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RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1881 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127977-1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of September 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	589	216														
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	5														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	669	221														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			14	23	64	65	5	7	12	5	9	204	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	51	In separate Wards	30
Admitted during the Week			49	11	3	2	1	2	5	5	3	81	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other inmates	10
TOTAL,			63	34	67	67	6	9	17	10	12	285	TOTAL,	56	TOTAL,	40
Discharged during the Week			47	6	1	1	—	1	3	2	2	63	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—				
Total Discharged and Dead			47	6	2	1	—	1	3	2	2	64	No. Relieved during week	47	Males	4
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	28	65	66	6	8	14	8	10	221	No. in Workhouse at date	9	Females	4
															Children under 15	4
															TOTAL	17
															No. at corresponding period last year,	204

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of September 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 51, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	70	131	John D. Edge
No. II.	71	106	John Manley
No. III.	195	264	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	85	137	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	421	628	5 Johnson 2 Murphy

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 8th day of September 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel C. J. Tottenham D.L. Chm
Other Guardians:—

Mr. John J. Cowley D.V.C.
Major C.W.R. Tottenham M.P.
Mr. Lawrence W. Byrne M.P.
" James J. Graham
" Edward Ellison
" John Byrne
" Pat J. Harey
" Martin Doyle

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 641 to No. 728 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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 *in favor* 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.
PATRICK FARRELL	...	Altidore	...	...	...			
		Kilcoole	...	...	...			
		Killiskey	...	...	...			
		Newcastle Lower	...	...	...			
		" Upper	...	...	...			
WILLIAM MURPHY	...	Ballycullen	...	...	...			
		Brockagh	...	...	...			
		Calary	...	...	...			
		Glendalough	...	...	...			
		Moneystown	...	...	...			
		Oldtown	...	...	...			
		Togher	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOWLING...	...	Glenealy	...	...	...			
		Wicklow	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOUGLAS...	...	Dunganstown East	...	...	...			
		" South	...	...	...			
		" West	...	...	...			
GEORGE EVANS ...	...	Ennereilly	...	...	...			
		Kilbride	...	...	...			
JAMES M'ANANAMA	...	Arklow	...	...	...			
JOHN BRENNAN ...	...	Ballyarthur	...	...	...			
		Cronebane	...	...	...			
		Ovoca	...	...	...			
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	...	Aughrim	...	...	...			
		Ballinacash	...	...	...			
		Ballinacor	...	...	...			
		Ballinderry	...	...	...			
		Knockrath	...	...	...			
		Rathdrum	...	...	...			
		Trooperstown	...	...	...			
		TOTALS, £									

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	35	18	7
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	41	3	1
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	5½
Average Cost in Infirmary -		4	1
Average Cost in Fever Hospital -		3	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:—

900 Loaves Bread
 2400 Gallons Newmilk
 400 " Buttermilk
 26 lbs Butter
 420 " Meat
 27 Sheep Heads
 24 doz Eggs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 22nd day of September 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money ...	35	5	10
In Kind ...	-	-	-
Total ...	£ 35	5	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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LIVINGSTON <i>S. Johnson</i>	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
<i>D. O'Brien</i>	7	10	-
<i>W. Murphy</i>	19	9	7
<i>John D. Edge</i>			
<i>John Manley</i>			
<i>Joseph Livingston</i>			
<i>Richard Ellison</i>			
<i>Ellis</i>			
<i>W. Smith</i>			
<i>M. Lewis</i>			
<i>Maintenance D. M.</i>			
<i>Fees</i>			
<i>Posting Notes</i>	5	-	-
<i>Stamps</i>	1	16	7
<i>Reps</i>		13	3
<i>Fees</i>		14	-
<i>Sundry</i>		5	-
<i>"</i>		6	-
	8	14	10

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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:—

Given The Earl and Countess of Menth having attended Divine Service at the Workhouse on the 27th ultimus have expressed their pleasure by presenting a Harmonium to the Church together with 5 Dozen of white enamel dinner plates for the use of the Hospital, which are a great improvement on the tin ones.

Proposed by Mr John Byrne seconded by Major Tottenham.
Resolved—

That the heartfelt thank of the Board be given to Lord and Lady Menth for their kind benevolence.

Passed unanimously

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):—

Read Letter Dated the 5th instant from the Local Government Board transmitting an order on the Paymaster General, Dublin Castle, for payment to the Guardians Credit of a sum of £ 344-2-7 on account of Medical & Educational Expenses incurred by the Guardians in the half year ended the 25th of March last.

Read Letter from same Dated the 6th instant, requesting to be informed of the action taken by the Guardians in regard to the half year of Mr Bourke Ld respecting the improvements suggested in the Workhouse Hospital, &c.

Order - This matter is to be considered at next spec^l meeting on the 22nd instant.

Read Letter from Jane Dated the 7th instant, requesting to be furnished with certified copies of the plans & of the alterations to be made in the sanitary arrangements in the yards attached to the Workhouse Infirmary.

Order — Mr Little C^d to furnish the Plans or asked for.

Read Letter from Morgan Byrne, one of the Guardians tenants for Cabiners Cottages calling attention to the want of some repairs to the roof of his cottage.

Order — Mr Owen Byrne P^{ly} to be asked to look into this matter.

Charles. Wetherby
15/9/93
Chas

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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 Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 15th day of September 189 3

(Signed)

B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~

the 8th day of September 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, James Tottenham Esq

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 1—

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

District	.	.	.	£
District	.	.	.	£

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from The Governors of Arklow Fever Hospital stating that they are at present contemplating the carrying out of certain repairs to that institution, and are desirous before commencing them of being informed whether in the event, of the portion of the Building at present used as a District Dispensary being disconnected with the remaining portion the Governs will adhere to their offer to pay a rent of £8 a year for the use of these apartments as a Dispensary.

Order—

The Medical Officer of Arklow Dispensary District to be asked to report on this proposal to change the present arrangement of the Fever Hospital premises for the purposes of a Dispensary.

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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
Newcastle	D. Loverink	Report relating to a nuisance arising from sewerage matter which flows from the Commons at Kilcoole	Order - S. O. Murphy to examine the premises and report as to the best mode of abating this nuisance, with an estimate of the cost =
do	Same	Report relating to a nuisance arising from the close proximity of the Piggery of Mr. J. Deher of Kilcoole, to his dwelling.	Order - Notice to be served on Deher to abate this nuisance. =

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read Letter from the Local Government Board, Dated the 4th inst., forwarding to be laid before the Guardians a letter which they have received from Mr Thomas Deane complaining of the defective Sanitary condition of the village of Kilcoole, and requesting to be furnished with the Guardians Observations on the matter.

