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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 2/

Ditto disallowed, - - - - - - - - =

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

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

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - 11/4

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 - - 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 Friday *the* 30th

day of October 18 91.

(Signed), Benj Hopkins

Clerk of the Union

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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 23rd day of October 1891

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.
II. Public Health Acts.

Present—*In the Chair*, William Spears Esq
Other Guardians:
Messrs. Edward Byrne
Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

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:—

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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 _____ 18 , *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* _____ 18 .

_____ *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 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*).

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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

Report (Form H) was read from D. Symes to certify that he successfully vaccinated 26 persons in the Hacketstown Hollkenno Dispensary District between the dates the 30th June and 30th September 91.

[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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A Memorial was read received from the Ratepayers of Clonegall for a supply of Water to the Village. the consideration of which was deferred till this day week

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(Signed), Benj Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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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 Friday the 23rd day of October 1891

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* William Spears Esq

Other Members: Messrs. Edward Byrne, J. Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

A letter received from Mr. James Carthy Ballydurff. was marked read by the Chairman relative to having allotment to Labourers Cottage at Carnarea re-measured by the Engineer.

The Clerk reported that Messrs. Goss and Doyle the Contractors for the erection of houses in Clonmore and Clonegall Electoral Divisions, had failed to attend with their Sureties to execute their Bonds for the performance of their Contracts, when the Board agreed as follows:—

"That Messrs. Goss and Doyle be requested to attend at the Board Room on the 28th Instant and execute their Bonds, otherwise this Board will consider the propriety of cancelling their Contracts."

The Board directed that Wm Moody, Rent Collector get possession of Labourers Cottage at Raheen lately held by Widow Byrne deceased and authorized him to put Pat Byrne in as Caretaker, until agreement is signed. Mr Moody was also directed to take up possession of the Cottage at Coolmaragh lately held

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held by James Kelly deceased.

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Edward Byrne Chairman

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(Signed) Benj Hopkins

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of October 1891

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
Workhouse	88	142
Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	1
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	93	143

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	14	27	45	24	5	5	3	11	2	139
Admitted during the Week,	14	4	2					1		24
TOTAL,	28	31	47	24	5	5	3	12	2	163
Discharged during the Week,	14	5	1							20
Died,										
Total Discharged and Dead,	14	5	1							20
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	14	29	46	24	5	5	3	12	2	143

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	5	In separate Wards	12
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates,	"
Total,	54	Total,	12

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	15	6	1	22
No. in Workhouse at date	2	"	"	2

No. at corresponding period last year 162

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of October 1891, 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	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	69	136				
No. II.	25	40				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
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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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 30th day of October 1891.

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Edward Byrne Esq J.P. D.L.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Robert Carey, Patrick Byrne, Edward Byrne, Joseph Hopkins & Abraham D. Lynes

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4890 *to No.* 4914 *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, - - £ : :

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ : :

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ : :

The Treasurer's A/c was not received this week

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.

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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 14 *s.* 15 *d.* 5

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	24	8	11
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was		2	10
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - -		4	3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -		4	10

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:—

25 7. 4 lb Loaves Bread
26 lbs Butter
111 " Beef
100 " Mutton
20 " Bacon
22 Gallons Buttermilk
142 " Sweetmilk
2 Pieces Calico
2 Pieces Calico
16,000 Shoe Nails

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24 *day of* Oct *18* 91 *whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - -	9	18	0
In kind, - - - -			
Total, - -	£ 9	18	0

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

			£	s.	d.
4	Benjamin Hopkins	Salary Cattle Plague 2	-	-	
"	John Allen	Poundage fees	19	3	
"	A. H. Jacot	adv.d med Ch. Rathdrum	15	-	

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
3	Eliza Mc. Guirk Meat	14	15	6

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 Relieving Officer, Mr. O'Toole, applied for leave of absence on Friday next and mentioned Mr. Dowyer, master, and Mr. Ellis to do his duty which the Board approved of.

The Board agreed to appoint Messrs. A. D. Lynes, Patrick Byrne & Joseph Hopkins as a Committee to receive samples of Articles on the 12th proximo in accordance with the advertisement for yearly supplies (two to form a quorum)

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

The Master reports that the Chimney of the Infirmary Nurse's room smokes very much. I believe if a small registered Grate were put in it, it would most probably cure it.

Got the breach in the Lane Wall built up during the week.

The Board authorised the Master to have a Registered grate put in the Nurse's room.

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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) :—

No 130 - M/91 - Miscellaneous — 26th October 1891

Read circular letter from the local Gov. Board for Ireland requesting to be furnished with returns showing the receipts and expenditure of this Union and the number of persons who received out-door Relief during the year ended the 29th of September last.

No. 45,469 — 29th October 1891

Letter read from same stating they have received the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of this Union on the 23rd instant containing an inquiry respecting the payment of results fees to Miss Sarah A. Bolger Schoolmistress of the Workhouse, and in reply the Board desire to state that it would have been open to the Guardians under section 12 of the National School Teachers (Ireland) act. 1875, to have voted a sum to Miss Bolger out of the Rates, by way of results fees to an extent not exceeding the amount certified by the Commissioners of

National Education.

The Local Government Board, if the Guardians desire it, will be prepared to ask the Commissioners of National Education to furnish a certificate of the amount to which this Teacher would be entitled in respect of the last examination if the School was an ordinary National School and the Union contributory, and the Guardians on receiving such certificate can then take into consideration the question of voting a sum to Miss Bolger under the provisions of the act above referred to.

Proposed by Mr. D. Byrne seconded by Mr. J. Byrne and passed unanimously as follows:-

That the Clerk ask the Local Government Board the amount of results fees the Female Teacher would be entitled to if the Board of Guardians are willing to pay them out of the Rates.

The following letter was read from the Treasurer of "Your Union a/c is overdrawn £54. 2. 5 should the Guardians require an overdraft pending the collection of new Rates I shall be glad to be informed that I may obtain the sanction of the Directors to same."

The Clerk was directed to apply to the Treasurer for an overdraft of £500. pending the collection of Rates.

The Clerk applied for four weeks leave of absence owing to ill health and presented a Medical certificate from Dr. Little of Stephens Green, Dublin, relative to same, as follows:—

"Dec. 23rd '90

"14 Stephens Green, Dublin

"I have this day carefully examined Mr. Benj. Hopkins. "He suffers from attacks of indigestion which have "seriously impaired his capacity for work and unfit "him for the discharge of his duties.

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"He also needs more exercise in the open air "than his duties permit and in my opinion "this exercise is essential to his health during "the rest of his life."

"James Little"

The Guardians unanimously agreed to grant the Clerk, on account of ill health, four weeks leave of absence from this date, and also authorised his son, John Hopkins, to perform his duties during his absence.

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 - 24

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

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

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

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - 114

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 Friday *the* 6th

day of November 1891

(Signed) Benj Hopkins

Clerk of the Union

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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 30th day of October 1871

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.
II. Public Health Acts.

Present—*In the Chair,* Edward Byrne Esq^r D.L.

Other Guardians:

Mess^rs. Robert Carey, Patrick Byrne, Edward Byrne, Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes

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:—*

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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:—*

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_____ *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 _____ 18 , *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* _____ 18 .

_____ *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*).

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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*

[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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The Maps, Plans & Specifications for the Carnew Water supply, as amended by Mr. Greaves Engineer, were received by the Clerk and transmitted to the office of the Local Government Board.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the 6th day of November 1891.

(Signed), Bey Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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Shillelagh 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 Friday the 30th day of October 1891.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, Edward Byrne Esq J.P. D.L.C.

Other Members:

Messrs. Robert Carey, Patrick Byrne, Edward Byrne, Joseph Hopkins & Abraham D. Lynes

The contractor named Thomas Doyle to erect two Cottages in the Electoral Division of Clonegall applied to the Board before executing his Bond for an extension of time from 3 months, till the 1st May next to carry out his Contract owing to the season being now so far advanced.

The Guardians unanimously adopted the following resolution viz:—

"That Thomas Doyle, Contractor, be allowed till the 1st day of May next to complete his Contract for the erection of two Cottages in Clonegall Division; and also request his attendance at the Board Room on Tuesday next with his Sureties to execute his Bond for same".

With reference to the subject of Mr Brown's letter of the 19th ultimo to state he cannot get the engrossed Leases, of all plots in which Rent was fixed by the Land Commission, from Mr Berry the same having been sent to him for Mapping, the Guardians agreed as follows:—

"That the Clerk write to inform Mr Brown the Guardians

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Guardians desire to have the Leases mentioned re-engrossed (and all remaining Leases) and be transmitted by him to Mr. Ramsay Architect for Mapping as soon as possible at the rate of £1-1-0 per Lease (in duplicate) as heretofore specified on Minutes."

Sam'l. Burke
Chairman

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Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 6th day of November 1891

(Signed) Benj Hopkins

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of October 1891

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Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	1
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	131	133

	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 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	14	29	46	27	5	5	3	12	2	143
Admitted during the Week,	11	4	2		1					18
TOTAL,	25	33	48	27	6	5	3	12	2	161
Discharged during the Week,	13	6	3		1		1	1		25
Died,				1						1
Total Discharged and Dead,	13	6	3	1	1		1	1		26
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	12	27	45	26	5	5	2	11	2	135

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		
Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 54	In separate Wards 12	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 1	In Wards with other Inmates, "	
Total, 55	Total. 12	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	10	3	"	13
No. in Workhouse at date	"	"	"	"

No. at corresponding period last year 164

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of October 1891, 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	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	69	136				
No. II.	25	70				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.,						

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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 6th day of November 1891.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq D.L. J.P.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Edward Byrne D.L., Ralph Lawrenson, Edward Grange, Edward Byrne, Joseph Hopkins, Abraham D. Symes and John O Sullivan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4911 *to No.* 4925 *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 a/c was not received this week

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

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ : :

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ : :

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.

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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 19 *s.* 1 *d.* 3

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	24	4	4
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was		2	10
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - -		4	3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -		4	10

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:—

363 4 lb Loaves Bread
36 lbs Butter
100 " Beef
95 " Mutton
22 Gallons ButtermilK
140 " SweetmilK

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 31 day of Oct *18* 91 *whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - -	9	17	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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

			£	s.	d.
5	Board of Public Works	Repayment Loan Int. & Sk.	39	12	.
6	same	" Mitchelstown	25	18	2
7	Dr T. F. Brady	Registration Fees	2	.	.
8	Dr John Webster	"	1	19	.
9	Edwd Darcy	Swine Slaughtered	4	15	.
10	William Murphy	Repairs Boiler		16	.
"	Peter Shea	Horse work	2	2	6

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

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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 Matron Mrs Corrigan applied for and was allowed one days leave of absence the Master to perform her duties.

An applicant named Anne Martin was granted Out Door Relief at rate of 2/6 per week also Michael Martin 2/- per week Chargeable to Tinahely Electoral Division.

