatoes
23 $\frac{3}{4}$ " Butter	28lbs of Cocoa
121 " Meat	158 Eggs
88 Stone Potatoes	27 ^{oz} of Tobacco
2 $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt Oatmeal	10lbs of Moulds
625 qts Sweet Milk	112 " of Soap
13 lbs Tea	6 gals P. Oil
90 " Sugar	
3 ox Heads	
3 Bottles of Wine	
3 qts of Whiskey	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of ~~December~~ 1887, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - -	22	7	9
In kind, - - -	-	-	-
Total, - - -	22	7	9

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

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

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

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.

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£ s. d.

[illegible]

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

100

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

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

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

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

That an inmate named Wm. Donohoe, absconded from the Workhouse on Thursday Morning in a suit of Union Clothing and has not been heard of since, He reported the matter to the Police.

Make further inquiries.
Ordered. 2 tubes for feeding bottles

2 doz. Quarts and 2 doz^{ln} pint platters
Yard Gate and weather boards for doors.
Service of a Carpenter to repair same
One dozen Rat Poison

Average degrees of Cream for Current Week

J. Kennedy $10\frac{4}{7}$, M. Kennedy $10\frac{3}{7}$, W. Ridge $10\frac{4}{7}$

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).—

46292/87 Letter from the L. G. Bd. dated 10 Nov 1887 transmitting a form of particulars to be filled up respecting Mary Kelly whom the Board propose to assist to emigrate.

Circular from the Clerk Nenagh Union dated 28th Oct 1887 transmitting copy resolution of that Board, urging that the remuneration to the Clerk and Rate Collectors in connexion with the Franchise Acts be paid out of the Imperial Treasury and not borne by the Rate-Payers.

The Board unanimously approved the foregoing Letter from the Rev Thomas Head P. P. New Inn dated 11 Nov 1887 stating that a poor old woman named Mary Ward complained to him that her allowance of Out Door Relief had been stopped from her by Relieving Officer Connolly and that she is compelled to attend before the Board to state her case and that he (Father Head), knows her to be in need of Relief,

The case having been inquired into and it appearing that the Relieving Officer has this day given her the allowance ordered for her, the Board consider the Relieving Officer's explanation satisfactory.

Letter from the Treasurer dated 12 Nov 1887 drawing attention to the fact that the overdraft authorized by the Directors has been within a few pounds availed of and that he cannot pay any more cheques unless provision is made to meet them.

The subject of the financial state of the Union having been considered the Board had the lists of arrears of Rates in the several Districts submitted to them and Collectors Cosgrove and Flannagan examined as to the cause of the non-collection in their cases. The Board agreed to allow another fortnight to finally close and lodge the outstanding Rates and that proceedings would be taken against any collector who failed to do so.

Collectors McDonagh and Keaven wrote stating their inability to attend this day Medical Officer's Report.

In compliance with your directions I beg to report that on being summoned, I promptly visited Mary Connolly on the 6th inst. in the Infirmary Ward. She was dead. Nurse informed me that she died in a convulsion; during her life she suffered from periodical fits of epilepsy. I prescribed for her the previous day for a slight cold and she then seemed in fairly good health.

With reference to the foregoing it was Resolved that this Board is not satisfied with the Report of Dr. McDonagh in regard to the death of Mary Connolly as it appears

appears from his statement that her condition was so low that she was liable at any moment to expire - yet no provision was made for her removal to the Infirmary, and she died suddenly without the ministrations of her religion and without his attendance. (Carried Unanimously)
Ordered,

That the allowance of ox heads for the soup be increased from three to six weekly (or the usual substitute of coarse meat) for the healthy inmates while Potatoes are being used for dinner.

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 - 28

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

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 5

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - 4

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 also the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

(Signed,) _____

Clerk of the Union

Proposed by Mr P. P. Broderick

Seconded by Mr P. Cawley and

Resolved - That we congratulate William O'Brien on the noble stand he has taken for freedom of speech, defence of liberty and his noble self-sacrificing endeavor to place his Country-men on a basis with civilized humanity, and that we offer to Mr Wilfrid Blunt and Lady Anne Blunt our sincere congratulations at the heroism displayed by them in resisting an iniquitous coercion at Woodford and further that we tender to the worthy Members of our Board, Mr John Roche and Mr M. M. Egan our most cordial approval of their acts in the worthy stand they have taken against the tyranny prevailing in Woodford.