Order -

Referred to the Medical Officer of Health:—
It does not appear by the Minutes that the Dist. Medical Officer reported the matters complained of ~~on Friday~~ in February 1890, as stated by Mr Deane with the exception of three piggeries on the owners of which the Board directed notices to be served. -

Read Letter from same Dated the 7th inst. forwarding for the Guardians Observations a copy of a letter which they have received from the Town Commissioners of Arklow, relating to existing Sanitary arrangements in the town, and the necessity for appointing a Medical Officer of Health under the Boards Cholera Order in the District.

Order -

Referred to the Dispensary Committee: -

Read Letter from same of same Date requesting to be furnished with a tracing from the Ordnance map showing the area of charge for the expenses to be incurred in providing a supply of water for the town of Rathdrum

Order

Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127977 : 4/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of September 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
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Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	5															
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TOTAL	669	211															
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Admitted during the Week			43	12	3	2	—	1	4	9	6	80	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other inmates		
TOTAL			59	40	68	68	6	9	18	17	16	301	TOTAL	93	TOTAL		
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS																	
													Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Discharged during the Week -																	
Died																	
Total Discharged and Dead																	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE																	
													No. Relieved during week	32	7	10	49
													No. in Workhouse at date	6	2	2	10
													No. at corresponding period last year, 197				

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No. IV.	84	136	Richard Ellison
TOTALS	420	628	S. Johnson L. Murphy

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 15th day of September 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham D.R. Clerk
Other Guardians.—

Mr. John J. Cowley DVC
Edward Ellison
Major Tottenham JP
Mr. John Byrne
" Owen Byrne
" E. Channery

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 721 to No. 800 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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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.

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		£	s	d.	£	s	d.	£	s	d.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altidore						
	Kilcoole						
	Killiskey						
	Newcastle Lower						
	" Upper						
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen						
	Brookagh						
	Calary						
	Glendalough						
	Monestown						
	Oldtown						
	Togher						
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy						
	Wicklow						
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East						
	" South						
	" West						
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly						
	Kilbride						
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow						
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur						
	Cronebane						
	Ovoca						
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim						
	Ballinacash						
	Ballinacor						
	Ballinderry						
	Knockrath						
	Rathdrum						
	Trooperstown						
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 33 . 10 . 4
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 39 . 16 . 9
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - £ 3 . 5 . 2

Average Cost in Infirmary - £ 4 . 1

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:—

500 Loaves Bread
234 Gallons Newmilk
35 " Butter 16
21 lb Butter
430 lb Meat
27 Omelets
1 chest Tea
2 Gallons Whiskey
24 Doz Eggs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 9th day of September 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	35	8	6
In Kind	-	-	-
Total	£ 35	8	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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY		-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON		-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Milk	18	15	5
Green	20	3	6

E. Shurt
M. Byrne

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£ s. d.

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

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

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

The 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):—

Read Circular Dated the 12th inst. from the Local Govt. Board call for a Return showing certain particulars respecting the erection of Labourers cottages in this Union.

Read Letter from same Dated 12 inst. forwarding for the Guardians Observations a letter which they have received from Edward Barry relative to his application for a cottage under the Labourers Act.

Order -

The facts as stated in Mr Barry's letter appear substantially correct, but the Board does not endorse his opinion, or his rates.

Another Representation in favour of a cottage on Knockadreen has been submitted to the Grant.

and will be considered in due course:

It is to be noted that Lord Fitzwilliam has signified his intention of building all cottages in the Division considered to be necessary.

= M. W. W. W.
22/9/93

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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.

<i>The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was</i>	...	...	...	7
<i>Ditto disallowed</i>	...	...	...	1
<i>The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was</i>	...	...	...	6

<i>The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was</i>	...	...	...	...	✓
<i>Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians</i>	...	...	...	...	✓

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

<i>The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was</i>	✓
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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 ~~Wednesday~~ *Friday* the *22nd*
day of *September* 1893

(Signed)

G. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday},
the 15th day of September 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Colonel Pattenham & Co. Clerk

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] *The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

*Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____*

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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:—

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

Read Letter Dated the 11th instant from Dr. Gardiner, Medical Officer of Arklow Dispensary District, in reference to the extracts from the report of Dr. Flynn L.G.O. on the sanitary state of the town of Arklow, and also in reference to the letter of the Governors of Arklow Fever Hospital with regard to the Dispensary accommodation.

Dr. Gardiner states that he has nothing to add to what Dr. Flynn says, in regard to the sanitary requirements of the town; and in reference to the Dispensary he cannot see how the Dispensary and Entrance Hall could be disconnected from the rest of the building; and in his opinion the Dispensary and Fever Hospital should not be one building at all.

Order—

Referred to the District Committee for their immediate attention.

Read Letter from Dr. Loverick Dated the 14th instant stating that he will send in his report as to the state of Kilcock by next Monday-day.

Charles P. Tottenham M.D.
22/9/93.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 22nd
day of September 1893

Signed,

B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127,977.1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of September 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 3 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURNS OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	289	211															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	5															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	668	216															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			12	26	68	66	4	5	10	8	12	211	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	90	In separate Wards	38	
Admitted during the Week			45	15	1	—	—	4	5	5	2	81	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other inmates	40	
TOTAL,			57	41	69	66	4	9	15	13	14	292	TOTAL,	95	TOTAL,	40	
Discharged during the Week			47	13	3	—	—	2	5	4	1	75	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			47	13	3	1	—	2	5	4	1	76	No. Relieved during week	37	5	1	43
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			10	28	66	65	4	7	14	9	13	216	No. in Workhouse at date	5	1	1	7
													No. at corresponding period last year,				200

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16th day of September 1893 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		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	68	129	John D. Edge
No. II.	71	106	John Manley
No. III.	198	263	Joseph L. L. Johnson
No. IV.	84	136	Richard Edmon
TOTALS,	421	634	690

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 22nd day of September 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Tottenham D^r Ch^r

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. R. R. Doughty P^r C. John J. Corley D^r C.
 Dr. J. O. Drnell P^r Colonel Kemmis P^r Mr. Dowling P^r.
 Messrs. T. Wolohan, D. Somers, J. Byrne, O. Byrne,
 A. Sheehan, E. Storey, E. Chamney, M. Connolly, P.
 Miley, E. Ellison, M. J. Jones, W. Gullen, W.
 Grant, C. Menigan.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 801 to No. 880 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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 *in favor* 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.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	" Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	31	9	10
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -			
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	40	8	2
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	5½
Average Cost in Infirmary -		4	1
Average Cost in Fever Hospital -		3	60

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:—

920 Loaves Bread
 240 Galls Newmills
 35 " Buttermilk
 22 lbs Butter
 430 " Meat
 27 Hens
 2 ½ casks Butter
 2 cwt Sugar

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 16th day of September 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	...	...	...	...	...	£	s.	d.
In Kind ...	...	...	...	...	...	34	14	0
							5	0
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	£ 34	19	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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	...	...	...
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	...	...	...
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON	...	...	...
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON	...	...	...