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

The Services of a Mason are required for 1 day to build up the little walls at the Coal cellars which were injured by the cars putting in the supply of coal.

Ordered – A Mason to be employed by the Master.

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

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

The Clerk was directed to write to George Matthews Contractor and request him to have the Closets repaired, and in the Workhouse by this day week.

The Clerk was also directed to write to Thomas Dowse Contractor and inform him that the Visiting Committee will on this day fortnight inspect the Workhouse premises and expect him to have completed all repairs, and to be present on that day to receive any orders from the Committee.

The Clerk submitted Bond, for due collection of Poor Rates, duly executed by Wm Moody, Rate Collector and Sureties.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 11

Ditto disallowed, - - - - - - - - - 4

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - 4

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

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - 114

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - - 4

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered - - - 4

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 Friday *the* 13th *day of* November 18 91

(Signed), John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union (Pro Tem.)

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. } Shillelagh UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 6th day of November 18 91

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,* Frank R Brooke Esq JP

Other Guardians:

Messrs Edward Byrne JP
Ralph Laurenson Edward Granger Edward Byrne
Joseph Hopkins Abraham D. Lynam & John O'Sullivan

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:—

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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) :—

Inahely Y.C. *Dispensary District.*

8 *Account of Mr.* D. John Bolster *for* Jacc. Fees : *Amount, £* 8.18.0

[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 _____ 18 , *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* _____ 18 .

_____ *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).*

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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*) :—

No. 44214 *Read letter from* the Local Government Board for Ireland *dated* 31st October 91 *stating that*

they have received a communication from the Committee of Management of the Hacketstown and Coolkenno Dispensary District, from which it appears they have appointed Dr. John Domonde as Medical Officer for that District and the Board approve of the appointment at a Salary of £120 per annum with £15 per annum as Medical Officer of Health.

An application from Dr. Brady, Medical Officer of Coollattin & Clonegall Dispensary District, was laid before the Board together with a recommendation from the Committee for an "Asperator" also a Bag to carry his Instruments, which the Board directed to be ordered; the Bag not to exceed 15/-.

[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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No. 46,101 5th November 1891

Read letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland to state they have had before them the Clerks letter of the 30th Ultimo, relating to the application of the Shillelagh Union Rural Sanitary Authority for Sanction to a loan of £1,000 for the purpose of providing a supply of water to Tamnew and the Board desire to express their sanction to the loan in question, in pursuance of section 234 of the Public Health (Ireland) act 1878, repayment to be spread over a period of thirty years and the loan to be issued in two Instalments of £750 and £250.

Application should now be made to the Commissioners of Public Works for the loan with a view to its recommendation under section 246 of the Public Health Act, but no expenditure should be incurred in anticipation of receiving the loan, until the Sanitary Authority learn that its issue has been authorised by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

The Plans, Specification and Estimate are returned herewith and the Board request that they may be furnished with certified copies thereof for deposit in this Office, with as little delay as possible.

The Board directed that the Clerk forward Copy of the foregoing letter to Mr Reeves, Engineer, and ask him to prepare Copies of the Plans, Specification, etc as desired by the Local Government Board.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 13th day of November 1891

(Signed), John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union. (Pro Tem)

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Shillelagh 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 Friday the 6th day of November 1891

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Frank Brooke Esq J.P. & C.

Other Members:

Messrs Edward Byrne J.P., Ralph Lawrenson Edward Grange, Edward Byrne, Joseph Hopkins, Abraham Symes and John O'Sullivan.

William Moody, Rent Collector, reported, in compliance with the direction of the Board, that he had taken up possession of the Labourers Cottages at Raheen and Coolmanagh, and had allowed Patrick Byrne and John Kelly in as Caretakers.

The Contracts and Bonds with James Goss and Thomas Doyle, Contractors, being duly perfected, were laid before the Board and directed to be transmitted to Mr Brown, Solicitor, for stamping.

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Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 13th day of November 1891

(Signed) John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer. (Pro. Tem.)

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of November 1891

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
Workhouse	88	134
Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	1
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	93	138

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children, above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	12	24	45	26	5	5	2	11	2	132
Admitted during the Week,	12	3	2	2				1		20
TOTAL,	24	30	47	28	5	5	2	12	2	152
Discharged during the Week,	10	4	1					2		14
Died,										
Total Discharged and Dead,	10	4	1					2		14
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	14	26	46	28	5	5	2	10	2	138

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	56	In separate Wards	12
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates,	4
Total,	57	Total,	16

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	12	3	1	16
No. in Workhouse at date	2	1	=	3

No. at corresponding period last year 165

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of November 1891, 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	
	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.	66	132				
No. II.	43	66				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.,						

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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 13th day of November 1891.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, Frank R Brooke Esq DL & C.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs G G Newton DL Edwd Byrne DL R Lawrenson, Richd James Andw Nolahan Wm Spears Edmund J Ferris, John Kelly, Peter Foley, G A Tomkins, N O Toole, John Lyons, T Butler, R Carey, Edwd Byrne, J Hopkins, A D Lynes & J O'Sullivan.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1995 *to No.* 1995 *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, - - £ : :

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ : :

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ : :

The Treasurer's Office was not received this week

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.

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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 30 *s.* 1 *d.* 3

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	25	9	2
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was		2	10
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - -		4	3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -		4	10

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:—

256 4 lb Loaves Bread
2 Gallons Whiskey
3 Cwt Soap
24 lbs Butter
106 lbs Beef
100 " Mutton
20 " Bacon
24 Gallons Buttermilk
134 " Sweetmilk

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 7th *day of* Nov. *18*91 *whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - -	9	19	6
In kind, - - - -	"	"	"
Total, - -	£ 9	19	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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.
11	Matthew Murray	Shoe Nails	2	3	4

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

			£	s.	d.
12	Dr. W. L. Symes	Reg. Fees	1	8	
"	Patrick Cullen	"		5	
"	Joanna Mills	Care Post Boy		10	6

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

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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.

13 Michael O' Toole School fees | 2 | 16 | 2

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 Board proceeded to consider Tenders, as invited, to supply the Workhouse for 3 months from the 17th Instant with the best quality of White Bread, Beef, Mutton, Oatmeal, Indian Meal, Butter and Irish Bacon, when the following, being the lowest, were accepted:—

William Morrow	best White Bread at	1/5 3/8 per 4 lb. Loaf
Stephen Geraty	Oatmeal	13/6 per cwt
same	Butter	1/11d per lb.
Ellen Kenny	Indian Meal at	£8-5-0 per Ton
Eliza McGuirk	best Beef at	1/4d per lb.
same	Mutton	1/4d
same	Irish Bacon	1/5½

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

The Guardians agreed to allow Mary Allen and Esther Allen of Moyne out Door Relief at Rate of 2/6 per week, Chargeable to Ballinglen D.D.

The Board directed that the Visiting Committee inquire and report into the case of the exchange of Boots which has taken place between two Inmates of the House named Margaret Doyle and Margaret Donaghoe.

The Board agreed that owing to the unsatisfactory manner in which Corcoran & Co and Hunt & Co have supplied Medical necessaries to this Union during the past year, as also Falconer for supply of Books forms &c. that their Tenders be not considered to day.

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

The Guardians proceeded by Joint Committees to elect Articles to be supplied for twelve months from the 17th Instant as per advertisement.

Mr. Edward Byrne proposed Mr. Wolahan seconded and unanimously Resolved—

"That the Tenders for the several articles as selected by the different Committees be accepted."

A letter was read from the Treasurer to state that the Directors have sanctioned a temporary overdraft of £500 as applied for.

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) :—

No. 46,902 — 12th November 91

Read letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland with reference to the resolution of this Board of the 30th Ultimo. on the subject, to state that they have received a Communication from the Commissioners of National Education certifying that the full amount of results fees which would accrue to the teacher of the Workhouse School, consequent upon the examination held on the 1st June last, if the School were an ordinary National School and the Union Contributory under the National School Teachers act, would be as follows:—

Miss Sarah A Bolger - £3 : 14 : 3.

Messrs. W. Reaves, N. O'Toole and Andrew Wolahan ~~were accorded and unanimously Resolved~~ were appointed as a Committee to inquire into Miss Bolgers application for results fees.

The Guardians agreed to accept Tenders to supply the undermentioned articles, as advertised, for twelve months from the 17th November 1891, as follows:—

Invoice		
Tea at per lb. not to exceed	1/8	Samuel Correll 1/8
Soft Sugar, per cwt. & Loaf per lb.		John Sutton Loaf 1/6 Jas. Cannon do 1/2½
Whiskey at 18/- per Gallon		Laurence Mulligan 18/-
Port Wine, per Bottle. 5 Mag. each,		Laurence Mulligan 1/10
Pepper per lb & Soap per cwt		Samuel Correll Pepper 1/10, Ellen Kenny Soap 1/5½
Candles Composite per doz lbs. & Dipt per do		John Murphy Composite 5½, L. Mulligan Dipt 4½
Washing Soda & Salt per cwt		Samuel Weir Washing Soda 3/11, C. O'Neill Salt 2/2½
Rice, Starch & Blue at per lb.		S. Correll Rice 3½, Same Starch 3½, Same Blue ½

Clothing		
Bed Rugs at each		Thomas Bassett 4/4
Blankets per pair		Edmond Fortune 20/-
Bed Ticken per yard,		John Sutton 1/10½
Barragon at do.		Thomas Bassett 1/4 3½
Bengal Stripe do		Samuel Correll 1/4½
Calico, per yard. Do (Lining) at do.		Thomas Bassett Calico 5½, Saml Weir Lining 3¾
Cotton Check & Linen Do at per yard		Thos. Bassett Cotton 5½, Thos. Bassett Linen 8¾
Linsey Brown & Striped per yard		Samuel Correll Brown 8½, Saml Weir Striped 8½
Linen Grey, at per yard.		Thomas Bassett 1/4½
Corduroy at per yard.		Thomas Bassett 1/3½
Flannel at Ditto		Thomas Bassett 1/11½
Grey Frieze Ditto		Thomas Bassett 4/10
Grey Tweed Ditto		Thomas Bassett 2/3½
Wincey Ditto		Thomas Bassett 1/5½
Woollen & Cotton Handkerchiefs, per Doz		Samuel Correll Cotton 16½, Woollen 6½, J. Sutton Woollen 18/-
Worsted & Thread at per lb.		Samuel Correll Worsted 1/3, John Sutton Thread 1/10
Studs Bone, per Gross & Tape per Piece		C. O'Neill Studs 1/6½, C. O'Neill Tape 1½
Leather Butt & Kip per lb		Patrick Mc Guire, Foreign Butt 1/3, Black Kip 1/5, Strong upper 1/4, Native Butt 1/- & other Shoe Finding as per Tender 2/2½
Shoe Finding - as per Tender		
Nails per 1000 & Hemp per lb		Matthew Murray 8d Nails 2/6 Heel 3/4, P. Maguire Hemp
Two Dog pairs Childrens Boots		Patrick Maguire 5/- per pair

Establishment		
Bass Brooms at each		Samuel Weir 1/8
Sweeping Brushes per doz.		Samuel Weir 22/-
Scouring Brushes Ditto		Samuel Correll 11/11½
Whitewash Brushes Ditto		Samuel Correll 11/6½

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Blacklead Brushes per Dog	Christopher O'Neill 6/6.
Tins in sizes, per Dog Platters do.	Michael O'Brien 8 Dog 7½ end 4½ Dog 5/3
Combs Coarse & fine per Dog	C. O'Neill Coarse 2/6½, C O'Neill fine 1/0½
Spoons per Dog	Christopher O'Neill 1/8½
Books, forms, & Stationery as prescribed by the L.G. Board And other Jobt Printing	Joseph Dollard William McPhail

Burial

Shrouding per yard.	Christopher O'Neill 1/3d
Coffins, each, in sizes	Edward Boulger Large 5/3, Medium 4/3 small 3/3 & 2/6
Tenders for Medicines & Medical & Surgical Appliances, for Workhouse & three Dispensary Districts	Wm Harrington & Son Ltd.

