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

43359/89 Circular from the Local Government Board dated 14th December 1889 requesting to be furnished with a Return of the number of Agricultural Holdings in certain Electoral Divisions of the Union and particulars of their valuation, amount of Rates apportioned thereon population &c.

The Clerk stated that as regards the Return for this Union he had compiled it in the manner set forth in the letter from The Local Government Board of yesterday's date (N^o 47359/89)

49767/89 Letter from same dated 20th December 1889 stating as regards the acceptance of the office of Deputy Registrar of Births, Deaths and Marriages for the District of Loughrea by the Schoolmistress that they concur with the Board of Guardians in their opinion that Miss Stanton should not have accepted

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accepted the office in question which might seriously interfere with the discharge of her own duties as Schoolmistress and they therefore request that she be at once called upon to resign the office of Deputy Registrar or that of Schoolmistress

The Board directed to call upon Miss Stanton to resign one of the two positions accordingly and that she be also supplied with a copy of the letter from The Local Government Board

Letter from The Commissioners of Valuation dated 16th December 1889 acknowledging the receipt of the list of Tenements in this Union the valuation of which requires revision

Letter from Mr Digby French dated 18th December 1889 stating as regards the Eviction of his late tenant Patrick Connolly of Rathcragrave referred to in Minutes of last meeting that he has been informed by his Solicitor that notice of the Eviction had been duly served on the Relieving officer of the Hillsgillien Electoral Division on the 1st November ultimo and that the fixing of the day and hours of the Eviction was the act of the Sheriff and that moreover Connolly previous to his Eviction had been offered a reasonable reduction in the Rent and Arrears due by him but he declined to accept same *Be reply to*

In reply to Mr French's letter the Clerk is directed to inform him that the Board have ascertained that the Relieving officer of the Hillsgillien Electoral Division had not been served with the required notice previous to the eviction of the man Patt Connolly, and also point out to him that by this omission he has rendered himself

himself liable to a penalty of £20 which sum the Board request he will forthwith pay over to their Treasurer The Manager National Bank Loughrea and thus avoid the expense of their enforcing recovery of same as authorized under the provisions of "The Evicted Poor Protection Act"

The case of the Man Connolly having been considered as appears on Relieving officer Keane's Application and Report Book and hearing the statement of his son who appeared to day for him

The Board directed that he receive the sum of 10^s weekly as Outdoor Relief for four weeks pursuant to Sec 5 of The Act 11 & 12 Vic Cap 47

Letter

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	40
Ditto disallowed,	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	1
The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was	3
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	1

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on
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(Signed),

Clerk of the Union.

Letter from The Secretaries Society Irish Conference on Railway and Canal Rates dated 18th December 1889 transmitting Copy proceedings of the Society in furtherance of the object and requesting the Co-operation and Subscriptions of this Board in aid of their Movement

No order

Petition from an Inmate named Patt W^c Donnell dated 21st December 1889 stating that having been lately admitted to Hospital as "pay-patient" he finds that being obliged to contribute to the maintenance of his two children outside it would be impossible for him out of his pension of £20 a Year from The Royal Irish Constabulary to refund the Board the Cost of his Maintenance in Hospital and praying that the Board would under those circumstances forego their claim against him

The Board upon inquiry being satisfied of the truth of his statement acceded to this Inmates request

Letter from The Medical officer dated 21st December 1889 intimating that getting unwell on the 14th Instant Dr P. G. O'Herrall discharged his duties at the Workhouse until Yesterday when he The Medical officer resumed his office altho not at all recovered

The Medical officer having recommended that each patient in Hospital get on Christmas Day New Year's Day and Twelfth Day the same allowance of Meat as on former Years

The Board agreed thereto for Christmas and New Year's Days - no such Extras having been allowed on the twelfth day As

As regards the Requisition from the Sisters in charge received at last meeting the following Minute was made thereon:—

"List has been shown to the Dr who stated that he was not acquainted by the Nuns as to these requirements"

Permission was granted to the Porter to absent himself on Christmas Day from the Workhouse after 3 o'clock P.M. the Master and Matron to discharge his duties. Cheques on account of their Poundage Fees granted to collectors Plower and Kennedy

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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting

held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount, £

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

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

Read letter from *The Local Government Board* dated 20th December 1889
~~stating that~~

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Sanctioning the increase of £25 a year to the salary of Dr Leonard Medical Officer of the Athenry Dispensary District as agreed to at their meeting of the 7th instant

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

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

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

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS AS THE RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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Letter from the Accountant Board of
Works dated 16th December 1889 stating that
the Loughrea Act Loan having been sanctioned
by the Treasury on condition that the Balance of
the Seed Loan should be discharged before the
end of this year the Commissioners must be imprec-
upon the Guardians the necessity of fulfilling
their engagements in this respect, and that when
this is done the question of granting an extension
of time for payment of the personal instalments
due the 1st of November last would be considered

The Board ordered a cheque for the Balance
due of the Seed Loan namely £48:3:5 and directed
the Clerk to request the Board of Works would not
present the cheque for payment until such time
as there shall be funds in Treasurers Hands to meet it

The Clerk reported

That Mr Parker furnished since
last meeting the Returns of the parties in the town of
Loughrea who are getting Water into their Houses from
the main or branch supply Pipes

The Board directed to require Mr Parkers
attendance at next meeting in reference to his
explanation this day submitted of the Charges preferred
by him against the Clerk - Consideration thereof
was accordingly postponed to the 28th Instant

W. Rogers

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the
28th day of December 1889

(Signed),

Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union

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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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(Signed) _____

Executive Sanitary Officer.