Carried Unanimously.

Copy to be sent to Mr W. Blunt and his Lady, Messrs. W. O'Brien, J. Roche & M. M. Egan.

An application from the R. C. Chaplin for 2 sets of Vestments required for the performance of Divine Service in the Workhouse was read and consideration postponed.

The Board proceeded to consider tenders for the yearly supplies &c and entered into the following Contracts viz. Publishing the Union Advertisements for one year from the 22nd inst.

Proprietor of the Tuam News £ 7' 0' 0

" Western News £ 7' 0' 0

" Galway Observer £ 5' 10' 0

Tuam

Inam Herald £ 5.0.0

For supplying all Printing Books, Forms &c under the Poor Laws, Medical Charities, Sanitary, Laborers' Cottages, Juries, Franchise & Contagious Diseases Animals Acts Mr Michl. S. Kelly was declared Contractor at a bulk sum of £25 for one year from 12th Nov. Inst.

Provisions & Necessaries from the 28th Inst.

Mary Bluffy Oat meal at £ 11.0.0 per Ton

" " Indian Meal " £ 6.15.0 " "

Paraffin Oil " 7¹/₂ per gal

John Callanan Whole Flour at £ 10.8.0 per ton

Thomas Coffey White Bread at 1¹/₂ per 4 loaf

John Kennedy Beef & Mutton " 4¹/₂ per lb

Ox Heads 1.6 each

Jane Glynn Black Tea 2.0 per lb

Soft sugar 2 per "

Whiskey 16.0 per gal

Port Wine 1.4.0 per doz

*** Brandy 6.0 per Flask

Wm Glynn xx Port 2.10 per doz

Marsala Wine 16.0 per doz

Jas Mc Carthy Lemonade &

Soda Water } 2.6 per "

Mrs Meagher Turf 8³/₄ per box

The consideration of the remaining tenders for Provisions, Necessaries, Clothing & Sundries was postponed to next meeting.

14 and 15 Vic, c. 68.

LOUGHREA UNION.

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

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as 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 _____ dated _____ 1883
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.:—

Loughrea 18 Defaulters.

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

Relieving Officers to notice parties to have their children forthwith vaccinated.

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

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

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

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

Letter from Mr P. Sweeney dated 12th Nov 1887 acknowledging the receipt of the copy letter read from the Under Secy at last meeting and stating that the only man employed by him who had a licence was a "quarry man" from Galway and that he possibly may have no chance of again securing his services.

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 Board direct that a copy of Mr Swamy's letter be transmitted to the Under Secy with an expression of opinion from this Board that the objection raised to this Contractor's obtaining a Licence for the use of explosives so necessary for him in carrying out his contract appears to them to be altogether untenable and they therefore in the interests of the Rate-payers whom they represent respectfully and firmly urge upon the Executive not to any longer delay granting Mr Swamy his Licence for having and using ^{either} Dynamite or Blasting Powder. (carried unanimously)

Letter from Mr J. D. Farrell Esq. dated 12th Nov 1887 stating that the matter of the objection raised in connection with the sale of the Athensy Burial Ground was before the Court on yesterday and that all his Town-Agent could do was to get the costs made as light as possible and that the Judge measured them at £4.4.0 which the Guardians of course will have to pay.

Order. Why was case brought on when orders were given not to do so.

The copy Deed of Arbitration in the case of Mr E. Townsend and the Guardians was laid before the Board and signed

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

19th day of November 1887

(Signed,)

J. H. Egan
Clerk of the Union

LOUGHREA UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

46 & 47 Vic., cap. 60, and 48 & 49 Vic., cap. 77.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural
Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on
the _____ day of _____ 188 .