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 - 26

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

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

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

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - 109

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - - 2

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 Friday *the* 20th *day of* November 18 91

(Signed), John Hoppins
Clerk of the Union
Pro Tem.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. } Shillelagh UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 13th day of November 1891

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.
II. Public Health Acts.

Present—*In the Chair,* Frank Brooke Esq J.P. V.C.

Other Guardians:

Messrs. E.S. Newton &c Edwd. Byrne &c Ralph Lawrenson Richd. James, Andr. Nolahan, Wm. Peares, Edmund J. Lewis, John Kelly, Peter Foley, E.A. Tomkins, N.O'Toole, J. Lyons, P. Butler, R. Carey, E. Byrne, J. Hopkins A. D. Lynes & John O'Sullivan.

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:—

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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 _____ 18 , *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* _____ 18 .

_____ *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*).

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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*

[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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20th day of November 1891

(Signed), John Hoperus
Clerk of the Union. (Pro Tem.)

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Shillelagh 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 Friday the 13th day of November 1891.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, Frank R Brooke Esq J.P. V.C.

Other Members:

Messrs. G.G. Newton J.P. Edward Byrne J.P. R. Lawrenson. Richd James. Andw Nolahan. Wm Spears. P. Jeffers. John Kelly. Peter Foley. Geo A. Johnson. Nicholas O'Toole. John Lyons. Pierce Butler. Robert Carey. Edward Byrne Joseph Hoperus, Abraham Dyrne and John O Sullivan.

Letter read from Mr. Brown, Solicitor as follows:—

"Goss & Doyle with Shillelagh Guardians"

"I enclose original Contracts and Bonds in these Cases duly stamped.

"Please say if I am to debit the Guardians for the cost and duty of same or have you obtained anything from Messrs. Goss & Doyle."

With reference to the foregoing letter the Board directed the Clerk to inform Mr. Brown that the Contractors. Messrs. Goss & Doyle are to pay him the Costs & Stamp duty on their Bonds.

The Clerk was directed to write to Mr. Brown Solicitor, and request him to the Boards letter of the 30th Ultimo. in reference to re-engrossment of

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leases and request an answer thereto by this
day week

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Frank J. Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 20th day of November 1891

(Signed) John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer. Pro Tem

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of November 1891

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
Workhouse	88	143
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	1
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	138	143

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	14	36	46	38	5	5	2	10	2	138
Admitted during the Week,	3	4	1				2	3	1	14
TOTAL,	17	33	47	38	5	5	4	13	3	155
Discharged during the Week,	5	2	1	1			1	1	1	12
Died,										
Total Discharged and Dead,	5	2	1	1			1	1	1	12
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	12	31	46	37	5	5	3	12	2	143

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	55	In separate Wards	12
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates,	"
Total,	56	Total,	12

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	4	5	5	14
No. in Workhouse at date	1	"	"	1

No. at corresponding period last year 168

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of November 1891, 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.	66	132					Bt. forward,						
No. II.	43	66					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. forwd.,							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 20th day of November 1891

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Frank Brooke Esq J.P. D.L.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Andrew Nolahan, William Spears, Robert Carey, Edward Byrne, Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4951 *to No.* 4953 *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, - - £ : :

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ : :

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ : :

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Treasurer a/c was not received this week

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.

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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 22 *s.* 3 *d.*

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	25	19	5
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was		2	10
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - -		4	3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -		4	10

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:—

761 Lbs Loaves Bread
39 Lbs Butter
100 " Beef
90 " Mutton
18 " Bacon
24 Gallons Buttermilk
158 " Sweetmilk
also Drugs & Surgical Instruments for Workhouse Medical Officer

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 14 *day of* Novr *18*91 *whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - -	9	19	6
In kind, - - - -	"	"	"
Total, - -	£ 9	19	6

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.* £ s. d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

14 Wm Geo. Plunkett Map of Union 21 10 "

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

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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:—

Dr. King, Workhouse Medical Offr. reported in writing as follows:—

"I beg to report that the truss ordered from Mr. Corcoran Lat Contractor for Thos. Shaw would require to be altered to meet the special requirements of his case.

With reference to the foregoing report the Guardians agreed that the Trusses be altered on conditions stated by Corcoran to Dr. King, namely, to repair one free and repair second at a charge of 15/=.

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

The Master reports that a supply of Straw is required in the Workhouse for Bedding purposes.

Also that he wants a new meat saw & one grocery scales & weights.

The Board authorised the Master to purchase one Ton of Straw & thresh out the Workhouse Oats in favourable weather: They also directed that a new Meat saw & scales, etc. as required, be ordered.

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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) :—

~~No. 119 — M/91 — Miscellaneous~~

The following report was read from the Committee appointed to inquire into the Application of Miss Bolger School-teacher, for Result fees :—

"We have carefully considered the question as to allowance of Results fees to Miss Bolger under the National School Teachers (Ireland) Act 38 & 39 Vic. c. 96

"We find that in pursuance of the 12th section of above Act This Board may after 14 days notice resolve by Majority that Miss Bolger be paid on receipt of Certificate from Commissioners of Education such amount out of the rates as she would have been entitled to or payable under like circumstances if she were teacher of any other School in this Union irrespective of the Union being contributory or not

"The amount to which Miss Bolger is entitled for

the current year, provided this Board so resolves is £3. 14s. 3d."

Signed "Wm Spears
"Andrew Wolahan"

Mr. Spears presented notice of motion as follows:—

"I beg to give notice that I shall on this day fortnight move that Miss Bolger be paid the amount result fees to which she is entitled under the National School Teachers (Ireland) Act 38 & 39 Vic. c. 96 sect. 12 as certified by the Commissioners of Education."

The Board agreed that the Clerk write to George Matthews and ascertain what he would charge for erecting the map of the Union in the Board Room.

A woman named Kate Perry was admitted to the Workhouse for one week to look out for a situation.

Mr. Peter Doyle of Ballyprece appeared before the Board and informed them that he desired to withdraw his name as one of the Sureties for John Allen Rate Collector.

The Guardians decided to allow Collector Allen a fortnight to substitute a solvent Surety in place of Mr. Doyle.

Warrants for the collection of the new Rates were signed by the Chairman and two Guardians, and countersigned by the Clerk, for the several Rate Collectors of the Union, with the exception of John Allen.

Lists of Tenements requiring Revision, as furnished by the several Rate Collectors, were laid before the Board

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Board & copies directed to be transmitted to the Office of General Valuation.

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 - 6

Ditto disallowed, - - - - - - - - 0

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 1

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - - - 109

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

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday *the* 24th *day of* November 18 91

(Signed), John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union (pro tem)

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Shillelagh UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 20th day of November 1891

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.
II. Public Health Acts.

Present—*In the Chair*, Frank Brooke Esq J.P.

Other Guardians:

Messrs. Andrew Kelahan, Wm Spears, Robert Carey, Edward Byrne, Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes

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:—*

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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 _____ 18 , *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* _____ 18 .

_____ *District,* - - £

_____ *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 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).*

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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*) :—

No. 119 – M/91 –
Miscellaneous

Read letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland dated stating that

requesting to be furnished with a return of the expenses of each Dispensary District under the Medical Charities Act in this Union for the year ended the 29th of September 1891.

[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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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 27th day of November 18 91

(Signed), John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union. (pro. tem.)

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Shillelagh 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 Friday the 20th day of November 1891

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, Frank Brooke Esq J.P. D.L.

Other Members: Messrs Andrew Nolahan. Wm Speares. Robert Carey. Edward Byrne. Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

Read letter from Mr. Brown, Solicitor, as follows:-

"Labourers Acts - Leases

"Referring to yours of 2nd Inst I find that the Engrossments which Mr. Berry holds and refuses to give up have all been stamped and that the expenses of new Engrossments and new stamps will amount to £4 - 3 . 0. I have done all with Mr. Berry that writing can do to make him give up the documents and I think that the Guardians ought before incurring so large an expenditure commence proceedings against Berry to compel him to hand over these Engrossments. Kindly let me know after next Board day whether the Board still wish new Engrossments to be made and stamped or that I should proceed against Mr. Berry."

With reference to the foregoing letter the Clerk was directed to instruct Mr. Brown, Solicitor, to take proceedings forthwith against Mr. Berry for recovery of the Engrossments as advised, and at same time to remind him that Mr. Berry's bill of Costs has not yet

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yet been paid.

John Kelly Coolmanagh attended before the Board and perfected his agreement as Tenant for Laborers Cottage.

The Clerk was directed to write to Mr. Ramsay architect and ask him what he would charge for attending at the Board Room, Phillipstown, and marking the sites of all Laborers Cottages, either built or to be built under present Scheme, on the new Union Maps.

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Rand. V. Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on 4th Friday the 24th day of November 1891

(Signed) John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer. (pro-tem)

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of November 1891

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
Workhouse	881	147
Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	1
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	931	148

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children, above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	12	31	46	24	5	5	3	12	2	143
Admitted during the Week,	6	3			1	1	1	1		13
TOTAL,	18	34	46	24	5	6	4	13	3	156
Discharged during the Week,	5	2						1		8
Died,										
Total Discharged and Dead,	5	2						1		8
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	13	32	46	24	5	6	4	12	3	148

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards: 5	In separate Wards: 12	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital: 1	In Wards with other Inmates: "	
Total, 5	Total, 12	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	6	3	4	13
No. in Workhouse at date	1	1	4	6

No. at corresponding period last year 168

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of November 1891 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.	66	132					Bt. forward,						
No. II.	43	66					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. forwd.,							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 27th day of November 1891

PRESENT: In the Chair, Frank R. Brooke Esq. D.L.