Loughrea

UNION.

Population in 1881-25257

Present Net Annual Value, £76245-

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of December 1889

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building on each date	TOTAL No. in each Building above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 2 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 6 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,			28	41	30	9	3	4	6	11	11	138	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward	51	In separate Wards		
Admitted during the Week,			32	3	4	1	2	1	-	1		44	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital		In Wards with other inmates		
TOTAL			55	44	34	10	5	5	6	12	11	182					
Discharged during the Week,			29	3	4	1	1	1		1		40					
Died,												1					
Total Discharged and Dead,			29	3	5	1	1	1		1		41					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			26	41	29	9	4	4	6	11	11	141					
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
													Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
													No. Relieved during Week	29	3	1	33
													No. in Workhouse at date	3	-	-	3
													No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of December 1889, 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	125					Dist. forward						
No. II.	40	47					No. X.						
No. III.	67	94					No. XI.						
No. IV.	32	55					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	218	321					TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 28th day of December 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:-

Major Rogers

Messrs Thomas Keary

and John Glynn

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 649 to No. 692 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. — to No. — inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

"I beg leave to report that collectors Cosgrave and Kennedy took up their new Warrants for collection on the 23rd Instant."

"Consequent upon the Christmas Holidays and other business intervening I was unable to have the returns of the Clothing and Provision Stock taken up from the late Master prepared for the Committee's report to day but will have them without fail by Saturday next."

Mr Michael Kennedy has not as yet perfected his Bond for the supply of Potatoes to the Workhouse tho repeatedly called on to do so

Order call on Mr Kennedy to perfect his Bond

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, — — — £ N/A:

Paid during the Week, — — — £ 64 : 0 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 99 : 19 : 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
H Cosgrave	Loughrea							1179	1	
	Kilconickny							102	7	
	Lackalea							69	11	
	Kilchreest							189		
	Castlboy							129	10	
	Aille							75	16	
	Mountain							58	4	
	Derrylaur							36	16	
								1840	5	
P Dooly	Athenry							460		
	Craughwell							199	12	
	Killogilken							177	17	
	Uoyode							89	15	
	Greethill							134	4	
	Graigabbey							78	2	
	Kilconerin							113	16	
	Kiltullagh							114	13	
	Boaford							70	18	
	Glounkeen							100	12	
	Colmansstown							35	18	
	Cappalusk							111	19	
J Kennedy	Kilwinor							93	12	
	Diaguin							64	15	
								1845	13	
	Ballynagar							178	16	
	Drumheary							176	6	
	Loughatorick							80	4	
	Marblehill							159	4	
	Woodford							208	8	
								802	18	
P Plower	Leitrim							93	1	7
	Bracklagh							168	10	6
	Kiltieskill							65	2	8
	Kilmeen							137	3	
	Bullapyn							69	19	
	Kilbrekeele							143	14	5
	Grange							167	5	4
J. H.								848	5	8
								5337	1	8

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

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

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

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

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

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

18 16 6 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 22:14:0

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was 2:11½

Average Cost in Infirmary, - 4:9

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, Hall 2:13

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:—

936 lbs White Bread	300y Tobacco
20½ " Butter	1 lb Biscuits
227 " Meat	3 Candles
607 Quarts Milk	
2½ cwt Oatmeal	
14 lbs Tea	
90 " Sugar	
5 Beef Heads	
5 Quarts Whiskey	
½ Barrel Porter	
14 lbs Cocoa	
163 Eggs	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21 day of December 1889 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - -	20	11	8
In kind, - - -			
Total, - - -	£		

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.	RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
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No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forward.					TOTAL.				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

Mr. Gully	Sweeps	✓	1	0	0
Mr. Lawley	Sins	✓		5	0
P. Egan	Postage	✓		11	6
Mr. Hinshon	Board	✓		8	0
William Ridge	Milk	✓	12	4	1
Michael Rehn	Salary	✓	7	10	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

Michael Connolly	"	✓	7	10	0
William Beirne	"	✓	7	10	0
Edward Lalar	"	✓	7	10	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

Master's Report

"That the Inmates partook of a plentiful Breakfast and Dinner on Christmas Day for which they feel truly grateful."

"Mary Kelly the late Fever Nurse still remains in the Pron Hospital. Order To be discharged on her giving up the clothing."

"As regards the Bedding therein he has consulted the Matron and she considers it would be advisable if a strong chest or Box was procured in which the Blankets Rugs and Sheets could be locked until again required as altho they may have been

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

"washed their removal back to the clothing store amongst the other articles might be attended with danger" Ordered A Box to be procured for this purpose

"The Several looking Utensils ordered at last meeting for his own use with price of each article annexed as also a pair of Women's Shoes supplied by the contractor and submitted for inspection."

The Board approved of same

Ordered A pair of Shoes each for Michael Quinn and Norah Burke

"The clothes of a deceased inmate named Palt W. Donnell to be given up to his Father

A Pass for a few hours to an inmate named Bridget Burke

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Letters from The Registrar General dated respectively 23rd and 27th December 1889 intimating that Miss Maria Stanton having ceased to hold the office of Deputy Registrar of Births Deaths and Marriages for the District of Loughrea Mr John Kelly Sub Sanitary officer has been appointed in her stead.

Letter from Miss Stanton dated 28th December 1889 apprizing the Board that she had resigned the foregoing office and stating that she would not have accepted the position at first had she known that it would have interfered with her own duties as Schoolmistress of this Workhouse.