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
E. McGinnis	Meat	119	2	11
M. Johnson	Milk	11	10	10
W. Smith	Fees	35	18	7
J. Dowling	"	24	8	6
J. Flower	Supper Clerk to pay			
S. Ryan	Luncheon Exps	1	8	1
J. Hayden	" Fee	1	1	-
M. Doyle	Repairs	1	6	-
W. Cassells	Salt		17	6
J. Dowling	Making clothes		10	6
M. Lawler	Overlaid Rates	1	5	-
M. Moran	San. Exps		7	-
	"		5	-
		7	-	1

£ s. d.

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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:—

Gentlemen—

It will be necessary to appoint a Comtee to take stock of Provisions & Clothing, and to cancel articles on the clothing ^{Account} Book; on Friday the 29th instant.

Committee

Messrs John Byrne

Miles Byrne

William Grant

Edw^d Ellison

to meet at Eleven o'clock on Friday 29th 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):—

Read Letter Dated the 21st instant, from Mr. J. H. Dooney, Solicitor, Dublin, enclosing a Receipt for £68.17.6, from the Solicitors of Mr. Joseph Berry C.E. in acknowledgement of that amount received by him as settlement in full for his claim against the Guardians for Engineers fees in respect of services rendered by him in relation to the new Dispensary & Residence erected by the Guardians at Aughrim and in relation to the Guardians Improvement Scheme No. 2 under the Habourers (Ireland) Act.

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Read Letter from the Nurse of the Workhouse Fever Hospital applying for an increase in her salary.

Order — By a rule of the Board applications for

increase of salary are only to be considered at the first meeting of the new Board.

The Guardians proceeded to take into con- sideration the letter of the Local Government Board relating to the necessity for appointing paid attend- ants on the Lunatic inmates of the Workhouse, and of providing increased hospital accommoda- tion by converting the present coal store into an hospital ward, and by converting the present chests into wash houses.

After full consideration the following order was made -

The Guardians consider that the present arrangement which permits the Master to employ paid attendants if necessary is sufficient.

The Master is requested to sketch a plan of the proposed alterations respecting the Coal Stove & the Closets as to what will be required, and give an estimate of its probable cost at next meeting.

In accordance with notice the following Resolution was proposed by Mr. Wolohan & seconded by Mr. Samers -

Resolved -

That the period allowed to the Poor Rate Collectors in which to complete their collections be extended from seven to nine months

Carried

Carried

The Enandians accepted a tender from Mr. J. D. Pearson of Bathurst, proposing to pay £4. for the refuse of the Workhouse Kitchen for three months.

The following contracts were entered into -
viz:

For three months

Mrs E McGinn	- Best mutton	@	5 $\frac{1}{2}$ p lb
do	" Beef	"	4 $\frac{3}{4}$ "
do	" Bacon	"	7 $\frac{1}{4}$ "
do	" Oxen	"	2/- each
do	" Sheep	"	7 "
Mrs Mary Byrne	" White Bread	"	5 $\frac{1}{2}$ p 4 lb
Mr R Hill	" Oatmeal	"	12/- p cwt

For Six Months

Mr John Passant	Best Black Tea	@	2/4 p lb
" J. Smyth	" " "	"	1/6 "
do	" Soft Sugar	"	2 "
Mrs. Andrews & Co	" XX Porter	"	12/- p Doz. Ck.
do	" "	"	23/- " 1/2 Doz.
do	" Whiskey	"	14/6 " Gal
Mrs Kelly Bros	" Port Wine	"	14/- " Doz.
do	" Marsala	"	13/6 " "
do	" Gin	"	27/- " "
do	" Brandy	"	52/6 " "
do	" Pepper	"	6 " lb
Mr S Haskins	" Tobacco	"	3/2 $\frac{3}{4}$ " "
" E Mulhern	" Eggs	"	1/2 " Doz.
—	" Salt		No tender

29/9/93

Maclure & O'Rourke
Hans.

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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	...	...	...	5
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	4

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	1
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	1

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Office: 2 Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was
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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 29th
day of September 1893

(Signed)

R. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on *Friday* ~~Wednesday~~,
the *22nd* day of *September* 189*3*

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, *Colonel G. Stenham D.C. Ch.*

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 41

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

The Clerk to forward same to the Contractors for supply

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr.

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

*Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that*

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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
Arumoe	S. Farland	Report relating to the house occupied by Mr. H. Kennerly at Roundwood, which is in an insanitary & dangerous condition.	Order - Serve notice on the owner to repair.
Newbridge	S. Hudson	Report relating to the insanitary condition of the house occupied by Mrs. Wheatley of Cranebane.	Order - Notice to be served on the owner.
Same	SV	Report relating to the insanitary & uninhabitable condition of the house occupied by Grace Behan, Kilmacrae.	Order - Notice to be served on the occupier to leave the house, as it must be levelled.
Same	SV	Report relating to the insanitary & uninhabitable condition of the house occupied by - Padman pulled down of Knockanore.	Order - Notice to occupier to leave the house which must be pulled down.

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read Circular Dated the 18th instant from the Local Government Board forwarding for the information of the Sanitary Authorities a copy of the Rivers Pollution Prevention Act, 1873.

Read Circular from same, Dated the 20th instant, in relation to the regular inspection of their districts by Sanitary authorities, to which duty it is hoped the Guardians will give their earnest and sustained attention.

Order—

The Board has urged on the District Committees and District Sanitary Officers to give their earnest attention to the several recommendations of the Local Govt Board, and understands that so far as may have hitherto appeared desirable they are taking steps to protect their districts from disease.