Other Guardians:— Messrs. Edward Byrne Sr., Wm. Speares, A. D. Symes, Edward Byrne & Joseph Hopkins.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4953 *to No.* 4997 *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, - - £ : :

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ : :

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ : :

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Treasurer a/c was not received this week

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.

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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 34 *s.* 5 *d.* 4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	26	10	-
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was		2	10
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - -		4	3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -		4	10

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 :—

264 Lb Loaves Bread
24 Lb. Butter
100 " Beef
100 " Mutton
15 " Bacon
24 Gallons Buttermilk
142 " Sweetmilk
2 Pieces Wincey
1 Piece Bengal Stripe
1 Gross Jine Combs
1 " Coarse do
6 Pieces Tape
24 Lb. Worsted
2 Pieces Brown Linsey

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* Nov. *18*91 *whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - -	9	19	6
In kind, - - - -			
Total, - -	£ 9	19	6

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.* £ s. d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

14 Benjamin Hopkins Salary Cattle Insp. 2 " "
20 George Matthews Repairs to clocks 4 " "

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

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	3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*	£	s.	d.
16	Eliza Mc Guire Meat	14	10	8

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

	4. *Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.*	£	s.	d.
18	Michael O' Toole on a/c	30	-	.
19	Robert Ellis	20	"	.

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 long room (for females) is not properly ventilated & should be remedied at once. The flue from Laundry Store should have sheet iron door where it enters the flue in wall. The want of this causes smut over the whole apartment. The mouth of sewer into laundry should have a trap to prevent foul air & vermin. The Contractor for repairs has not yet finished the coping of outer walls, some new lengths of eve gutters are required for roof of Laundry, some repairs

to slating required and hip tiles. The roof of boys "Privy" requires repairs."

(Signed) "William Speares
"A.D. Byrnes.
E. J. Byrne"

With reference to the foregoing report the Contractor for repairs Thomas Dowse, was called before the Board and asked to give a Tender for proper ventilation of long Room, in accordance with Specification to be drawn up by Mr. Speares, as also for new Sewer trap in Laundry. The Contractor proposed to provide and erect a Sheet Iron door to Laundry Flue for the sum of £5/- which the Board accepted, and the other repairs mentioned, he was requested to have completed at once.

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

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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) :—

No 1147 M/91 — 24th November 1891

Read letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland to inform the Board of Guardians of this Union, that the Union has been placed in charge of Mr. Arthur Bourke as Inspector.

A proposal was accepted from Thomas Dowse to hang new Union Maps for the sum of £5/=.

The Rate Collector John Allen appeared before the Board and named Patrick Allen of Tombrean as Surety willing to join in a Bond for the due collection of Rates in place of Mr Doyle which the Board accepted.

Thomas Hickey, Master Shoemaker applied for and was granted three days leave of absence owing to ill Health, and to receive pay during that time.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 15

Ditto disallowed, - - - - - - - - - 4

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 11

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - - - - 11

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - 109

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - - 11

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered - - 11

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 Friday *the* 4th *day of* December 18 91

(Signed), John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union pro tem.

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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 2nd day of November 1891

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.
II. Public Health Acts.

PRESENT—*In the Chair*, Frank Brooke Esq P.L. & C.

Other Guardians:

Messrs Edward Byrne P.L. Wm Spears A. D. Symes Edward Byrne and Joseph Hopkins.

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:—

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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) :—

Hackelstown Dc *Dispensary District,*

15 *Account of Mr.* D.W.L. Symes *for* Salary *: Amount,* £ 99. 18.2

[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 _____ 18 , *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* _____ 18 .

_____ *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).*

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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 Honorary Secretary dated 2 Hacketstown and stating that Coolkenno Dispensary Committee as follows:—

26th Nov. 91

"At the usual monthly meeting held to-day. "Mr. N. O'Toole in the Chair.

"The Honorary Secretary produced Dr. Symonds resignation the was instructed to request the Clerk of the Union to have the usual advertisement for Medical Officer inserted. The election to take place at Hacketstown Dispensary on 21st December at 1.0 Clock. Dr. Symes was appointed locum tenens from 16th Inst at a Salary of £3. 3. 0 a week."

The Guardians agreed that the Clerk advertise for a Medical Officer for Hacketstown District, as requested by the Committee, to be appointed on the 21st of December next, at a Salary of £120 per annum & £15. per annum as Medical Officer of Health, together with the usual fees under Vaccination & Registration Acts.

[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		
15 Hacketstown	Dr. M. L Symes Salary	3	14	9

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the 4th Friday the 4th day of December 1891

(Signed), John Hoyt Rus
Clerk of the Union. pro tem.

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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 Friday the 27th day of November 1891

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Frank Brooke Esq J.P. V.C.

Other Members: Messrs. Edward Byrne J.P., Wm. Spears A. D. Lynes Edward Byrne and Joseph Hoyt Rus

The following letter was read from Messrs Hayes & Son Solicitors &c:—

"4 Nassau St Dublin
"24th November '91

"We have been instructed by Mr. Joseph Berry to apply to you for payment of your overdue account and have been directed to institute proceedings for recovery unless you pay to us the sum noted at foot before 11 O'Clock on Saturday the 28th Inst."

"Amount of account £309-12-0
" Costs 10-6
"Total £310-2-6"

With reference to the aforesaid letter the Clerk was directed to transmit copy of same to Mr. Brown, Solicitor with instructions to reply to same and to take steps to defend any action instituted against the Board: and at the same time to forward Mr. Brown the Committees Report on said account together with Mr. Berry's agreement.

Mr. Ramsay Engineer wrote stating that Mr. Good, Contractor

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Contractor for erection of four cottages had stated to him he was not aware that he had contracted for the fences together with the buildings enquired if this was so. The Tenant of one of the houses at Ballinakill had complained to him of a leak in the roof of his house. Mr Ramsay also mentioned that Contractor Doyle had not notified to him his intention of commencing work altho he wrote to him long since.

The Clerk stated that the fences were included in the Specification & Contract entered into by Mr Goss as well as the buildings.

Patrick Byrne attended before the Board and signed an Agreement as Tenant for Labourers Cottage at Rakeen.

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Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 1st day of December 1871.

(Signed) John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer. pro tem.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of Nov. Dec. 18 91

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
Workhouse	881	143
Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse		
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Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	93	144

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	13	32	46	27	5	6	4	12	3	148
Admitted during the Week,	9	2	1					1		13
TOTAL,	22	34	47	27	5	6	4	13	3	161
Discharged during the Week,	7	3	1			1	1	2	1	16
Died,		1								1
Total Discharged and Dead,	7	4	1			1	1	2	1	17
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	15	30	46	27	5	5	3	11	2	144

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	52	In separate Wards	12
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates,	"
Total,	53	Total,	12

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	9	1	1	11
No. in Workhouse at date	2	"	"	2

No. at corresponding period last year 141

OBSERVATIONS

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of November December 18 91, 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	
	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.	66	132				
No. II.	43	66				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.,						

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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 4th day of December 18 91.

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Major Newton D.L.

Other Guardians:— Hon.ble H. L.d Boscawen D.L. Messrs. Wm Speares. Gore A. Jonkins. N. O'Toole. Patk Byrne. Edward Byrne. Joseph Hopkins & Abraham Dyrne.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1972 *to No.* 1982 *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, - - £ : :

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ : :

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ : :

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Treasurer a/c was not received this week

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 £	s.	d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining Uncollected £	s.	d.

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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 14 s. 0 d. 4

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 25 : 14 : 2

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 2 : 10

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4 : 3

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - : 4 : 10

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:—

265 4 lb Loaves Bread
22 lbs Butter
4 Cwt Oatmeal
100 lbs Beef
90 " Mutton
20 " Bacon
24 Gallons Buttermilk
140 " Sweetmilk

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 28 day of Nov^r 18 91 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

£ s. d.

In Money, - - - 9 . 18 . 6
In kind, - - - - " " "

Total, - - £ 9 . 18 . 6

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.* £ s. d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
21	Ellen Kenny	Bread &c	52	11	5
22	William Morrow	"	9	17	9

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 Workhouse Medical Officer Dr King reported in his Journal as follows:—

"I beg to report that an elastic stocking is urgently required by a patient in Workhouse named Edward Byrne. Usual cost about 7/6"

The Guardians directed that an Elastic Stocking as mentioned in foregoing report be ordered from the Contractor.

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

The Master reports that a small iron door (in addition to the one in drying room) is required in the Laundry to prevent the smoke from disfiguring the walls.

The aforesaid matter was referred to the Visiting Committee.

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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) :—

No. 1142 — M/91

Miscellaneous

26th November 1891

Read circular letter from the Local Gov. Board for Ireland requesting to be furnished with three Returns showing the number of Births & Deaths &c and of the number of persons treated in Workhouse Hospitals during that year ended the 29th of September last.

No 130 M/91

1st December 1891

Ye from same to call attention to their circular letter of the 26th of October last applying for a Return of the receipts and expenditure of this Union and of the number of persons who received out door relief therein during the year ended the 29th of September last & to request the Clerk to send forward the Return to their office immediately on receipt of the letter, as it is very urgently required.

28th November 1891

Read letter from J. Ball Greene Esq. Commissioner of Valuation, to acknowledge the receipt of Lists of Tenements requiring Revision in this Union

An Estimate was accepted from Messrs Kershaw & Co to supply two "Patent Pneumatic Ventilators" for Infirmary Dormitories for £3. 5. 0 each: which the Clerk was directed to order.

The Guardians agreed to allow out Door Relief at rate of 3/- per week for four weeks to Anne Rossiter Chargeable to Coolboy D.D., Betty Bailey 5/- Union Charge, Anne Cooper 1/6 Chargeable to Hacketstown D.D. And Mary Heffernan 1/6 per week to Coolballintaggart D.D.

The Board agreed that the Visiting Committee inquire into and report if any improvement can be made in the separation of the Patients in Infirmary wards.

The Clerk submitted Bond for due Collection of Rates executed by John Allen Rate Collector, and Sureties; when warrants to collect same were signed by the Chairman & two Guardians and countersigned by the Clerk.

It was proposed by Mr. Spares — pursuant to notice — seconded by Mr. P. Byrne & unanimously Resolved:—

"That Miss Bolger, School-Teacher, be paid the amount Results Fees to which she is entitled under the National School Teachers (Ireland) Act 38 & 39 Vic C. 96 sect 12, namely £1. 4. 9, being one third of the full amount as certified by the Commissioners of Education, consequent upon the last examination."

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 10

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

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

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

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - 109

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - - 4

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 Friday *the* 11th *day of* December 1891

(Signed), Benj Hopkins
Clerk of the Union

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

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Shillelagh UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 4th day of December 1891

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.
II. Public Health Acts.

Present—*In the Chair,* Major Newton D.L.