No Order

Letter

Letter from Messrs Montford and Ward Solicitors dated 28th December 1889 stating as regards the eviction of the man Patt Connolly on the 28th Ultimo from his Holding in the townland of Rathcoogran that the Notice was duly served thro' the Post office "here upwards of 48 Hours previous to the Eviction" and we now have the Duplicate Notice with "the official Stamp of the date on which it was transmitted".

The Clerk having submitted a letter received by him from the Clerk of the Gort Union to the effect that it was one of the Relieving officers of the Union who had been served with the Notice of the Eviction in the foregoing Case was directed to write and request that the Notice of Eviction in question be transmitted him with particulars of the manner in which service had been effected and any steps taken thereon.

Relieving officer Connolly submitted Notice of Eviction served on him at the Suit of Charettan and Annie Maxwell v Martin Greene and Honor Braderick Kilsconieran Electoral Division.

Clothing materials consisting of Grey Calico Check Mens and Womens Slippers supplied by the Contractors laid before the Board and approved of.

Upon the application of the Medical Officer 2 Carving Knives and forks were ordered for Hospital use - Samples to be submitted at next meeting.

Permission was granted the Master to absent himself from the Workhouse from 3 o'clock P.M. to 9 o'clock P.M. on New Years Day. The Matron and Porter to discharge the duties in his absence.

Mf

Mr J. Ferrall tendered for the Supply
of Whole Flour Bread to the Workhouse up to the
29th November 1890 at 5^d p 4 lb Loaf

The Board deeming the price excessive
and no other person offering directed the Clerk to
again advertise and invite tenders for the 18th January
Prox

Consequent upon the lateness of the Hour
at which the Board assembled the Reading of the
Relieving Officers Books and Consideration of other
Matters had to be postponed to next meeting

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 conformed was -

Ditto disallowed, -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -

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

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Clerk of the Union.

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Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount, £

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

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

Read letter from *The Local Govt Board* dated *23 December 1889* stating that—

Requiring a Return of the Expenditure under the Medical Charities & Vaccination Acts for the Year ended 29th September last

The Medical Officer reported "That the Drugs applied for over a month ago for the Loughrea Dispensary have not yet arrived which has caused great inconvenience. Soon after the receipt of the requisition the Contractor sent him a post-card saying that the Drugs were sent to the Railway. The Railway rep to the present has sent no information about them. He almost thinks that the post-card was a smart piece of trade."

Order the Clerk to inquire at Railway Station and should he find that the Drugs have not arrived to write to the Contractor

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

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

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

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS AS THE RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

With reference to the explanation received from
The Supt of the Loughrea Water Works at last meeting

Mr Parker was called before the Board and the
Chairman drew his attention to the fact that the Clerk
did not at any time state to the Board that he had
lost the Return of the parties getting Water into their
Houses from the main or branch Supply pipes but he
Parker declined to either alter or qualify his written
Statement tho' repeatedly called on to do so and
the following minute was made thereon

"The Board is not satisfied with Mr Parker's
withdrawal of the charges against the Clerk and
have to reprimand him for having brought such
groundless charges"

Mr Parker was called before the Board
and reprimanded accordingly

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the

14th day of January 1889
(Signed) Patrick Magan
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

Saturday the 28th day of December 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Members:

A Labourer named Shady Kern
having applied for one of the Loughrea cottages
and offered as his Surety for payment of the
Rent thereof the name of Mrs Mary Duffy Loughrea

The Board postponed consideration of
his proposal to next meeting and directed the Clerk
to have an interview with Mrs Duffy in the mean
time as to whether she would guarantee payment
of the Rent of one of the cottages and Plot
attached namely 6/6 p month

W. Rogers

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

(Signed) _____

Executive Sanitary Officer.

Loughrea

UNION.

Population in 1881—
25,237

Present Net Annual Value, £76245

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of January 1890

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 2 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 6 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,			26	41	29	9	4	4	6	11	11	141	Under Medical treatment in Hospital 48	In separate Wards 11	
Admitted during the Week,			18	2								20	Under Medical treatment in Hospital 14	In separate Wards 11	
TOTAL,			44	43	31	9	4	4	6	11	11	161	Total 48	Total 11	
Discharged during the Week,			17	2								19			
Died,			2	1	1							4			
Total Discharged and Dead,			19	2	1	1						23			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			25	39	30	8	4	4	6	11	11	138			
No. at corresponding period last year															

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of January 1890, 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	127					Et. forward,						
No. II.	40	47					No. X.						
No. III.	66	92					No. XI.						
No. IV.	32	55					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward,	218	321					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 4th day of January 1890

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

Major Rogers

Messrs Timothy Forde,
Patrick Kennedy, Peter J. Kelly, John P. McCarthy,
Martin M. Egan, Stephen Roland, Edward Keen

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 694 to No. 714 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

I beg leave to report that the Veterinary Department Privy Council have lodged with the Treasurer to the credit of the Union the sum of £ 3:2:6 being for one Half the expenditure under The Cattle Disease Amendment Act for the month of October last

I sent Messenger on three different occasions to Mr M Kennedy since last meeting to attend and perfect his Bond for the supply of Potatoes to the Workhouse; but as yet he has failed to attend for that purpose

Order Inform Mr Kennedy that unless he perfect his Bond before next meeting no tender shall in future be accepted from him for the supply of any articles to this Workhouse