The Guardians request that the LG Board will be so good as to send them a dozen and a half of this Circular. (N^o 99—N. 1893.)

Read Circular from same of same Date. forwarding copies of a sealed Order issued by them ~~by Board~~ in explanation of the words "Rags packed in bales and imported as merchandise."

— Charles Tottenham
29/9/93
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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~, the 29th
day of September 1893

Signed, J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 881 to No. 920 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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 *in favor* 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.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altidore									
	Kilcoole									
	Killiskey									
	Newcastle Lower									
	" Upper									
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen									
	Broekagh									
	Calary									
	Glendalough									
	Moneystown									
	Oldtown									
	Togher									
THOMAS DOWLING	Glenealy									
	Wicklow									
THOMAS DOUGLAS	Dunganstown East									
	" South									
	" West									
GEORGE EVANS	Ennereilly									
	Kilbride									
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow									
JOHN BRENNAN	Ballyarthur									
	Cronebane									
	Ovoca									
WILLIAM SMYTH	Aughrim									
	Ballinaclash									
	Ballinacor									
	Ballinderry									
	Knockrath									
	Rathdrum									
	Trooperstown									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - $\begin{matrix} £ & s. & d. \\ 30 & 1 & = \end{matrix}$

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - $\begin{matrix} £ & s. & d. \\ 39 & 12 & 10 \end{matrix}$

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - $\begin{matrix} £ & s. & d. \\ 3 & 5 & 2 \end{matrix}$

Average Cost in Infirmary - $\begin{matrix} £ & s. & d. \\ 4 & 1 & \end{matrix}$

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - $\begin{matrix} £ & s. & d. \\ 3 & 10 & \end{matrix}$

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:—

890 Loaves Bread
 100 Galls Newmills
 35 " Butter
 22 lbs Butter
 425 " Meat
 27 Hens
 25 Eggs
 4 cwt Salt
 4 " Sugar
 4 Chests Tea
 10 Galls Whiskey
 4 1/2 Bns Potatoes
 1/4 Chest Tea

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of September 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money ...	35	5	6
In Kind ...	1	7	6
Total ...	£ 36	12	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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Rev. R. W. Guinness	10	-	-
" P. Caherny	20	-	-
" St. Leeper	25	-	-
" Bormann	25	-	-
" J. Flower	20	-	-
" M. Flower	10	-	-
" A. Byrne	8	15	-
" C. Byrne	8	15	-
" M. Kenney	5	-	-
" J. O'Han	5	-	-
" A. Fitzgerald	3	15	-
" W. Reeves	3	15	-
" J. D. Edge	8	15	-
" J. Manley	8	15	-
" J. Levingston	8	15	-
" L. Murphy	8	15	-
" E. Tallon	5	-	-
" S. Cole	5	-	-
" Bormann	2	10	-
" St. Garland	30	-	-
" G. G. G. G.	25	-	-
" Byrne	25	17	6
" Satchwell	25	-	-
" A. D. D.	30	-	-
" L. L. L.	25	-	-
" Ryan	25	-	-
" H. H. H.	25	-	-

£ s. d.

Clerk to pay Dispensary Servants wages		10	10	-
R O'Brien	Wage	5	-	-
J Young	"	5	-	-
Ma McKing	"	3	15	-
W F Beresford	Rent	5	5	-
J Woodhouse	"	2	15	-
B Byrne	"	5	-	-
J S Dighe	"	4	-	-
E Hopkins	"	4	10	-
J Newson	Wage	15	-	-
B Manning	"	6	5	-
M New	"	3	15	-
M Byrne	Bread	28	3	11
L Byrne	Milk	27	14	4
D Edge	"	12	-	3
E Short	"	5	9	8
M Johnson	"	4	5	4
James Quinn	Pancake	6	-	11
E Mulhern	Eggs	3	15	-
J Suttin	Soap &	5	18	3
"	Flour	3	6	9
"	But	8	6	9
Johnson	Oil	30	-	-
M McPhail	Advert	13	5	-
"	Printing	8	19	9
M Byrne	Exp	3	14	4
Clerk	Small pay	9	15	-

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:—

On the report and recommendation of the Committee appointed to take stock of the clothing on hand at the end of the half year the following articles of cast clothing were ordered to be taken off the Clothing Books:—

27 Sheets	8 Coats m & B	37 Gowns W & G
12 Blankets	24 Vests "	38 Petticoats "
8 Rugs	19 Trowsers "	20 Shifts "
5 Dicks	21 Caps "	58 Aprons "
8 Pillows	42 Shirts "	12 Handkerchiefs
4 Towels	16 Ties	8 Caps
	160 Stockings	70 P. Shoes all kinds

The Guardians accepted a tender from Jas McDonald
 for the removal of the above old rags -
 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):—

Read Letter Dated the 28th instant, in reference to the Guardians' resolutions of the 22nd instant proposing to extend the time allowed to the Poor Rate Collectors for the completion of their collections from seven to nine months, and requesting to be informed whether these Officers Juries have received notice of this arrangement.

The S^d Board at the same time point out that it would be advisable if new Bonds were entered into by the Collectors.

Order:—

Notice has not yet been served on the Juries. The Collectors may be invited to enter into new Bonds.

Read Letter Dated the 29th instant from Dr Leeper, Medical Officer of the Workhouse reminding

the Guardians that the Lunatic Wards in the Workhouse are at present without any paid attendants, and suggesting that the alterations proposed to be carried out in the Infirmary range should provide a room both on the male and the female side to accommodate paid attendants when appointed.

Order - To be considered on notice given at any special meeting.

Read Letter Dated the 24th instant from Mr. Little, stating that as the original plan of the W.C.'s in mens and womens yards has been changed from outside the wall to inside it will be necessary to underpin the walls in each yard for about 3 feet high and 20 feet long, which will cost about £5 for the two.

Order - Approved, but the underpinning to be carried out to 24 feet, not to exceed £5.

Read Letter Dated the 28th instant from Mr. John Groghegan, Anglin, stating that at the Revision Petition at Rathfriland, his name was struck off the list of Parliamentary Voters on the grounds that he was living in the house with his brother Mutha Groghegan, and requesting the Guardians to assist him in finding out the Party who swore such was the case, as the contrary is the fact.

Order - The Board of Guardians have no knowledge of what takes place in Revision Courts.