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER MEMBERS :—

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1881—26402

Present Net Annual Value, £ 76345

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of November 1887

Number of inmates for which accommodations is provided.	No. that have been in each building on the above date.	Total No. that have been in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and infirm 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 9 years of age.		Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children above 2 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 9 years of age.		Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .	760	158														
Temporary Buildings, . .																
Additional Workhouse, . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital, .	58															
Fever Sheds, . . .																
Total, . . .	818	158														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .	16	37	35	20	3	5	11	12	9	148		Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Ward, . . .	153	In separate Wards, . . .		
Admitted during the Week, . .	17	6	3	1	1	1	2	1	2	34		Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital, . . .		In Wards with other inmates, . . .		
TOTAL, . . .	33	43	38	21	4	6	13	13	11	182		Total, 53		Total, 8		
Discharged during the Week, . .	16	2	3							2	24	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died, . . .												M.	F.	Children under 15.	Total.	
Total Discharged and Died, . .	16	2	3							2	24	No. Relieved during Week, . .	21	3	6	30
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .	17	4	35	21	4	6	12	13	9	158		No. in Workhouse at date, . .	5			5
												No. at corresponding period last year, . . .				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 12th day of November 1887, 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.	69	99					Bt. forw.						
No. II.	48	68					No. X.						
No. III.	78	115					No. XI.						
No. IV.	30	48					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forw.	222	330					TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 19th day of November 1887

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major Rogers
Other Guardians:—Messrs. Jim Forder, Patrick Kennedy,
John Glynn, Michl. Lahay, & Peter KellyNext Meeting to be held on _____, the _____ day
of _____ 188 .(Signed), _____
Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1354 to No. 1367, 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 has published the usual notice of the Rate Books being open for inspection and the new rate Books will be submitted for signature at the meeting of the 3rd Dec next.

Colonel O'Hara has fixed Tuesday next the 22nd Inst. for the audit of the accounts for the past half year.

Mr McEntee has lodged with the Treasurer to the C^r of the Union the sum of £19. 11. 6 being the amount realized by the Auction Sale of the Workhouse Hay.

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 — — — £ 19. 11. 6

Paid During the Week, — — — £ Nil

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 975. 2. 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as 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.
F. Cosgrave, ...	Loughrea, ...									
	Kilconickny, ...									
	Lackalea, ...									
	Kilchreest, ...									
	Castleboy, ...									
	Aille, ...									
	Mountain, ...									
	Derrylaur, ...									
								119	7	8
M. J. Keaven, ..	Athenry, ...									
	Cranghwell, ...									
	Killogilleen, ...									
	Moyode, ...									
	Greethill, ...									
	Graigabbey, ...									
	Kilconierin, ...									
	Kiltullagh, ...									
	Raford, ...									
	Cloonkeen, ...									
	Colmanstown, ...									
	Cappalusk, ...									
	Killimor, ...									
	Tiaquin, ...									
								156	15	3
M. M'Donagh, ...	Ballynagar, ...									
	Drumkeary, ...									
	Loughatorick, ...									
	Marblehill, ...									
	Woodford, ...									
								292	0	4
M. Flanagan, ...	Leitrim, ...									
	Bracklagh, ...									
	Kilteskill, ...									
	Kilmeen, ...									
	Bullaun, ...									
	Kilr-keel, ...									
	Grange, ...									
								187	15	11
	TOTAL, ...							755	19	2

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.
= 21 : 4 : 3

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ s. d.
= 22 : 15 : 3

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary, "Hall" : 4 : 2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, "Hall" : 2 : 1

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:—

900 lbs White Bread	1 Doz. Porter
23 1/4 " Butter	14 lbs Cocoa
12 3/4 " Meat	167 Eggs
83 1/2 st. Potatoes	8 lb Moulds
627 qts Sweet Milk	14 " Washing Soda
13 lbs Tea	
100 " Sugar	
6 ox Heads	
4 lbs Bread Soda	
4 Bottles Wine	
3 Quarts Whisky	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 188 , whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - -	21	17	6
In kind, - - -	-	-	-
Total, - - -	21	17	6

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
Michael Connolly <i>Clothing Account</i>	10		
William Burns	10		
Edmund Salar	8		
Margaret Scanlan	1	17	4
Wine 14/8 + 1/2/8	1	14	
Del			

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Don't Gourman		4	2
Patrick Coyne		6	
Patrick Egan	1	17	
Arthur Harrichee		15	
William White	1	15	
B. Bourman	1	8	6
Jane Glynn	13	7	
Smith			
Nets			
Postage			
Carpenter			
Shaw			
Sea Whiskey			

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£ s. d.

[illegible]

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

10

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 follows:

The man Thomas Donohoe who absconded from the House on the 10th inst. went to his home and is now living there; his suit of Union Clothing was returned.

Ordered

1 Load of Straw, 2 Boards.

300. nails, 2 doz. screws.