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,

£ 3 : 2 : 6

Paid during the Week, £ 62 : 11 : 3

And that the Balance on the Accounts of the Guardians was £ 159 : 8 : 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 Bodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
H Cosgrave	Loughrea							1179	1	
	Kilcomiskey							102	7	
	Lackalea							69	11	
	Kilchreest							189		
	Castleboy							129	10	
	Kille							75	16	
	Mountain							58	4	
P Dooly	Derrylaw							36	16	
								1840	5	
	Atterry							460		
	teraghwell							199	12	
	Killogillken							177	17	
	Uoyade							89	15	
	Greeshill							134	4	
	Graigabbey							78	2	
	Kilcomerton							113	16	
	Kiltullagh							114	13	
	Raford							70	18	
	Belookeen							100	12	
	Colmanstown							35	18	
	Cappalusk							111	19	
	Killinor							93	12	
J Kennedy	Liaguin							64	15	
								1845	13	
	Ballynagar							178	16	
	Drumkeary							176	6	
	Loughalright							80	4	
	Harblehill							159	4	
P Plower	Woodford							208	8	
								802	18	
	Leitrim							93	17	
	Bracklagh							168	10	6
	Kiltestill							65	2	8
	Kilmeen							137	3	
	Bullawn							69	19	
Total	Kilrekeel							143	14	5
	Grange							167	5	4
								848	58	
								5337	18	

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

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

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

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

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

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

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£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 25 : 11 : 7

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 3 : 6 ½

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4 : 7

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, Hall - - - - - : 2 : 8

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 lbs White Bread	123 Eggs
21¼ " Butter	32 oz Solaceo
223¾ " Meat	2½ lbs Candles
49 Stone Potatoes	112 " Soap
590 Quarts Sweet Milk	
13 lbs Tea	
82 " Sugar	
5 Beef Heads	
14 lbs Onions	
1 Quart Whiskey	
½ Barrel Porter	
14 lbs Cocoa	

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

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

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

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

In Money, - - - - -	£	s.	d.
	21	0	6
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.					By forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forward.					TOTAL.				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	1. Clothing Account.	£	s.	d.
M. Keam Out Door Relief		15	0	0
M. Connolly		10	0	0
M. Biersle		15	0	0
C. Lalor		10	0	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

Masters Report

That the Inmates partook of the same fare on New-Year's Day as on Christmas Day, with a moderate allowance of Beer on each occasion, for which they feel grateful and Thankful to the Board.

The Misses Dolphin of Dinefart presented a "Christmas - Tree" well furnished with Sweets and Toys, which was a great treat to the School Children; those Young Ladies accompanied by another Lady Friend attended on Thursday last and distributed the prizes amongst the Children which caused much joy and amusement; the adults in the Body of the House and the Sick in Hospital also partook of the liberality

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

of those kind good Ladies"

Proposed by Mr W. Carthy
Seconded by Mr Kennedy and unanimously

Resolved That the marked Thanks of this Board be tendered to the Misses Dolphin and their Lady Friend for their Kindness and attention to the School Children; the Sick and the adult Inmates of this Workhouse on the occasion referred to—

Ordered 7. Boards. 1 Piece Scamling. 1 Pair Hinges
1 Pad Lock. 1 Hasp Staple. 300 Nails. Glue & Sandpaper
one Pair Shoes for Martin Connors
Two Buckets for use of Milk Store

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

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

49663/89

Letter from The Local Government Board dated 31st December 1889 enclosing a Notice requiring the Guardians to determine whether this Union shall become Contributory under The National School Teachers Ireland Act for the ensuing year.

Order The Guardians refuse to become Contributory

50863/89

Letter from Same dated 3rd January 1890 referring to the out Door Relief ordered to an Evicted Tenant named Patt Connolly at the meeting of the 21st Ultimo and stating that they have been advised that exceptional out Door Relief under Sec 4 of the Act 11 & 12 Vic Cap 47 can only be afforded by the Guardians for one month from the date of Eviction.

With reference to the foregoing letter the Board desire to request the further opinion of The Local Government Board upon the important question raised by them. Assuming that the Relieving officer had been unable to ascertain particulars in a Case of Eviction in due time after such Eviction so as to justify him in exercising his provisional powers under Sec 4 of the Act 11 & 12 Vic Cap 47 and that a Week had elapsed before such temporary relief could be administered Are the Guardians bound to continue the relief for only three Weeks further so as to be in accordance with the views set forth in their letter namely that such relief should commence from the date of the Eviction but which appears to this Board to be at variance with the wording and meaning of the Section referred to namely that the Guardians are empowered to continue the relief for one Calendar month from the date of such temporary relief being afforded by the Relieving officer.

Letter from The Honary Secretaries Irish Industrial League dated 27th December 1889 enclosing Copies of Prospectus thereof as also a form to be filled up with names of those willing to join the League and on the District Committee and requesting the Co-operation of this Board in the movement.

A Resolution in connection with the foregoing subject was about being moved when the chairman drew attention to a long established rule of this Board not to consider questions which do not affect the legitimate business of a Board of Guardians.

The following document was thereupon handed in to the Notice that I will move on this day fortnight that in future it shall be competent for this Board to

To entertain all matters coming before them whether such shall be connected with the regular business of the Board or otherwise.

Dated 4th January 1890

Peter J Kelly

Letter from Vincent Griffiths Esq dated 30th December 1889 enclosing a form of particulars to be filled up respecting Bounty to be given by the Treasury in lieu of Rates upon Government property in this Union

The Return was laid before the Board and Signed

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 - 2

Ditto disallowed, - - - - -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 3

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 - 1

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered - 1

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

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

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

the

(Signed),

Clerk of the Union.