The Guardians accepted a tender from

Mr. Wm Giffney of Rathnew, for putting up 16
perches of paling, with larch posts 7 feet apart
and 5 strands of wire, dividing the plots of land
attached to two labourers cottages at Milltown
in Glencady, E.D.

Ordered — That the following irrecoverable arrears
of Poor Rates, and Discrepancies, be taken off the Books,
so as to make the sums entered in the last Column
of Abstract Form 5, a. agree with the sums appearing
on the balance sheets of the Collectors Abstracts: —

viz:

Irish Electoral Division	58 - 17 - 10
Kyghrin	14 - 10
Ballinacush	3 - 0
Ballinacree	2 - 6 - 6
Ballinacree	11
Ballyarthur	12 - 13 - 2
Ballycullen	10
Brooklyne	14 - 12 - 5
Calary	4 - 5
Cornelane	21 - 2 - 0
Dungry East	15 - 0
" South	4 - 9
" West	4 - 8
Glendalough	1 - 14 - 5
Grebride	3 - 17 - 9
Killiskey	1
Kinnelagh	1 - 0
Moneystown	10 - 10
Newcastle n.p.	8 - 9
Ovora	12 - 11 - 11
Rathdown	10 - 5 - 11
Trappinstown	18 - 7
Wicklow	70 - 0 - 8

£ 192 - 5 - 3

R. R. Drought

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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 Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 6th
day of October 1893

(Signed)

J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,

the 29th day of September 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 61

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

_____ District	.	.	.	£
_____ District	.	.	.	£

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr.

of

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from The Arklem Dispensary Committee stating that

at their meeting on the 27th Sept 93 the Comtee had under their consideration the question of the repairs and alterations about to be carried out to the Arklem Fever Hospital with a view of removing the objection which at present exists to the Dispary forming a part of the Fever Hospital building.

The Committee forwarded for the Guardians consideration a plan which the Committee approve of and wish to know if the Guardians & the Local Board approve of it with the Guardians allow the £8 a year rent for the Dispensary & waiting room; The Committee recommend the Guardians to do so, as the Medical Officer approves of the proposed change.

Order — The Medical Officer to be asked whether he is satisfied with the arrangement now proposed for the Dispensary.

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

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

Inghin — 11 Defaulters

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

Notices to be served
in all these cases.

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
Newcastle	S. Loverock	Report relating to a nuisance arising from a dung heap in Mr. John Kearns' yard at Kilwale & from want of proper drainage and privy accommodation.	Order - Serve notice on Mr. Kearns to abate the nuisance within 21 days
St	Same	Report stating that the house occupied by a man named Saunders in the village of Kilcoole is unfit for human habitation	Order - Notice Saunders to find another dwelling within a fortnight & as his house must be levelled.
St	Same	Report stating that the following people have pig houses which are dangerous to the public health John Potts Rich. Keaton Pat ^r Doyle & Wm Saunders of Kilwale.	Order - Notices to be served on these occupiers to remove the piggeries, or make them sanitary within 21 days

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.
Union	Manning	3	15	-
	S. Keeper	3	15	-
	J. Drake	8	15	-
	Maudley	5	-	-
	S. Johnson	5	-	-
	L. Humphrey	7	10	-
	J. F. Evans	7	10	-
	P. Cart	2	10	-
Dispensaries	S. Garland	3	15	-
	" Gardner	2	10	-
	" Pryme	3	15	-
	" Satchwell	2	10	-
	" Hudson	3	15	-
	" Leverock	2	10	-
	" Ryan	2	10	-
	" Halpin	6	5	-

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

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

Read Letter from Local Government Board, Dated the 27th Sept 93, forwarding in compliance with the Guardians request 16 Copies of their Circular of the 20th Sept. as to precautions against Cholera.

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Read Letter from same dated the 28th September '93, with reference to the order made by the Guardians on the 15th Sept. on the report of Dr. Gardner, Medical Officer of Health of Arklow District on the subject of the Sanitary State of the town of Arklow, & pointing out that while the Dispensary Committee may possibly be able to arrange for the Hospital accommodation of any cases of Cholera that occurs, the present unsatisfactory Sanitary Condition of the town is a matter which should engage the immediate attention of the Guardians, who will incur grave responsibility in view of a possible outbreak of Cholera if they do not take prompt action upon the reports submitted to them.

Read minutes of proceedings of Arklow Disposal Committee at a meeting held on the 21st Sept. at which the question of the want of privy accommodation on the Quay, as recommended by the Arklow Town Commissioners was considered, as well as the question of appointing a medical officer to attend to Cholera Cases, also recommended by the Town Committee.

The Committee unanimously agreed to recommend the Guardians to erect one privy (cost not to exceed £50) on a site to be pointed out by the Medical Officer; but they are of opinion that a second Medical Officer is not required for Cholera cases.

Order - The erection of the privy approved by the Guardians. Mr. Evans £50 to be asked to draw a plan with

the advice of the Medical Officer.

The Committee also considered the question of the cost of sowing the hay that grew on the new cemetery ground at Arklow and are of opinion that £3.16.0 is sufficient wages to allow, and that the balance £9.19.0, should be sent by the Registrar to the Guardians.

As regards the second crop of hay the Committee are of opinion that the Guardians ought to make a present of it to the Registrar to cover the expense of sowing it.

Approved by the Guardians, Mr New to be called on to refund the £9.19.0.

Read Letter from St. Leger M.C.H. of the Newcastle District in reference to the report sent to the L.G. Board by Mr. McKeane relating to the sanitary state of the Village of Kilcock.

St. Leger states that there is no privy accommodation to any of the houses referred to by Mr. Keane, nor has he one attached to his own dwelling which is not all that could be desired.

St. Leger further states the only closet suitable in the cases referred to would be dry earth ones as the ordinary privy will make the houses in Ballygannon home unsanitary and pollute the river with sewerage matter.