Other Guardians:

Hon.ble H.L.D Boscawen D.L.
Messrs. Wm. Spears, Geo. A. Tomkins, N. O'Toole, Patrick Byrne, Edward Byrne, Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Coolattin & Clongall *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:—*

That the Clerk forward same to the Contractors.

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

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

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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 _____ 18 , *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* _____ 18 .

_____ *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*).

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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

[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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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on 4th Friday the 11th day of December 1891

(Signed), Benj Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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Shillelagh 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 Friday the 11th day of December 1891.

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Major Newton J.P.

Other Members: Hon.ble H. L.D. Boscawen D.L. Messrs. Wm Speares, Gore A. Jonkins, N. O'Toole, Patrick Byrne, Edward Byrne, Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes

The following was read from Mr. Brown, Solicitor:— "Berry v Shillelagh Guardians

I am in receipt of your letter of the 24th inst. enclosing Mr. Hayes's letter and Mr. Berry's do. I have written Messrs Hayes stating that their client has not furnished you with proper accounts in accordance with his Agreement & stating that if he did so I had no doubt an amicable arrangement could be made without law proceedings and regretting them to do so with as little delay as possible."

Read letter from Mr Ramsay C.E. as follows:— "For going to Shillelagh and marking cottage sites (15 old and 3 new) on new map in Workhouse, as it would take me two days. I moved charge £3-3-0 for time and 12/- expenses = £3-15-0 altogether."

The Board decided to allow Mr. Ramsay £2-2-0 for marking cottage sites on Union Map. together with

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5/- expenses, and to have it completed in two months time.

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William Spears
Ch

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 11th day of December 1891.

(Signed) Benj Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of December 1891

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
Workhouse	88	140
Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse,		
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	1
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	138	141

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 6 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	15	30	46	24	5	5	3	11	2	141
Admitted during the Week,	4		2							6
TOTAL,	19	30	48	27	5	5	3	11	2	150
Discharged during the Week,	5	3	1							9
Died,										
Total Discharged and Dead,	5	3	1							9
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	14	27	47	27	5	5	3	11	2	141

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	52	In separate Wards	12
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates,	"
Total,	53	Total,	12

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during Week	5	"	"	5
No. in Workhouse at date	"	"	"	"

No. at corresponding period last year 141

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of December 1891, 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	
	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.	66	132				
No. II.	46	91				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.,						

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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 11th day of December 1891

PRESENT: In the Chair, William Speares Esq.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Ralph Lawrenson, Edmund J. Ffrench Edward Grange, Gore A. Tomkins, Edward Byrne Joseph Hopkins, Abraham D. Symes & John O'Sullivan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4983 *to No.* 5000 *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~~, since 23rd Oct. 91 - £ 45 : — : —

Paid during the ~~Week~~, same period - - - £452 : 13 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £306 : 14 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 15 *s.* 17 *d.* 11

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	25	7	10
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was		2	10
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - -		4	3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -		4	10

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 :—

264 lbs. 1st & 2nd Loaves Bread
24 lbs Butter
100 " Beef
92 " Mutton
20 " Bacon
24 Gallons Buttermilk
140 " Sweetmilk
4 Gallons Whiskey
3 Boxes Dipt Candles
6 Cwt Soap.

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 5th *day of* Dec. *18*91 *whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - -	10	3	6
In kind, - - - -	"	"	"
Total, - -	£ 10	3	6

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.* £ s. d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

23 J. Stratford Berry County Cess Lab. Cottage 2 8 9

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

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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:—

An ablebodied woman named Kate Berry again applied for admission to the House. The Board considered she was able to earn her living and refused the application.

Mary Byrne widow applied for Out Door Relief and was granted 4/= a week for one month chargeable to Coolboy Dist.

Kate Heffernan of Coolroe applied for admission she being pregnant, which the Board granted. She stated when asked that Saml. Farrar Coolroe was father of her child & also of a former child.

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

The Master reports that a new Grate is required for the Chapel Vestry.

The Board authorized the Master to purchase a new Registered Grate for Workhouse Chapel and directed that the Contractor, Thomas Dowse, erect an Iron Door in the Laundry, as mentioned in Masters report of last week, at a cost of 5/.

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

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

The Board unanimously adopted the following Resolution viz :—

"That John Hopkins be paid as Remuneration Two Pounds per week for four weeks from 30th October to 27th November '91. for having performed the duties of Clerk of Union during his Father's absence on sick leave, in accordance with Guardian's Minutes of the 22nd October last."

We the Committee appointed to take stock of Provisions & Clothing for the half year ended 29th September 1891. recommend the ~~above~~ undermentioned articles of Clothing to be condemned as unfit for future Clothing use. (Signed) A. Dwyer, J. O'Sullivan } Poor Law Guardians

Bedding	Mens Clothing	Womens Clothing	Boys Clothing	Girls Clothing
42 Sheets	9 Coats	15 Gowns	7 Coats	28 Frocks
28 Blankets	3 Waistcoats	45 Petticoats	4 Waistcoats	21 Petticoats
10 Rugs	10 Trousers	63 Shifts	12 Trousers	14 Shifts
13 Bedticks	17 Shirts	124 Aprons	10 Shirts	59 Aprons
3 Bolsters	14 Shoes	50 Handkerchiefs	7 Shoes	31 Shoes
	33 Stockings	30 Shoes	13 Stockings	25 Stockings
	5 Flannel Vests	41 Stockings		20 Handkerchiefs
		3 Caps		

Proposed by Mr. Edwd Grange seconded by Mr. E. J. Byrne and resolved that the foregoing recommendation be adopted: and that the following utensils used up in the Workhouse be struck off the Book & 18 Suits of Clothes for nurse children — viz :— 24 Brushes, 3 Pans, 3 Coal boxes, 6 Jugs & Basins, 4 Saucepans, 2 Kettles, 2 Shovels, 1 Wheelbarrow, 96 Tins, 3 Dishes & plates, 6 Buckets 12 Chambers and 3 Teapots.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 18

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

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 1

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

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - 112

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 Friday *the* 18th *day of* December 1891

(*Signed*), _____ _____

Clerk of the Union

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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 11th day of December 1891

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,* William Speares Esq

Other Guardians:

Messrs Ralph Lawrenson, Edmund J. Ferris, Edward Grange, Gore A. Tomkins, Edward Byrne, Joseph Hopkins, Abraham D. Symes, and John O'Sullivan.

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:—

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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 _____ 18 , *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* _____ 18 .

_____ *District,* - - £

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject).*

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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*

[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 :—

A letter was marked read by the Chairman received from Miss Anne Faris relative to repairs to her brother's house at Ballinarill.

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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Mr. Speares Engineer submitted certified copies of the approved plans, Specifications &c. of works in connection with Carhen Water Scheme as required by the Local Government Board which the Clerk was directed to transmit to their office.

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(Signed), Benj Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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Shillelagh 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 Friday the 11th day of December 1891.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, William Speares Esq

Other Members: Messrs. Ralph Lawrenson, P. J. Ferris, Edward Grange, Core A. Tomkins, Edward Byrne, Joseph Hopkins, Abraham D. Symes & John O'Sullivan

A post card was read from Mr. Ramsay B.E. accepting the terms offered by the Guardians for marking the sites of Labourers Cottages on Union Maps namely £2. 2. 0 and 12/- expenses.

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Edward Byrne Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 18th day of December 1891

(Signed) Benj Hopkins

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of December 1891

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
Workhouse	88	139
Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	11
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	93	150

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	14	27	47	27	5	5	3	11	2	141
Admitted during the Week,	6	7	1	2				1	1	18
TOTAL,	20	34	48	29	5	5	3	12	3	159
Discharged during the Week,	6	1	1	1						9
Died,										
Total Discharged and Dead,	6	1	1	1						9
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	14	33	47	28	5	5	3	12	3	150

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	56	In separate Wards	12
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	11	In Wards with other Inmates,	1
Total,	67	Total,	13

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	6	3	2	11
No. in Workhouse at date	"	"	"	"

No. at corresponding period last year 142

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of December 1891, 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	
	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.	66	132				
No. II.	46	91				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
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	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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 18th day of December 1891.

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Edward Byrne Esq J.P.

Other Guardians:—

Hon.ble Hugh L. D. Boscawen D.L.

Messrs. William Speares. Nicholas O Toole,

Abraham D. Symes & Joseph Hopkins.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 16 *to No.* 1 *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, - - £ : :

The Treasurer's do was not received this week *Paid during the Week,* - - - - - £ : :

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ : :

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.

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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 18 s. 11 d. 11

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	26	2	9
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was		2	10
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - -		4	3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -		4	10

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:—

272 4 lb Loaves Bread
40 lbs Butter
200 " Beef
150 " Mutton
20 " Bacon
24 Gallons Buttermilk
140 " Sweetmilk
24 Pairs Children Boots
6 Large Cojjins & Drugs & Surgical Instruments for Workhouse Medical officer.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12 day of Dec. 1891 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - -	10	3	6
In kind, - - - -	=	=	=
Total, - - £	10	3	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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.
55	Thomas	Stone	Plain	1	-	-
58	Patrick	Kirwan	¼ Wages	6	18	-
59	Thomas	Hickey	"	6	14	-

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

24	Rev. H. B.	Ellison	6 - 5 - 0	37	Thos.	Dowse	10-0-0 1-15-6	11	15 6
25	Rev. W. S.	Linnott	12 - 10 - 0	38	Patrick	Harte		3	18 -
26	Dr. F. J. S.	King	22 - 10 - 0	"	Patrick	Connolly			15 -
27	Benj.	Hopkins	20-0-0 1-12-8 3-0-0	24 - 12 - 8	39	George	Newsom	12	10 -
28	Michl	Dwyer	12 - 10 - 0	53	Dr. W. L.	Symes	20-0-0 Lunacy	2	- -
29	Anne	Corrigan	7-10-0 1-5-0	8 - 15 - 0	56	Dr. J. W. L. G.	Bookey	30	4 6
30	Peter	Furlong	6 - 5 - 0	57	Ellen	Dowse		2	1 8
31	Sarah A.	Alger	6-5-0 1-1-9	4 - 9 - 9					
32	Michl	O'Toole	4 - 0 - 0						
33	Robert	Tellis	6 - 0 - 0						
34	Margaret	Gilbert	5 - 0 - 0						
35	Margaret	L. Deegan	5 - 0 - 0						

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
55	James O Hara	Jurewood	2	1	6

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

4. *Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
54	Michael O Toole	Nurses	19	2	6
60	Michael O Toole	on a/c	20	-	-

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:—

I beg to ask the Board for an order for the usual Meat Dinner & Tea / Breakfast on Christmas Day.

I also beg most respectfully to ask the Board for 2 Days leave of absence.