Letter from The Clerk of the Gort Union dated 2nd January 1890 transmitting the Notice of Eviction served upon one of the Relieving officers of his Union, in the Case of French & Connolly and observing that his Board took no action thereon as the Matter did not concern them

Proposed by Mr Roland Seconded by Mr Kelly and Resolved

That Mr Brady Solicitor Ballinasloe be instructed to take proceedings against Mr Digby French for the omission on his part in having Notice duly served upon the Relieving officer of the District previous to the eviction of this man Patti Connolly from his Holding at Rathcoogrove in the Killogeilleen Electoral Division of this Union

Letter from The Treasurer dated 4th January 1890 requesting a Cheque for £15:3:7 the Halfyears Interest due on the Building Loan up to the 31st ultimo and observing that as the Current Account is now overdrawn by a sum of £159:8:2 he trusts the Guardians will not further increase this debit balance

The Clerk was directed to wait on the Treasurer regarding the Interest on the Building Loan and to urge upon the Collectors to use greater exertions in collecting the new Rates so as to clear off the Balance against the Union at foot of the Treasurers Account

The Board fixed upon the following days for the Rate Collectors to attend the Clerk for the examination of their Accounts namely
Collector Cosgrave on each alternate Mondays
" Flower " Wednesdays
" Kennedy and Dooly " Thursdays

Relieving officer Beirne was directed to call upon a man named Michael Miland - whose wife and two children have been this day admitted to the Workhouse - either to come in himself or take out his family and that in default he would be prosecuted.

In consequence of the pressure of other business the reading of the report of the Visiting Committee and ruling of the Relieving Officers Books (except in a few cases of emergency) had to be postponed to next meeting.

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

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount, £

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

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

District,	-	-	£
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District,	-	-	£

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The Clerk reported "That in accordance with the directions of the Board at last meeting he called at the Railway office on Monday last and ascertained that the two Hampers of Medicines for the Loughrea Dispensary were received in due course after receipt by the Medical officer of the Post Card from the Contractors and they were sent over to the Dispensary the day after Tuesday. The Railway Agent explained that owing to the pressure of business he omitted to forward the usual "Advice Note" to the Doctor and regretted that any inconvenience would have arisen from his omission."

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

Read letter from The Local Government Board dated 3 January 1890 stating that

Referring to the Medical officers report regarding the non delivery of the Medicines to the Loughrea Dispensary and requesting that the Guardians Call on the Contractor to furnish an explanation of his delay in forwarding the Medicines in question

With reference to the foregoing The Board beg to draw the attention of The Local Government Board to the Clerk's report read this day showing that the fault of the non delivery of the Medicines was owing to the neglect of the Railway Agent and not to any delay on the part of the Contractors

The Board at the same time desire to state that in any future delay in the transmission of Medicines the Medical officer should at once call the Guardians attention to such neglect

The Board directed that the attention of the Landlord of the Kilehrest Dispensary be drawn to the unsatisfactory condition of the Roof of this House and to request that same be put into tenable repair without delay

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

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

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

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS AS THE RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

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:

The clerk reported That he had an interview with Mrs Duffy last evening relative to the cottage and Plot required by the Labourer Thady Kean at Coscorrigh Loughrea She expressed her willingness to become security for him for the due payment of the Rent thereof

ade Postponed

W. Rogers

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the _____ day of January 1890

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

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

(Signed) _____

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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UNION.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £

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

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirmed persons, and adult 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 5 years of age		Children under 2 years of age		Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Children under 2 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	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,	25	39	30	8	4	4	6	11	11	138	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward,	50	In separate Wards	1		
Admitted during the Week,	43	3	4	1	-	-	-	2	2	55	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-	In Wards with other inmates,	12		
TOTAL,	68	42	34	9	4	4	6	13	13	193	Total, 50	Total, 12				
Discharged during the Week,	40	2	3	.	.	.	.	1	1	47	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.					
Died, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL		
Total Discharged and Dead,	40	2	3	.	.	.	.	1	1	47	No. Relieved during Week	44	2	2	48	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	28	40	31	9	4	4	6	12	12	146	No. in Work-house at date	8	.	.	8	
No. at corresponding period last year																

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of January 1890 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 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 19 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			79	126	Dist. forward,						
No. II.	40	47			40	47	No. X.						
No. III.	69	103			69	103	No. XI.						
No. IV.	32	54			32	54	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forw'd.,	220	330			220	330	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 11th day of January 1890

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

Major Rogers

Messrs Peter J Kelly and

John P McCarthy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

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, - - - £ 100: 17: -

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ 15: -: -

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 73: 11: 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s	d.	£	s	d.	£	s	d.
H Cosgrave	Loughrea							1179	1	
	Kilconickny							102	7	
	Lackalea							69	11	
	Kilcreest							189		
	Castleboy							129	10	
	Kilft							75	16	
	Mountain							58	4	
	Derrylaur							36	16	
								1840	5	
P Dooly	Athenry				93	8	4			
	Cratichewell									
	Killogilldon									
	Moyade									
	Greethill									
	Grangabney									
	Kilconneran									
	Kiltullagh									
	Raford									
	Kiloonkeen									
J Kennedy	Ballynagar	1	14	7				177	1	5
	Drumheary	4	16	9				171	9	5
	Loughatrick							80	4	
	Marblehill							158	6	8
	Woodford							208	8	
P Plower	Leitrim				7	8	8	795	9	4
	Bracklagh							93	1	7
	Killeeshill							168	10	6
	Kilmeen							65	2	8
	Bullawn							137	3	
	Kilrekeel							69	19	
	Grange							143	14	5
								167	5	4
								848	5	8
Total								100	17	0
								5236	9	8