There has been no death in the village from Cholera as reported by Mr. Keane, and none of the houses in the village have privies or ash-pits. It would take at least £600 to make Kilcock sanitary. Order - Adjourned till next Board day.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 6th day of October 1893

Signed,

J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

R. R. Wright Chm.

Population in 1861— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127977:1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of September 1893

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS													OBSERVATIONS		
Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date													
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in Hospital		and Idiots in													
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RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of September 1893 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		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	68	129	John D. Edge
No. II.	72	107	John Manley
No. III.	199	262	Joseph Livingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	84	136	Richard Ellison L. Murphy
TOTALS	423	634	= 681

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 6th day of October 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair— Rich^d A. Drought Esq. P. VC

Other Guardians:—Mr. John J. Cowley DVC

Doct^r H. P. Drucell P. Mr. Edw^d. Robinson
 Colonel Kemmis P. " Edw^d Phamney
 Mayor Tottenham P. " Lance Wolohan
 Mr. Saml. Denze " Edw^d Ellison
 " Edw^d Stacey " William Grant
 " John Byrne " J. P. Keane
 " Owen Byrne " Martin Doyle
 " P. B. Keel

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 921 to No. 982 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ✓ to No. ✓ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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 Book was signed by the Chairman.

the Guardians was £

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:—

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		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altidore						
	Kilcoole						
	Killiskey						
	Newcastle Lower						
	„ Upper						
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen						
	Brockagh						
	Calary						
	Glendalough						
	Moneytown						
	Oldtown						
	Togher						
THOMAS DOWLING	Glenealy						
	Wicklow						
THOMAS DOUGLAS	Dunganstown East						
	„ South						
	„ West						
GEORGE EVANS	Ennereilly						
	Kilbride						
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow						
JOHN BRENNAN	Ballyarthur						
	Cronebane						
	Ovoca						
WILLIAM SMYTH	Aughrim						
	Ballinaclash						
	Ballinacor						
	Ballinderry						
	Knockrath						
	Rathdrum						
	Trooperstown						
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -

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The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -

Average Cost in Infirmary -

Average Cost in Fever Hospital -

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

900 Loaves Bread
2400 Gallons Newmilk
35 " Buttermilk
21 lbs Butter
400 " Meat
27 Hens
102 cwt Oatmeal
26 Dgs Eggs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 30 day of Sept- 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

						£	s.	d.
In Money	...	...	...	...	...	37	5	10
In Kind	...	...	...	...	...		8	0
Total	...	...	...	...	...	£ 37	13	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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
J Smyth	Groceries	66	13	7
S McQuinn	Meat	17	3	11
Kelly & Co	Whiskey	12	10	9
M J Byrne	Tea	9	-	-
J Keenan	Knitting	20	18	10
E Dallen	Shoes	6	5	10
W J Murphy	Insurance	7	10	-
J Finn	Hardware	6	2	6
J Smyth	Brushes	3	12	-
J Sand	Reps	7	2	2
M Byrne	"	2	-	-
J Fenner	"	6	11	9
B Byrne	Drug Dis	4	6	8
R Guey	Rent	4	-	-
M Clarke	on a to post	48	15	-
J Martin & Co	Drum flk to pay			
S Hawkins	Bricks	1	13	4
J Cleary	oil	1	-	7
R Webster	flaming flk	12	6	
J Volan	Prayer Book	14	8	
J Sand	Reps	12	-	
C Wilson	Wine	10	6	
L Byrne	flu	14	6	
W	"	11	5	
J Whelan	Sundries	5	11	
	Stew	1	4	4
		7	19	9

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 L. Murphy
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 2 L. Murphy
 3 J. Evans
 4 M. New

JDR

Sandra

"

Jenny

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10	-	-
5	-	-

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

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

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

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

Sealed Order Dated the 23rd September 1893 from the Local Government Board fixing the scale of remuneration of Clerks of unions and Poor Rate Collectors under the Parliamentary Registration Expenses (Ireland) Act, 1890.

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):—

Read Circular Dated the 2nd inst^{ant} Calling for the Annual Return of Guardians and Union Officers.

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Read Circular Dated the 3rd inst^{ant} Transmitting the above Sealed Order.

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Read Circular Dated the 4th inst^{ant} Calling for the usual Quarterly Return of Rates made &c

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Read Order in Council Dated the 30th ultimo, No 153, revoking Orders Nos 151 & 152 relating to the North and South Dublin Unions.

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Read Letter from Mr Michael Clarke, Contractor, asking for an instalment on account of labourers cottages being built by him for the Guardians, under Improvement Scheme No 2.

Order - To be paid £48:15:0, that sum being certified for by Mr Little the Engineer.

Read Letter Dated the 6th instant from Mr. Wm. G. Murphy resigning his office as collector of rents of Labourers Cottages.

Order - Resignation accepted: -

Proposed by Mr. Wolohan seconded by Mr. Chamney - Resolved -

That Mr Lawrence Murphy do be appointed Rent collector for the Labourers Cottages in the Moneystown E.D. -

Passed

Contracts

The following contracts were declared for one year

Invoice

Mr John Parant	Best Rice	@ 10/8 7/2 cut
do	" White Soap	" 24/6 " "
do	" Starch	" 27/8 " 11
do	" Blue	" 4 " 11
do	" Rock oil	" 5 1/2 - Gal
Mr S Hastings	" Brown Soap	" 15/- " cut
do	" Washing Soda	" 4/9 " "

Clothing

Mr George Leeson	Lined	@ 2/4 7/2 yard
do	Triers	" 4/6 " "
do	Flannel (Irish)	" 1/- " "
do	Blankets	" 13/- " Pair
do	Bengal Stripe	" 7 1/2 " yard
do	Rugs (small)	" 3/- Each

Mr. George Leeson -	Blay Linen	@	9	£ yard
✓	Bed Tickers	"	10	" "
✓	Mending Calico	"	3	" "
✓	Threads	"	1/10	" lb
✓	Spools	"	2/6	" Doz
✓	Lape (broad)	"	2/6	" Doz
✓	Sewing needles	"	4	" 100
✓	Thimbles	"	6	" Doz
✓	Leather Laces	"	4/6	" Gros
✓	Mens socks	"	8	" Pair
Mr. John Sutton -	Linsay Wooley	"	1/-	" yard
✓	Bengal stripe	"	7 ¹ / ₂	" "
✓	Check	"	8	" "
✓	Print	"	5	" "
✓	Womens Handkerchiefs	"	8	each
✓	White Linen	"	10	£ yard
✓	Waisted	"	1/1	" lb
✓	Suspenders	"	5	" Pair
✓	Bone studs	"	5	" Gros
Mr. Chas. Wilson -	Linsay Wooley (red)	"	1/-	" yard
✓	Rings (large)	"	5/-	each
✓	Sheeting Calico	"	1/-	£ yard
✓	Stockings	"	1/2	" Pair
✓	Boys caps	"	6	each
✓	Pins	"	1	£ sheet
✓	Twine	"	10	" lb
✓	Lape (narrow)	"	1/9	" Doz
Mr. Lawrence Byrne -	Butt leather	"	1/2	" lb
✓	Kip	"	1/6	" "
✓	Keimp	"	2/6	" "
✓	Hairs	"	20/-	" "
✓	Shoe Nails	"	1/4	" 2000
Mr. John Passant -	Blay Calico	"	5	" yard
" John Sutton -	Mending needles	"	5	" lb
" John Whelan -	Oaten Straw	"	£3:4/-	" Ton
" Edward Dallon -	Shoes @ 6/-	4/6 + 3/4	£	Pair
" Sam Cole -	Making clothes (mens)	@	1/4	£ suit
✓	" " Boys	"	1/2	" "
" J. Westrip -	Offins	"	1/4	£ 100 each