1 Jar Brunswick Black

10 Duplex Lamp Chimney

Blankets, Canvas, Grey Lining & Shrouding,

Calico supplied by Mr. M. Kennedy were
laid before the Board and approved.

The services of a Tailor to make up
the Annual supply of Clothing.

Average degrees of Cream for Current Week

M. Kennedy $10\frac{3}{7}$. J. Kennedy $10\frac{4}{7}$. W. Ridge $10\frac{3}{7}$.

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).—

Letter from the Local Govt. Board dated 15th Nov 1887 stating that having referred to their Auditor Edw. O'Hara the question of the erroneous charge for the maintenance of the child Bridget Burke in the Workhouse, he observed that this appears to be merely an accounting error to be corrected in following account and not a subject for surcharge.

Letter from same dated 18 Nov 1887 referring to the further extension granted to the Collectors at last meeting to lodge the Balances of Rates outstanding in the respective Districts, and stating they presume that notice thereof has been given to the Committees of the several Collectors.

Order.

Notice certifies accordingly. Circular

Circular from the Clerk Bridgewater (England) Whism dated 2nd November 1887 transmitting copy resolution of that Board expressing approval at the action of the Authorities in their endeavours to maintain law and Order in Limerick, Mitchellstown, Ludox, &c wherever exceptional circumstances have rendered such unpleasant duties necessary.

No order.

Letter from Herbert Vivian dated 17 Nov 1887 stating that he has been directed by Mr Wilford and Lady Anne Blunt to acknowledge with many thanks the receipt of the Resolution of this Board passed at their last meeting.

A letter to the like effect were also read from Mr. Martin M. Egan and a Telegram from Mr John Roche, both thanking the Board and expressing their sincere acknowledgments for the kind appreciation of their services and approval of their action on the occasion referred to.

Letter from Mr A. Moran dated 18th Nov 1887 complaining of the action of the Master in unnecessarily detaining his servant when delivering his Samples of Clothing and obliging him to attend and check his goods at a most inconvenient time to (Mr Moran).

Order. The Board consider that the hour named by the Master is the most suitable and convenient to him as any other time might interfere with his other official duties in the House.

Letter from Mr M. Kelly dated 17 Nov 1887 stating that he finds he has made a mistake in calculating the amount of his tender for Books, Printing

pressing claims.

The application from the R. Catholic Chaplain for the two Suits of Vestments having been again considered was further postponed to next meeting when Father Cunningham is requested to attend and afford the Board certain information on the subject.

The following Clothing Contracts were entered into, namely:

Martin Kennedy

140 yds Chambray	@	8 ² per yd.
120 " Cheek	"	8 " "
24 pairs Girls stockings	"	4 ¹ / ₂ per pair
60 " Men's Socks	"	6 " "

John Hall

130 yds Wincery	@	7 ¹ / ₄ " yd.
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Andrew Moran

24 Pairs Boys' Socks	@	5 ¹ / ₂ - pair
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Joseph O'Hallerty

40 pair Children's Boots in three sizes
at an average price of 3¹/₂ 2 per pair

The consideration of the remaining tenders for Clothing, Groceries, and Sundries was postponed to next meeting.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

LOUGHREA UNION.

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

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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 185 , 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 185 .

_____ 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:

46152/87 Letter from the Local Government Board dated 15th November 1887, sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Nicholas J. Banett as Sanitary Sub Officer for the Township of Louisa at a Salary of £110 a year

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 the Under Secretary dated
15th November 1887 acknowledging the receipt of
the resolutions passed at last meeting recommending
that Mr. P. J. P. be granted a Licence to hunt
and use Explosives. and in reply stating that His
Excellency has nothing to add to the previous communication
addressed to the Guardians on the subject
(No order)

Letter from Mr. J. D. Farrell Esq.
dated 19th November 1887 stating that directly on receiving
the intimation on the 8th inst. of the Guardians' intention
not to press their claim to the Quinship of the Thomas
Burrell Ground he apprized the Solicitor for Mr.
Irving & Co. by telegram and letter accordingly -
and that he himself appeared before the Judge
to get the facts made as light as possible
order The Board consider that this expense
should not have been incurred

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

26 day of November 1887

(Signed)

Jabich Egan
Clerk of the Union.

LOUGHREA UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

46 & 47 Vic., cap. 60, and 48 & 49 Vic., cap. 77.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural
Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on
the _____ day of _____ 188 .

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER MEMBERS :—

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