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

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

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

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

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

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

20 11 7 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 24:14:3

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 3:6

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4:6½

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 2:7½

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:—

976 lbs White Bread	116 Eggs
23¼ " Butter	32 oz Tobacco
104 " Meat	1½ lbs Arrow Root
33 Stone Potatoes	2½ " Candles
614 Quarts Sweet Milk	1 " Starch
13 lbs Tea	¼ " Blue
92 " Sugar	41 Gallons Paraffine Oil
6 Beef Heads	
1 Stone Onions	
2 Quarts Whisky	
1 Doz Porter	
28 lbs Cocoa	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of January 1890 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - -	22	2	0
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.					By forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forward.					TOTAL.				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
1. Clothing Account.				
National Bank	Interest	r	15	3 7
Susan Fahy	Pension	r	7	10 0
John Kelly	Salary	r	2	10 0
James Glynn	Tea	r	7	19 4
John Glynn	Milk	r	7	4 3
James McBarthy	Soap	r	5	4 1

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

		£	s.	d.
2. Establishment of Sphs.				
Hester Finnegan		r		9 6
Martin Hansheer	Carpenter	r	15	0
Joseph Barrett	Lettering	r	7	6
E. Kevin	Car Hire	r	12	0
William Fahy	Expenses	r		5 0
Patt Flanagan	Caretaker	r	1	0 0
John Horde	Registration Fees	r	2	7 11

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

"The Fever Hospital was opened on yesterday for the reception of a Patient and he placed Harry Kelly the former in charge"

"A Lunatic named John Kenny was admitted provisionally to the Workhouse by Relieving Officer Byrne on the 3rd Instant he was transferred to the Ballinasloe Asylum on the 7th Instant Care Hire 12^s and expenses to Porter who went with him 5^s."

Four Pair Men's Shoes supplied by the Contractor are submitted for inspection

(Approved of

Ordered 2 Pair Shoes for James White and Patt Whelan
 $\frac{1}{2}$ Gross Boot Laces for School Children

A Suit of clothes for an Inmate named Winnie Hynes about to leave the House

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

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

N^o 12/90
Circular from The Local Government Board dated 6th January 1890 transmitting Statistics of Receipts and Expenditure of the several Poor Law Unions for the year ended 29th September last

127 Inf 89
Circular from same dated 7th January 1890 requiring a Return of the Rates agreed to or signed for the past quarter

774/90
Letter from same dated 10th January 1890 referring to the Case of the Evicted Tenant Patrick Connolly and enclosing Copy of their Circular of the 14th December 1881 showing that in Cases where relief is granted in the first instance by the Board of Guardians and no temporary relief given by the Relieving officer the period during which the Guardians have power to afford exceptional outdoor Relief under

under the Act is one Calendar month from the day of eviction that being the day on which temporary relief might legally have been given by the Relieving officer.

With reference to the foregoing

The Board have to request the further opinion of The Local Government Board upon the following points

1. Whether the Relieving officer is empowered to afford temporary relief in a Case of Eviction where application for relief has not been made to him for a period of a week or ten days after such Eviction has taken place As Sec 4 of the Act 11 & 12 Vic Cap 47 does not lay down when such application should be made by the party evicted

2. As regards the Case of the evicted Tenant Connolly to whom relief had been ordered by the Board for 14 Weeks and who was not temporarily relieved for ten days after his Eviction, the Relieving officer being unable to obtain the necessary information as to destitution. The Board wish to be informed when the relief so given by the Board is to date from

Letter from Mr Matthew J Brady Solicitor dated 9th January 1890 acknowledging the receipt of copy of the Boards instructions and documents connected with the Case of "The Guardians v French" and observing that he will take the necessary proceedings which must be commenced in the Superior Courts, and as the question is a narrow one owing to the wrong person having received the notice of Eviction he will give the Writ to Counsel to settle with fee, so as to avoid any possibility of not succeeding by acting on his advice
(No order)

A piece of Woollen Tweed Supplied by the Contractor Mr J McGinn, Table Cloths Towels and sample of sheeting required for Masters own use and Carving Knives and forks ordered for Hospital were laid before the Board and quality and prices ~~then~~ approved of

The Board direct that a copy of Relieving officer Birnes report upon the case of an applicant named Martin Smith whom he had visited in the Kilreehle Division and to whom he declined to afford relief not deeming him destitute be forwarded to Dr. Geraghty Medical officer of the District for an explanation as to the circumstances under which he recommended out door Relief to the extent of 5/6 weekly to this man.

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 - 105

Ditto disallowed, -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 6

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - 4

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

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered -

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 18th day of January 1890

(Signed), Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Guardians

Report of Working Committee
4th January 1890

Your Committee have to report that they attended at the Workhouse on Wednesday the 18th Ult^o, when the Stock of Provisions and Clothing was taken up from Mr. M. Hanna and given in charge of the present Master.

On comparison of quantities on hands, with the Returns shown in the Provision Check, it appears that while there is a deficit of about 50 lb Indian Meal, there is a corresponding increase in the Potmeal as well as one Gwt Whole Flour of a Surplus. In other items there is a small increase in some, and a trifling deficit in others, but in the principal articles of Consumption, namely, Bread, Meat and Milk the quantities correspond with the Provision Check Account.