Establishment

Mr. John Sutton - Iron coal Boxes @ 1/10 each
 " Whitewash Brushes " 1/6 "
 " Liners, 1/1 - Maps Hends 3/4 each
 " Bar Brooms 2/- each, Handles 2/- & 2g
 " Tins - Quilt 2/- Pint 1/- Platters 1/3 "
 " Tin Cans @ 1/8 & Gal
 " Iron Spoons " 10/- " Grof
 Mr. Joe Smyth - Iron House Buckets " 2/- each
 " Combs (Book Fine) " 12/- & Grof
 " Stone Hammers with handles " 1/3 each
 " Scraping Brushes " 3/- "
 Mr. John Sutton - Scrubbing " " 1/1 "
 " Fine combs " 18/- & Grof
 Mr. Chas. Henry - Planing clocks @ £1:10/- in the year
 " Chas. Ellis - Shoeing mare @ 2/6 & set
 " Thos. Doyle - Wooden Buckets @ 2/- each
 " Lawrie Payne - Aul blades & Handles @ 4/2 & Grof
 Mr. J. J. Dollard - Books, Forms, Stationary as & Pender
 " Wm. McPhail - Small Printing

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 Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	...
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	...
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Office's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was
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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 ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 13th
 day of October 1893

(Signed)

Olerk of the Union

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,
the 6th day of October 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

A. R. Doughty Esq. M.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Dungannon -
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:—

The Clerk to forward same to the Contractors.—

Charles J. Tottenham
Chair.

13/10/93.

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

Anghrim

Read Letter Dated the 5th inst from Dr. Byrne, Medical Officer of the Anghrim Disp^y District reporting that the Dispensary and Residence at Anghrim are in urgent need of painting, and a flight of steps is required in front of the hall door. Dr. Byrne asks the Guardians as the Landlords of the premises to have whatever is necessary done with the least possible delay.

Order - Referred to the Dispensary Committee:

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

District . . . £

District . . . £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

Dungarstown

Read the following minutes of proceedings of the Dungarstown Dispensary Committee at their meeting on the 2nd instant. Seven members present. —

In considering the Bills for the following sums £3.3.0 & £1.3.8, It was moved by Mr. Martin Doyle and seconded by Mr. C. Byrne, that these amounts be paid being for repairs on the Dispensary.

Proposed by Mr. Forster seconded by Mr. Blake that the List of Medicines required for use of the Dispensary be granted — Passed

In reply to the form sent by the Local Government Board, Dr. Satchwell is of opinion that the District is in a proper Sanitary state except a few houses already condemned which he would recommend to be looked after at once.

It was also proposed by Mr. Brennan & seconded by Mr. Doyle that Dr. Satchwell be given leave of absence from the 3rd of October till the 17th, Dr. Satchwell to do the duty for him:

Approved by the Guardians!

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from L. Gardiner, Arkless dated 5th instant stating that his approval concerning the accommodation proposed by the Secretary of the Arkless Fever Hospital must be conditional; He asked some time ago that a Dispensary should be built in some other locality; If this is not feasible he acquiesces in the proposed plan.

Order - to be forwarded to the Local Government Board.

Read Letter from the Hon^{ble} Secy of the Newcastle Dispensary Committee forwarding the following copy of a resolution passed by the Committee on the 18th ultimo.

Proposed by Colonel Stoney seconded by Mr. A. Williams
That the Committee recommend the sum of £6.6.0 to be paid to Dr. J. J. Eccles for his services as Consultant to Dr. Loverock during his illness, commencing the 13th of September 1893 and ending the 29 of same month, both days inclusive -

Passed unanimously

Order - to be paid subject to the approval of the LG Bd

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

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

<u>Arkless</u>	<u>Defaulters</u>
<u>Aughrim</u>	"
<u>Newcastle</u>	"

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

Notices to be served on the Defaulters.

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

Read Letter from Mr. John Evans S.S.O. Arklow, Dated the 5th instant, stating that he has written to the Harbour Master at Liverpool for a design of privy erected on the Quay in that port as a guide to the one proposed to be erected at Arklow.

Read Letter from same of same Date, stating that the open state of "Flights Well" & "Fishery Well" Arklow, render the water in these wells liable to be contaminated; and he recommends Pumps to be put up in both places; The cost he estimates at £15.

Order - Referred to the Dispensary Committee: -

Read Letter from Mr. Thos. Keane, Kilcoole, Dated the 5th instant; denying the report of Dr. Liverock, as to the nuisance existing in his yard by reason of the water flowing from it into the house of a man named Mr. Kittrick.

13/10/93 - Charles. Tottenham.
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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 13th
day of October 1893

Signed,

B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1861—27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127977-1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of October 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	211															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	4															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	669	215															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	28	65	64	3	7	14	8	13	218	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	86	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates	102	
Admitted during the Week			22	7	4	1	—	—	—	2	2	38	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	4			
TOTAL			38	35	69	65	3	7	14	10	15	256	TOTAL	90	TOTAL	440	
Discharged during the Week			25	9	1	1	—	—	1	2	2	41	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died													Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead			25	9	1	1	—	—	1	2	2	41	No. Relieved during week	19	3	4	26
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			13	26	68	64	3	7	13	8	13	215	No. in Work-house at date	7	—	—	7
													No. at corresponding period last year,				204

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of October 1893 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		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	68	129	John D. Edge
No. II.	72	106	John Manley
No. III.	198	261	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	84	136	Richard Ellison
TOTALS	422	632	= 668

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 13th day of October 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham DL Chm

Other Guardians:—

Mr. John J. Cowley DVC
 Major Tottenham R
 Mr. Mammie Knight R
 " Henry A. Donnell R
 " James J. Fiehan
 " Edw. Ellison
 " Pat. J. Carey