The Guardians unanimously agreed as follows:- "That the Workhouse Inmates be allowed the usual Meat Dinner and Tea Breakfast on Christmas Day next as follows:-

Adults 1 lb Meat each for Dinner and Children ½ lb each, Breakfast Bread same quantity as for Dinner, with ½ oz Tea 2 Oz. Sugar and 1 oz. Butter each.

The Board granted the two days leave of absence as applied for by the Master.

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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) :—

Dr King recommended a woman named Anastacia Lawler a patient in the Infirmary be sent to the Lunatic Asylum when the Master was directed to do so.

Miss Bolger, Schoolmistress, applied for one weeks leave of absence which the Board granted, the Schoolmaster, Mr. Furlong, to do her duty.

The Clerk reported to the Guardians that the Station Master at Phillipagh, Mr. Gleeson, informed him that Medicines had been forwarded there from the Contractor Messrs. Harrington & Son D.R. on which the Railway Carriage had not been paid, when the Guardians directed the Clerk to draw the immediate attention of the Contractor to the fact that the Drugs sent by him are retained at the Railway Station the Carriage not having been paid and request him to immediately make arrangements to have them delivered at the Dispensaries in accordance with the terms of his Contract - free of Cost.

James Byrne, Hacketstown, being unable to work & having a family, applied for Out Door Relief when the Board allowed him 2/6 per week for a month.

A woman named Margaret Nolan was admitted to the House for a fortnight.

The Board agreed owing to Friday next being Christmas Day that their next Meeting be held on Friday the 1st of January 1892.

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

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

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

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

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

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - 112

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - - 1

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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 Friday *the* 1st *day of* January 18 9h

(Signed), Benj. Hopkins

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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 18th day of December 1891

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.
II. Public Health Acts.

Present—*In the Chair,* Edward Byrne Esq. J.P.
Other Guardians:
Hon.ble H.L.D. Boscawen D.L.
Messrs. Wm. Spears Nicholas O'Toole A. D. Symes
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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:—

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Coollatten Hlonegall Dispensary District.

40	Account of Mr.	D. F. F. Brady	for ¼ Salary: Amount, £	30 - 0 - 0
41		Eliza Taylor	"	1 - 15 - 0
42		Jane Morton	"	1 - 15 - 0
43		Timothy Byrne	¼ Rent	1 - 15 - 0
44		Martha Watchouse	¼ Salary	5 - 0 - 0
	Hacketstown District			
45		Jane Hinch	¼ Rent	2 - 0 - 0
46		Anne Cooper	"	1 - 10 - 0
53		Dr. W. L Symes Vice Fees		2 - 12 - 0
	Tinahely District			
47		Dr. John Bolster	¼ Salary & Rent 30-0-0 1-10-0	31 - 10 - 0
48		Charles Byrne	¼ Rent	1 - 10 - 0
49		Fanny Dowse	¼ Salary	1 - 5 - 0
50		Mary White	"	5 - 0 - 0

[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.]

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_____ *District,* - - £

_____ *District,* - - £

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

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

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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).*

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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.* :—

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

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26		Dr. F. J. B. King ¼ Salary	2 10 -
27		Benjn. Hoprins "	3 15 -
32		Michl O'Toole "	1 15 -
33		Robert Ellis "	1 10 -
40	Coollattin	Dr. F. F. Brady "	3 15 -
47	Tinahely	Dr. John Bobster "	3 15 -
51	Hacketstown	Thomas Walsh ¼ Contract	1 2 6
52	Tinahely N.W.	Edward Healy ¼ Salary	1 5 -

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

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Shillelagh 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 Friday the 18th day of December 1891

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Edward Byrne Esq D.L. D.C.

Other Members: Hon.ble Hugh L.D. Boscawen D.L.

Messrs. Wm Spears Nicholas O. Toole A. D'Arcy Lynes

Joseph Hopkins

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the

15th day of January 1892

(*Signed*), Bury Hopkins

Clerk of the Union.

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William Speares

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 1st day of January 1886

(Signed) Benj. W. Perkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— Present Net Annual Value, £

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Permanent Fever Hospital	50	16
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	138	158

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	14	33	29	38	5	5	3	12	3	150
Admitted during the Week,	9	6	3	1			1	1		21
TOTAL,	23	39	50	29	5	5	4	13	3	171
Discharged during the Week,	8	3	1					1		13
Died,										
Total Discharged and Dead,	8	3	1					1		13
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	15	36	49	29	5	5	4	12	3	158

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	61	In separate Wards	12
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	16	In Wards with other Inmates,	"
Total,	77	Total,	12

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	10	5	1	16
No. in Workhouse at date	"	"	"	"

No. at corresponding period last year 141

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of December 1891, 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	
	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.	66	132				
No. II.	46	91				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.,	No 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	
	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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 25th day of December 1891

PRESENT: ~~In the Chair~~,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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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, - - £ : :

The Treasurer

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ : :

He was not

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ : :

received this week

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.

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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 23 *s.* 12 *d.* 10

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	29	"	3
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was		3	2
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - -		4	3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -		4	10

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:—

280 4 lb Loaves Bread
25 lbs. Butter
262 " Meat
23 Gallons Buttermilk
150 " Sweetmilk

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 19 *day of* Dec[r] *18* 91 *whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - -	10	3	6
In kind, - - - -	=	=	=
Total, - - £	10	3	6

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

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

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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:—

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

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

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto disallowed, - - - - - - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday *the* 1st *day of* January 1892

(Signed), Benj Hopkins

Clerk of the Union

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

Shillelagh UNION.

No meeting

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 25th day of December 1891

(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:—

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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 _____ 18 , *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* _____ 18 .

_____ *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).*

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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*

[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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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

No Meeting

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 25th day of Dec 188 91

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Members:

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on W/D Friday the 15 day of January 1892

(Signed) Benj Hutchins

Clerk of the Union.

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Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 1st day of January 1892

(Signed) Benj Hopkins

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of Dec. 1891

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
Workhouse	88	141
Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse,		
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	16
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	138	157

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	15	36	49	29	5	5	4	12	3	158
Admitted during the Week,	9	4					1		1	15
TOTAL,	24	40	49	29	5	5	5	12	4	173
Discharged during the Week,	12									12
Died,	1	~~3~~	3							4
Total Discharged and Dead,	13	~~3~~	3							16
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	11	40	46	29	5	5	5	12	4	157

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 58	In separate Wards 12	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 16	In Wards with other Inmates, "	
Total, 74	Total, 12	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS,

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	9	2	2	13
No. in Workhouse at date	"	"	"	"

No. at corresponding period last year 143

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of December 1891, 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	
	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.	66	132				
No. II.	46	91				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.,						
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

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PRESENT: In the Chair, William Speare Esq

Other Guardians:— Messrs. Pierce Butler, Robert Carey, Patrick Byrne and Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 16 *to No.* 32 *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~~, 11th Dec 94 £346 : - : -

Paid during the ~~Week~~, same period - - £327 : 15 : -

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £388 : 9 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 21 s. 15 d. 6

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	34	4	11
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was		3	2
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - -		4	3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -		4	10

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:—

330 Lbs Wt Loaves Bread
28 " Butter
250 " Meat
24 Gallons Buttermilk
140 " Sweetmilk

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 26 day of Dec 1891 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - -	10	10	0
In kind, - - - -	"	"	"
Total, - -	£ 10	10	0

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

			£	s.	d.
62	Chas. D. Gunnes	Rent Lab.s Cottage	1	6	3
"	Stewart Duckett	"		6	"
"	Ellen Ivorton	"		8	"
"	William Betty	"		4	6
"	Geo J.B. Dawson	"		6	"
"	Rep Frances Byrne	"		3	9
"	Benjamin Hopkins	Salary Att.te Byrne	2	"	"
"	Railway Co.	Carriage		5	4
63	John Hopkins			8	"

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
61	William Morrow	Bread	25	14	6
64	Eliza Mc Guirk	meat	21	8	1

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

4. *Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
65	Robert Ellis	on a/c	25	=	=

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 Guardians allowed Out Door Relief at rate of 1/6 per week to a woman named Margaret Dagg in case of sickness, chargeable to Shillelagh E.D. 3/- per week to Fanny Dagg instead of 1/6. for similar cause, chargeable to Aghowle E.D.

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

A supply of Chambers is necessary for the Workhouse. Zinc or Galvanized ones would be best — about 4 Dozen will be required. I had to purchase some from Mr Ellison during the week.
Ordered — The Master authorized to purchase same

Influenza is very prevalent at present there are upwards of 70 Cases affected with it in the Workhouse most of the officials have been more or less affected with it.

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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) :—

No 5 2. 0 3 1 22nd December 91

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland with reference to the Minutes of proceedings of this Board on the 11th Instant. to express their sanction to the payment of remuneration at the rate of Two Pounds a week for a period of four weeks to Mr. John Hopkins for his services in discharging the duties of Clerk of the Union during the illness of that officer.

No. 31 262. /91 Miscellaneous 30th Dec. 91

From same. to forward for the information of the Guardians a copy of each of two reports made by a Committee appointed by his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant to inquire into the Lunacy Administration of Ireland

No 154. /M/91 Miscellaneous 31st Dec. 91

From same. Circular letter read. requesting to be informed within 40 days after receipt thereof, whether this Board de

willing to become a Contributory Union under the "National School Teachers (Ireland) Act (38 & 39 Vic. C. 96) The expenses the Board would incur in so doing are not expected to exceed £306 for the ensuing year.

The Guardians directed the Clerk to summon a Meeting of the Board to consider the foregoing question on this day fortnight.

An application was read from the Workhouse Porter for an increase of £4 per annum in his Salary and pointed out that the original Salary was reduced by £2 at the time of his appointment.

Mr. Patrick Byrne gave notice of motion as follows :—

"I beg to give notice that I will move on this day fortnight that the application of the Porter, Patrick Fox, for an increase of Salary be considered."

Thomas Hickey, Shoemaker, applied for leave of absence for one week and submitted Medical certificate to state he was suffering from a severe attack of Influenza and unfit to resume work. The Board allowed the foregoing application

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 326

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

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 1

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

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - 112

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - 18

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered - - 4

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 Friday *the* 9th *day of* January 1892

(Signed), Benj Hopkins
Clerk of the Union

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. } Shillelagh UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 1st day of January 1892

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.
II. Public Health Acts.

Present—*In the Chair*, William Spears Esq
Other Guardians:
Messrs Pierce Butler,
Robert Carey Patrick Byrne & A. D. Symes.

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:—

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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 _____ 18 , *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* _____ 18 .

~~District~~ - - £

~~District~~ - - £

~~District~~ - - £

~~District~~ - - £

The Honorary Secretary of Hacketstown Dispy Committee wrote stating that at a meeting of that body held on 21st December last Dr Jackson was appointed Medical Officer by a majority of votes. He agreeing to attend Coolkenno Dispensary twice each week if the Committee at any time think it necessary. It was arranged that the late Medical Officer Dr Lynes hand over the Instruments belonging to the Committee with a written list to Dr Jackson.