The Coal could only be estimated, but your Committee expect that if there is ~~no~~ ~~increase~~ at the end of the year, there cannot be any deficit, as there was a Surplus of Coal in Store at the time the year's Supply was first taken in.

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The Stock of Clothing, having been taken on the 25th October last, and the condemned articles struck off the Books, the labour of your Committee was not so heavy as on previous occasions.

The quantities ascertained to be in use and in Store, correspond with "The Clothing Receipt Book" in all the principal articles. The Bedding is quite correct, and a few trifling discrepancies appear only in the smaller articles.

There was little or no material on the Books. None of the new Clothing having been on the day your Committee met. taken into "H. K." or measured from the Contractors.

Your Committee recommend that no new Articles of Clothing - men's or Boys' be made up, until such time as the Serviceable Stock at present in the Master's Store shall have been worn out and used. They consider it would be advisable to have some of the ^{old} Coats and vests new lined with Calico and to take off the old lining which

which is filthy and unpresentable

Your Committee learn, that one of the Inmates is a practical Sailor, and by allowing him a little Extra Rations, when working, his Services might be availed of to line or repair any of the Men's or Boys' Clothing requiring the like.

Your Committee recommend, that a temporary Shelf be provided in the Master's Store on which the Articles not in use could be placed, as they cannot but get injured, by lying heaped on the Floor heaped and also that all the Flannel-Dresses and Sackets - worn by the men be regularly washed, and kept clean while in use, and not placed in Store until the necessary matter is first attended to.

Your Committee also recommend that a gallon and a pint measure be procured and that the Milk daily received from the Contractors be

he carefully measured in future; also
that the large Scales in the yard be
repaired and regulated, and a Standing
Beam with Scoop at one end and a
new Set of Weights from 2 lbs to 4 oz down
be provided for the Master's Revision Scale

The Several Wards and
Sleeping Apartments were in a clean and
orderly State except that in the case
of the Boys Dormitory, some of the Beds
appeared Soiled and Wet; and your
Committee consider that if one of the Male adults
was placed to Sleep in this Ward and directed to call
up these Boys at regular intervals during the night
it might break them off this filthy habit

Your Committee also recommend that the
Male inmates of Chap 3 (Infirmary) get their meals
in future in the Ward adjoining their Sleeping
Apartment, as the Dining Hall is cold and
uncomfortable for those poor people all old and
feeble

Signed
William Rogers
Timothy Wade
Peter McKeeney

Order Adopted and several Suggestions of
Committee to be carried out - Counter Machine
with Scoop at end and Set of Weights to be
procured from Messrs. Gatchell & Son Dublin

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. }

Loughrea

UNION.

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

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount, £

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

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

Read letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

*The Considerations of the Minutes of
proceedings of the Bullaun Dispensary Committee
was postponed to next meeting as was also
of the Medical Officers Report (Form P) from
Woodford District*

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

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

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

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS AS THE RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

The Board directed that Mr. M. Flynn be applied to for repayment of the amount expended by them as the Rural Sanitary Authority in the construction of a sewer for certain premises in Main Street Loughrea and for which he acts as Agent to the Owner

The consideration of two Sanitary Reports was postponed to next meeting

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 10 day of January 1890

(Signed) Patrick Logan
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

Saturday the 11 day of January 1890

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Members:

The clerk was directed to make application thro the Local Government Board for the 3rd final instalments of the Loans sanctioned for the cottages in Athenry and Loughrea Electoral Divisions

W. O'Neil

NOTES

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

(Signed) _____

Executive Sanitary Officer.

Loughrea

UNION.

Population in 1881 25237Present Net Annual Value, £ 76245STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11 day of January 1890

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls, above 11 and under 15 years of age		Children above 9 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,			28	40	31	9	4	4	6	12	12	146	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward } 54	In separate Wards } 1
Admitted during the Week,			40	7	3	2	-	-	1	3	1	57	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 1	In Ward with other inmates, } 2
TOTAL,			68	47	34	11	4	4	7	15	13	203	Total, 53	Total, 3
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.														
			Males		Females		Children under 15		TOTAL					
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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 768 to No. 873 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

That collector Dooley failed to attend for the examination of his Accounts for the past fortnight.

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

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

Paid during the Week, £ 40 : 3 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 73 : 9 : 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Pats and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
F Cosgrave	Loughrea	40	3	0				1138	18	
	Kilconickny							102	7	
	Lackalea							69	11	
	Kilchreest							189		
	Castleboy							129	10	
	Kille							75	16	
	Mountain							58	4	
	Derrylaur							36	16	
					40	3		1800	2	
P Dooley	Athenry							306	11	8
	Craughwell							199	12	
	Killogilleen							177	17	
	Moynade							89	15	
	Greeshill							134	4	
	Graigabbey							78	2	
	Kilconickin							113	16	
	Kiltullagh							114	13	
	Raford							70	18	
	Kiloonkeen							100	12	
	Cobnamstown							35	18	
	Cappalusk							111	19	
J Kennedy	Killinor							93	12	
	Diaguin							64	15	
								1732	4	8
	Ballynagar							177	1	5
P Plower	Drumheary							171	9	3
	Loughatoyich							80	4	
	Harbichill							158	6	8
	Woodford							208	8	
								795	9	4
P Plower	Leitrim							93	1	7
	Bracklagh							168	10	6
	Killehill							65	2	8
	Kilmeen							137	3	
	Bullawn							69	19	
	Kilrekeel							143	14	5
	Grange							167	5	4
								848	5	8
					40	3		5196	6	8