Dr Jackson was appointed Medical Officer pro tem till his appointment is sanctioned by the Local Government Board. Duties to commence from 21st December 91.

[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* _____

A letter was read from Dr. Brady, Medical Officer of Coolattin Dispensary District, complaining that the Medicines, etc. ordered three weeks ago from Messrs. Harrington & Son, Contractors, had not yet been delivered requested the Guardians to permit him now to refuse delivery and order the Goods elsewhere at the expense of the Contractor.

A letter was also read from Messrs. Harrington & Son stating that they gave instructions to their Carriers to deliver the goods referred to. Carriage paid as usual. Could not explain why it was not done in this case: and regretted exceedingly the delay. They further stated that they had given instructions to have the goods delivered at once.

With reference to the aforesaid subject the Clerk informed the Guardians that he interviewed the Station Master at Shillelagh relative to these goods and was informed that they had been despatched to Dr. Brady; when the Board made no order on the matter.

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*).

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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*

A Report (Form H) was received from Dr. Symes late Medical Officer of Hacketstown Dsply District Certifying that he successfully vaccinated 24 persons between the dates 30th September & 21st of December 91

An application was received from Dr. Symes for payment as Locum Tenens in the Hacketstown Dispensary District from the 24th September to the 16th of November 91 at £135 per annum, & from the 16th November to 21st December at £3-3-10 per week, as recommended by the Dispensary Committee

The Guardians unanimously adopted the following Resolution:— "That Dr. Symes be paid as remuneration for having acted as Temporary Med Officer for Hacketstown Dispensary District from the 24th of Sept 91 to the 16th November following (both inclusive) at the rate of £135. per annum (including £15 Salary as Med. Officer of Health) amounting to £19-19-5 and from 17th November to 21st December (Inclusive) at £3-3-0 per week amounting to £15-15-0. & desire the sanction of the Local Government Board thereto."

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.* :—

[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.]

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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Edward Healy, Caretaker of Imaheley Water Works, appeared before the Board and reported that a pipe at one of the fountains at Market Square had burst: when the Board directed that Thomas Dowse repair same and to be inspected by Mr A. D. Symes when done.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on 4th Friday the 8th day of January 1892

(Signed), Benj. H. Symes
Clerk of the Union.

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Shillelagh 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 Friday the 1st day of January 1892.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, William Speares Esq

Other Members:
Messrs. Pierce Butler, Robert Carey, Patrick Byrne and Abraham D. Symes.

A Representation under the Labourers (Ireland) Act 1883 was received, of the alleged want of a cottage in the Townland of Ardnaboy in Coolballintaggart Electoral Division when the Guardians agreed to take same into consideration on this day four weeks.

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Laurence Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 8th day of January 1892

(Signed) Burgess Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of January 1892

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
Workhouse	88	42
Temporary Buildings.		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	19
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	93	161

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	11	10	16	29	5	5	5	12	4	157
Admitted during the Week,	19	4						1		24
TOTAL,	30	14	16	29	5	5	5	13	4	181
Discharged during the Week,	9	7						1	1	18
Died,		1	1							2
Total Discharged and Dead,	9	8	1					1	1	20
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	21	36	15	29	5	5	5	12	3	161

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 61	In separate Wards 12	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 19	In Wards with other Inmates, "	
Total, 83	Total, 19	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	14	3	1	18
No. in Workhouse at date	"	"	"	"

No. at corresponding period last year 143

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of January 1892 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.	66	132					Bt. forward,						
No. II.	46	91					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. forwd.,							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8th day of January 1892

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Frank Brooke Esq J.P. D.L.

Other Guardians:—

Hon.ble Hugh L. D. Boscawen D.L.

Messrs. A. D. Symes and Joseph Hopkins

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 52 *to No.* 64 *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, - - £ = : = : =

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ 33 : 14 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was £422 : 4 : 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.

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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 29 s. 19 d. =

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	31	13	10
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was		3	2
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - -		4	3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -		4	10

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 :—

281	4 lb Loaves	Bread
24	lbs	Butter
100	"	Mutton
200	"	Beef
29	"	Bacon
25	Gallons	Buttermilk
162	"	Sweetmilk
15	Pairs	Blankets
2	Pieces	Flannel
6	Gallons	Whiskey

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of Jany 18 92 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - -	10	10	=
In kind, - - - -	"	"	"
Total, - - £	10	10	=

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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.
68	Moses Murphy	Straw	-	15	-

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

			£	s.	d.
66	G. W. Kershaw & Co	Ventilators	5	19	3
67	D. F. F. Brady	Lunacy Fee	2	"	"
68	James Cordell	Celery Plants		3	-
"	James Gray	Estabmt		16	-
"	Michael Dwyer	Conveyance	1	14	10

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
68	James Kendell onions	1	–	–

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:—

An able bodied woman named Kate Darcy was admitted to the Workhouse for one week to look out for a situation.

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

The Master reports that he placed the Lunatic Annastasia Rawley in the Workhouse Richmond Asylum on Monday last the 4th Instant

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

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

The Clerk was directed to write to the several Rate Collectors of the Union and point out that the Board are much dissatisfied at the small amount collected by them and to request them each to make a substantial lodgment by the 1st of February next.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 11

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

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - 1

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

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - 112

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 Friday *the* 15th *day of* January 18 92.

(Signed), Barry Hopkins
Clerk of the Union

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Shillelagh UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 8th day of January 1869.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts.

Present—*In the Chair,* Frank Brooke Esq J.P.

Other Guardians:

Hon. & Rt. Hon. D. Boscawen D.L.

Messrs. D. Symes and Joseph Hopkins

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:—

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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*).

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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

Read Report (Form H) from Dr. Brady, certifying that he successfully Vaccinated 3 Children from 30th June last to 30th December following all of whom are resident in the Coollattin & Shillelagh Dispensary 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*) :—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the
15th day of January 1892

(Signed), Benj. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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Shillelagh 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 Friday the 8th day of January 1892

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Frank Brooke Esq J.P. D.L.

Other Members: Hon.ble Hugh Ld. Boscawen D.L.
Mrs. A. Symes and Joseph Hopkins.

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Wm. Spears
Ch

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 15th day of January 1892

(Signed) Burp Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of January 1892

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
Workhouse	881	132
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	15
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	931	148

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	21	36	45	29	5	5	5	12	3	161
Admitted during the Week,	6									4
TOTAL,	27	36	45	29	5	5	5	12	3	165
Discharged during the Week,	8	2	1	1			1	1	2	18
Died,			1	1						2
Total Discharged and Dead,	8	4	2	2			1	1	2	20
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	19	33	43	29	5	5	4	11	1	148

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	56	In separate Wards	12	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	15	In Wards with other Inmates,	"	
Total,	71	Total,	12	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	6	"	"	6
No. in Workhouse at date	"	"	"	"

No. at corresponding period last year 143

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of January 1892, 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	
	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.	66	132				
No. II.	49	94				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.,						

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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 15th day of January 1892

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, Frank Brooke Esq DL & C.

Other Guardians:— The Hon'ble H.L. D. Boscawen DL

Messrs. Ralph Lawrenson. Andrew Wolahan P. J. Ferris John Kelly Patrick Byrne. Joseph Hopkins and Nicholas O'Toole and Abraham D'Lynes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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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, - - £ 359 : 1 : 8

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ 64 : = : 11

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 12½ : 3 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 14 *s.* 16 *d.* 4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	30	8	10
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was		3	2
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - -		4	3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -		4	10

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 :—

296 4 lt loaves Bread
25 lbs Butter
217 " Beef
100 " Mutton
20 " Bacon
24 Gallons Buttermilk
158 " Sweetmilk
12 Large Coppers

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 9 *day of* January *18*92 *whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - -	10	10	"
In kind, - - - -	"	"	"
Total, - -	£ 10	10	"

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.* £ s. d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

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

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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 Accouvt 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:—

Frank Brooke Esq J.C. proposed the Hon. H. L. D. Boscawen D.L seconded and agreed unanimously as follows:—

"That he was certain he was giving expression to the feelings of every member of the Board present as well as to those absent of every member absent to move that the business of the Board be adjourned until this day week as a small mark of sympathy with the Royal Family in the affliction at present passing over them."

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held, on Friday *the* 22nd *day of* January 18 92

(Signed), Benj Hopkins

Clerk of the Union

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. } Shillelagh UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 15th day of January 1892

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.
II. Public Health Acts.

Present—*In the Chair*, Wm Frank Brooke Esq

Other Guardians:

The Hon H. L. D. Boscawen D.L.

Messrs Ralph Lawrenson. Andrew Wolahan. Edmd J. Ferris. John Kiley. Patrick Byrne. Joseph Hopkins. N.O Toole and Abraham Downes.

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:—

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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 _____ 18 , *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* _____ 18 .

_____ *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*).

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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*

[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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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 Friday the 15th day of Janry. 1892

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Frank Brooke Esq J.P. V.C.

Other Members:

The Hon.ble H.L.D. Boscawen D.L. Messrs. Ralph Lawrenson. Andrew Wolahan. E. J. Ferris. John Kelly. Patrick Byrne. Joseph Hopkins. Nicholas O'Toole and Abraham D. Symes.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the Friday the 22nd day of January 1892

(*Signed*), Benj. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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Wm Spears
Ch.

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 22 day of January 1892

(Signed) Benj. Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of January 1892

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
Workhouse	88	139
Temporary Buildings.		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	11
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	138	150

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	19	33	43	27	5	5	4	11	1	148
Admitted during the Week,	4	2	4	1						14
TOTAL,	23	35	47	28	5	5	4	11	1	162
Discharged during the Week,	6	3	2					1		12
Died,			2							2
Total Discharged and Dead,	6	3	4					1		14
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	20	32	43	28	5	5	4	10	1	148

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	56	In separate Wards	12
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	11	In Wards with other Inmates,	"
Total,	64	Total,	12

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	5	2	"	4
No. in Workhouse at date	"	"	"	"

No. at corresponding period last year 142

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of January 18 92, 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.	66	132					Bt. forward,						
No. II.	49	94					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. forwd.,							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 22nd day of January 18 92

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, William Spears Esq

Other Guardians:— Messrs John Kelly, Edward Grange, Nicholas O'Toole, Patrick Byrne, Edward Byrne, and Abraham D Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 69 *to No.* 108 *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, - - £ 98 : = : =

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ 9 : 14 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 38 : 17 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £	s.	d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining Uncollected £	s.	d.

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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 40 *s.* 18 *d.* 5

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	29	1	8
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was		3	2
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - -		4	3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -		4	10

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:—

276, 4 lb. Loaves Bread
26 lb. Butter
200 " Beef
106 " Mutton
24 Gallons Buttermilk
150 " Sweetmilk.
3 Cwt Washing Soda

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 16 *day of* Janr. *18* 92 *whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - -	"	"	
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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.* £ s. d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

491	Mary Anne Baker	Maint Kennedy Child	6	10	=
492	Do John Bobster	Reg Fees	1	4	"
"	name	Lunacy Fee	1	1	"

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
69	Susan Hopkins	Milk	33	2	1

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

4. *Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
43	Michael O'Toole	on a/c	25	0	0

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:—

Dr King, Workhouse Medical Officer, recommended that a patient in the Infirmary named Kate McEvoy be sent to the Mater Misericordia Hospital Dublin for operation, when the Board authorized the Master to have her placed there.

The Infirmary Nurse, Miss Deegan, applied for ten days leave of absence, owing to illness, which the Board granted, the Matron Mrs Corrigan, to take charge of Infirmary during that period.

James Byrne of Hacketstown applied for Out Door Relief to be continued: allowed 2/6 a week for one month.

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

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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) :—

No 153 – M /91 – Miscellaneous 5th January 92

Read circular letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland requesting to be furnished with a Return respecting the Rates made and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union during the Quarter ended 31st Dec. 91

No 3 M. 92 5th January 92

From same to transmit the ends for the information of the Guardians a copy of a statement showing the receipts and expenditure of Unions & the number of persons who received in-door and out-door relief in all Ireland during the year ended the 29th of Sept 91

No 1 – M/92 – Miscellaneous 14th Jany 92

From same read circular letter calling attention to the General order dated the 2nd January 1863. regulating the conduct of Elections of Guardians in the several Unions in Ireland.

Mr. Patrick Byrne proposed pursuant to 14 days notice, Mr. Edward Grange seconded and passed unanimously as follows :–

"That the Workhouse Porter, Patrick Fox, be granted an increase of Salary from £10 to £12. per annum, payable from the 25th of December last for which we desire the sanction of the Local Government Board."

The Board proceeded to consider the question as to whether they would become a contributory Union under the National School Teachers (I) act when the subject was adjourned till this day week.

The Board agreed that the Clerk invite Tenders to be considered on this day three weeks to supply the Workhouse for three months from the 1st Proximo with the best quality of White Bread, Beef, Mutton, Oatmeal, Indian Meal, Butter and Irish Bacon.

It was proposed by Mr. P. J Byrne seconded by Mr. N. O'Toole & passed unanimously as follows :–

"That this Board desire to record their deep regret at the death of his Eminence Cardinal Manning."

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 39

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

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

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - - - 1

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - 115

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 Friday *the* 29th

day of January 1892

(Signed), Benj Hopkins

Clerk of the Union

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Shillelagh UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 22nd day of January 1892

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.
II. Public Health Acts.

Present—*In the Chair*, William Speares Esq

Other Guardians:

Messrs. John Kelly

Edward Grange. Nicholas O'Toole Patrick Byrne

Edward Byrne and Abraham D. Symes

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Hackestown *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:—*

That the Clerk transmit same to the Contractors

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

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

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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) :—

Hackballscross &c *Dispensary District.*

40 *Account of Mr.* D. W. L. Lyons *for* Pensions &c Jan Feb & March *Amount,* £ 33. 10. 1

35. 14. 5

[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 _____ 18 , *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* _____ 18 .

_____ *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*).

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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*) :—

No 53504/91

Read letter from the Local Govt Board *dated* 9th January 1892 *stating that*

they have received a communication from the Committee of Management of the HacRetstown & CoolKenno Dispensary Dist notifying that they have appointed Dr Joseph Brown Jackson as Medical Officer for that Dist. and the Board approve of the appointment at the Salary of £120 per annum together with £15 as Med. Officer of Health commencing as proposed on the 21st Ultimo

No 574

12th January 92

from same advising to Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of this Union on the 11th Inst to express their sanction to the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £135 a year from the 24th September to the 16th Nov. and at £3. 3. 0 a week from the 16th Nov. to the 31st Ultimo to Dr Lynes for his services as Temporary Medical Officer of the HacRetstown CoolKenno Dispensary District under the circumstances stated in the Minutes.

[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		
4/0 HacRetstown &c	Dr W.L. Lynes Salary	24		0

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

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Shillelagh 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 Friday the 22nd day of January 1892

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, William Spears Esq

Other Members:

Messrs. John Kelly, Edward Grange, Nicholas O Toole, Patrick Byrne, Edward Byrne and Abraham D. Symes

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 29th day of January 1892

(*Signed*), Bur Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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Hawk. Brooke

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 29th day of January 1892

(*Signed*) Burg Hutchins

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of January 1892

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
Workhouse	88	145
Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	18
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	138	163

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	20	32	43	28	5	5	4	10	1	148
Admitted during the Week,	12	8	1		1	1	2	2	3	30
TOTAL,	32	40	44	28	6	6	6	12	4	178
Discharged during the Week,	4	5	2		1					15
Died,										
Total Discharged and Dead,	4	5	2		1					15
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	28	35	42	28	5	6	6	12	4	163

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	59	In separate Wards	12
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	18	In Wards with other Inmates,	"
Total,	77	Total,	12

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	6	3	3	12
No. in Workhouse at date	1	"	"	1

No. at corresponding period last year 144

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 23 day of January 1892, 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	
	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.	66	132				
No. II.	49	94				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
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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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 29th day of January 1892

PRESENT: In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq D.L. C.

Other Guardians:— Major Newton D.L. Messrs. Ralph Lawrenson Louis Montfort D.L., Edward Byrne D.L., J. F. Haskins, R. Lawrenson, Andw. Wolahan, Wm. Speares, Peter Foley, Pierce Butler, Robert Carey, Patk. Byrne, J. Swan, A Dyrnes & John O'Sullivan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 109 *to No.* 274 *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, - - £ : :

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ : :

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ : :

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Treasurer a/c was not received this week

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.

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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 18 *s.* 9 *d.* 10

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	29	14	1
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was		3	2
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - -		4	3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -		4	10

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 :—

291 4 lb Loaves Bread
209 lbs Beef
100 " Mutton
24 " Butter
26 Gallons Buttermilk
158 " Sweetmilk
2 Pieces Striped Linsey

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 23 *day of* Jany *18*92 *whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - -	10	6	6
In kind, - - - -	-	-	-
Total, - £	10	6	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bl. 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. forwd.					Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.* £ s. d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

			£	s.	d.
4/6	J. D. Lawrenson	Estab.t Rent	20	10	-
4/7	Patrick Cullen	Regt Fees	2	5	-
4/8	Benjamin Hopkins	Cttee Allowance	2	-	-

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
44	Michael Neill Miller	43	4	9
45	Laurence Mulligan Baker	29	13	5

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:—

James Whelan of Carnew applied to the Board for an Orphan Boy, to nurse named Timothy Daly whom the Guardians agreed to place in his care, he having executed the necessary Contract.

A Workhouse School girl named Sarah Doyle was granted an outfit on going to service with James Kilsella of Mus Reagh.

Michael Dooley, an Inmate, applied for an exchange of Boots on leaving the House which the Board allowed.

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

The Master reports that he returned the Butter received into the Workhouse on Friday last, as it was of inferior quality.

The Board noted the foregoing report of the Master.

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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) :—

No. 5 – M/92 – Miscellaneous 22nd January 92

Read circular letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland transmitting forms for a return showing the number of Idiots & Lunatics in the Workhouse on the 31st December 91.

The Board proceeded to consider the Question, as adjourned from last Board day whether this Board are willing to become Contributory under "The National School Teachers (Ireland) Act."

Mr. Lynes proposed Mr. Carey seconded and passed unanimously the following – "That this Board do not become Contributory under the National School Teachers (Ireland) Act"

Mr. Spears proposed Major Newton D.L. seconded and passed unanimously the following – "That the Guardians desire to express their unfeigned regret at the death of Mr. James Hopkins of Dunmore who was for so many years a prominent member of the Board, and in the bereavement that has thus overtaken his family, they wish to offer them their cordial sympathy."

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 19

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

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

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

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - 115

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 Friday *the* 5th

day of February 18 92

(Signed) Bury Hopkins

Clerk of the Union

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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 29th day of January 1869

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair*, Frank Brooke Esq P.L.G.

Other Guardians:

Major Newton J.P.
Messrs R. D. Lawrenson J.P. L. Montfort J.P. E. Byrne J.P.
J. H. Haskins. Ralph Lawrenson, A. Nolahan. W. Speares,
Peter Foley, Pierce Butler, Robert Carey. Patk Byrne,
Thos Lynch, A. D. Symes and John O Sullivan.

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:—*

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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) :—

Coolattin & Clonegall *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. P. D Lawrenson *for* Rent Dispy : *Amount,* £ 6-0-0

[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 _____ 18 , *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* _____ 18 .

_____ *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*).

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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*

[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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The Board agreed that advertisements be inserted in the General Advertiser and Local papers, inviting Tenders for carrying out the Edmeer Water Works, to be considered on Friday 19th February next, and that notices be given to the following Occupiers of Lands affected by said Works. viz:- Jeremiah Rickerby, Frank Osborne, Eliza Hickey, Michael Cassidy, J. Hilliard and Thomas Dowse.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 5th day of February 1892.

(Signed), Bluy Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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Shillelagh 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 Friday the 29th day of January 1892

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Frank Brooke Esq D.L. & J.P.

Other Members: Major Newton J.P. Messrs. Ralph L. Lawrenson J.P., Louis Montport J.P., Edward Byrne J.P., Thos. F. Haskins, Ralph Lawrenson, A. Wolahan, W. Spears, Peter Foley, Pierce Butler, Robert Carey, Patk. Byrne, Thomas Doran, Abraham Dwynes & John O'Sullivan

The Board being specially convened proceeded to consider a Representation recd from Ratepayers to erect a Cottage at Ardnaboy in the Coolballintaggart Electoral Division under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts

A notice objecting to the application for a Labourer's Cottage at Ardnaboy in the Coolballintaggart Electoral Division, was read signed by 15 Ratepayers of the Division on the grounds that a Labourers Cottage is not required in the Townland and that the Specific Instance is not an Agricultural Labourer but on the contrary being an employer of labour, a Road Contractor, Small Grazier and Skilled Horse Trainer.

It was proposed by Mr. Butler seconded by Mr. O Sullivan - "That a Committee be appointed to inspect and report on the

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Representation of Laburence Tomkins by two day fortnight.

Amendment proposed by Mr R. D Lawrenson seconded by Mr Swan — "That we do not pass a Scheme for a Labourer's Cottage in the Division of Coolballintaggart on the grounds that there is no deficiency in House Accommodation and on the further grounds that we do not believe Laurence Tomkins to be a Labourer within the meaning of the Act."

On a poll being taken 6 Guardians voted for the proposition and 9 for the Amendment which was declared carried.

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Wm Spiers
Ch

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 5th day of February 1892

(Signed) Benj Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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