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

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

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

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

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

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

18 4 7 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 21 : 8 : 3

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 2 : 8 3/4

Average Cost in Infirmary, - : 3 : 10 1/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, Hall - : 2 : 0 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:—

912 lbs White Bread	88 lbs Sugar
21 " Butter	1 Quart Whisky
119 1/2 " Meat	1 Doz Porter
184 Stone Potatoes	14 lbs Cocoa
2 1/2 cwt Oatmeal	130 Eggs
2 1/2 " Indian Meal	32 " by Tobacco
1 " Salt	1/2 lb Biscuits
6 Beef Heads	3 1/2 Boxes Surf
14 lbs Onions	2 1/2 lbs Candles
2 " Bread Soda	28 " Washing Soda
653 Quarts Sweet Milk	
13 lbs Tea	

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 11th day of January 1890 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

£ s. d.
In Money, - - - - 23 18 4

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.				St. Forward			
No. II.				No. X.			
No. III.				No. XI.			
No. IV.				No. XII.			
No. V.				No. XIII.			
No. VI.				No. XIV.			
No. VII.				No. XV.			
No. VIII.				No. XVI.			
No. IX.				No. XVII.			
Car. fwd.				TOTAL			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
1. Clothing Account.			
Michael Keen Out Door Relief	£	15	0 0
Michael Connolly "	£	10	0 0
William Peirne	£	15	0 0

James Gunter Straw	£	12	9
Robinson & Sons Lactometer	£	4	6

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

2. Establishment Account.

Railway Company Carriage	£	2	7
Dr O'Herrall Fee	£	1	1 0
Michael Larkin Caretaker	£	1	0 0
John Maher Surf	£	1	9 2

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

That a pair mens shoes and a pair Womens shoes supplied by the contractor are submitted for inspection
Order Shoes are quite equal to sample and are accepted

Ordered 4 Pieces Scantling 100 Nails, 2 lbs Coat Nails
1 1/2 Doz Screws 4 White Wash Brushes
1 Sweeping Brush, 2 Zinc Buckets
1 set Scale chains, 1 set Draft chains
1 Hall Lamp, 3 Spades, 2 Shovels
1 Ton Oten Straw, A Pass for one day to
Patt Grady

For Hospital
2 Sweeping Brushes and 2 Zinc Basins

Kriene and Linsey Woolsey supplied by the contractor
approved of Average degrees of cream
for current week
Pinnerty 6 7/7 Flynn 6 7/7 Ridge 8 7/7

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

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

2 Mfgo. *His* Circulars from The Local Government Board dated 14th January 1890 drawing the attention of the Clerk to his duties as Returning Officer.

Letter from The Secretary Irish Land Commissioners dated 16th January 1890 transmitting Schedules of Temporary Adjustments of Judicial Rents throughout Ireland and requesting that same be kept open for public inspection in the Board Room

The Clerk was directed to attend to the foregoing

Letter

Letter from Mr D Thirion Dalgan Tuam dated 17th January 1890 complaining of Mr Dooly's neglect to forward him a Receipt for Rates paid him on the 18th November last although he has frequently applied to this Collector to send the Receipt but without effect

Order Call on Mr Dooly for an explanation

Letter from Dr Geraghty dated 17th January 1890 stating as regards the Case of the Dispensary patient Martin Smyth that this man appeared to him to be in a dangerous state of health he could not lie down in Bed because it brought on suffocation that he understood from Smyth that he was unable to provide the necessary nourishment and that he considers his illness if it does not terminate fatally will be considerably prolonged by depriving him of what he (the Doctor) deems absolutely necessary to restore him to health

Order The Board consider that in future the Doctor ought to make fuller inquiries as to the means of the patient before ordering relief and to consult the Relieving Officer who is bound to inquire into the circumstances of persons applying for relief

(Relieving Officer Beirne was directed to again visit this man and to exercise his provisional powers of relief if he deems it a case of sudden and urgent necessity)

Letter from Mr McKeller dated 18th January 1890 stating that he has completed his Contract for effecting certain repairs to Roofs & as entered into by him on the 26th October last and requesting a Cheque for the Balance (£4) due him

Order Referred to Visiting Committee

The Board accepted the tender of Mr John Herrall for the supply of Whole flour Bread to the Workhouse from this date up to the 29th November viz at the rate of 4³/₄ p 4 lbs Loaf

The Board having referred to the financial Condition of the Union

Ordered Write to the several Collectors and state that this Board must regard their Collections of the new Rate as most unsatisfactory and also warn them that unless they exert themselves and comply with the terms of their Bonds the Board will take the necessary steps to compel them to do so

Pursuant

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 - 39

Ditto disallowed, - - - - - 7

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

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - - - - - 3

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 - - - - - 1

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 25th day of January 1890

(Signed), Peter M Egan
Clerk of the Union.

Pursuant to notice Mr Peter J Kelly proposed and Mr M Egan seconded. - The adoption of his Motion handed in at the Meeting of the 4th Inst. Amendment moved by Mr M H Burke seconded by Mr P Kelly That this resolution as tending to introduce matters foreign to the legitimate business of the Board of Guardians be rejected. A Poll being taken there voted for the Amendment 4 Against 9 The resolution was then put and declared Carried without a division

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held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,*
Other Guardians:

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

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

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