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 98^h to No. 1040 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week — : — : — £ 3 : 3 : 0

Paid during the week — : — : — £ 836 : 14 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was £1003 : 8 : 11

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.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altidore									
	Kilcoole									
	Killiskey									
	Newcastle Lower									
	" Upper									
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen									
	Brockagh									
	Calary									
	Glendalough									
	Moneystown									
	Oldtown									
	Togher									
THOMAS DOWLING	Glenealy									
	Wicklow									
THOMAS DOUGLAS	Dunganstown East									
	" South									
	" West									
GEORGE EVANS	Ennereilly									
	Kilbride									
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow									
JOHN BRENNAN	Ballyarthur									
	Cronebane									
	Oyoca									
WILLIAM SMYTH	Aughrim									
	Ballinaclash									
	Ballinacor									
	Ballinderry									
	Knockrath									
	Rathdrum									
	Trooperstown									
TOTALS, £										

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Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - $\begin{matrix} \text{£} & \text{s.} & \text{d.} \\ 41 & 4 & 7 \end{matrix}$
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - $\begin{matrix} \text{£} & \text{s.} & \text{d.} \\ 3 & 5 & 2 \end{matrix}$

Average Cost in Infirmary - $\begin{matrix} \text{£} & \text{s.} & \text{d.} \\ 4 & 1 & 0 \end{matrix}$

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - $\begin{matrix} \text{£} & \text{s.} & \text{d.} \\ 3 & 10 & 0 \end{matrix}$

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:—

915 Loaves Bread
240 Galls - Newmilk
140 " Buttermilk
22 lbs Butter
420 " Meat
27 Oxen
26 Dg. Eggs
1 Red Lobster
10 cwt Soap (Brown)
1/4 " Starch
4 " Soap (White)
20 " Rice
2 Keys Oil
28 lbs Blue
2 Boxes Candles
1/2 cwt Carbolic 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 Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 7th day of October 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money ...	36	5	7
In Kind ...		2	6
Total ...	36	8	1

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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON S. Johnson	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

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Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
J. Dollard	Books Farms &c	32	14 6
M. Walsh	Adverts	12	1 -
S. Advertiser	"	2	11 -
Robt. Ann. Boyd	Nett-appes	41	17 4
7. Amanning	Gen. Par. Ant	62	6 6
W. Smith	"	11	3 1
J. McManaman	"	10	8 6
J. Dowling	"	9	17 6
P. Farrell	"	7	3 7
W. S. Murphy	"	6	9 1
J. Brennan	"	11	10 4
J. Douglas	"	4	6 1
J. Evans	"	3	2 10

£ s. d.

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

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

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

The 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):—

Read Letter Dated the 7th instant, from the Local Government Board in reference to the report of the Medical Officer of the W.D. in which he suggests the necessity for providing accommodation for paid attendants to take charge of the lunatic inmates of the Workhouse.

The L.G. Board express their full agreement with the views of the Medical Officer and request that the Guardians will be as good as to take this important matter into consideration after 14 days notice to each Guardian.

Order - Mr. Ellison has given notice to propose on the 27th instant the rescission of the resolution of the Board on the above subject of the 22nd Sept.

The above letter and the Medical Officer's report to be laid before the Board in connection with Mr. Ellison's motion.

Mr. Ellison's notice of motion is as follows: -

"I hereby give notice that on this day fortnight I will move that the resolution of the 22nd Ultimo, declining to appoint paid attendants to the lunatic wards of Rotherham Union be rescinded.

ED

Dated this 13th day of October 1893
Edward Ellison

Read Letter from same Dated the 12th instant, in reference to the proposal of the Guardians to pay a sum of £7.6.6 to the Master of the Workhouse as remuneration for his services during the time the Courts of Petty Sessions and Presentment Sessions were held in the Workhouse.

The L.G. Board request that they may be informed of the nature of the services rendered, and the mode in which the remuneration has been calculated.

Order - The Master to supply this information.

Read Letter Dated the 12th inst from Mr. J. K. Dooney, Solicitor, Dublin, forwarding the Bill of Costs in the Case of Berry v The Guardians, amounting to £13.1.8 but taxed by him to £8.10.2 and paid; a cheque for which he requests.

Order - Cheque to be drawn.

Read Letter Dated the 12th inst. from John Dowling asking the Guardians in the event of their requiring him to enter

into a new Bond to have the goodness to pay
the expense attending same.

No order

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Read Warrant for the removal
of a man named John Neil from the Stirling
District Lunatic Asylum, Scotland, to the
Workhouse of the Rathfriland Union.

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Received Representation duly signed
stating that a labourers cottage is required for
a man named John Neil, on the townland of
Ballinameseyda. occupied by Mr C Bowen.

Order - to be considered on the 27 instant.

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Charles W. Wetherham
20/10/93

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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 Out-door Relief was

Do, in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday, the 20th
day of October 1893

(Signed)

B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,
the 13th day of October 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair. Col: Tottenham D.R. Chm

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

District	.	.	.	£
District	.	.	.	£

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr.

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

*Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that*

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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
Newbridge	S. Hudson	Report relating to the insufficiency of the water supply of the village of Redcross and suggesting the erection of a Pump	Order - Referred to the District Committee.
St	Same	Report on the unsanitary condition of a yard owned by Mr. Breslin at Ferrybank.	Order - Serve notice on the owner to abate the nuisance.
St	Same	Report stating that the house occupied by Mr. Doyle at Foster's manor is in an unsanitary state.	Order - Notice to be served on the owner.
Rathdunn	S. Ryan	Report in reference to a pollution of the water used by some of the inhab. of Rathdunn by sewage from the premises of Mr. Belton.	Order - Report to be sent to Mr. F. Brooke, agent to Lord Fitzwilliam.

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read Letter Dated the 11th inst: from the Local Gov^t Board, transmitting an order on the Paymaster General for payment to the Guardians credit of a sum of £51:16:1 on account of salaries under the Public Health Act paid by the Guardians in the half year ended the 25th March inst:

Read Letter from same of same Date, requesting to be informed what order was made by the Guardians on the report of the M^{re} Office of Newcastle District relative to the nuisances in the village of Kilcoole.

Order - Notices to abate these nuisances have been served on the several parties complained of.

Read Letter from same (Dated the 12th instant) pointing out to the Guardians^t that the power given by sec. 49 of the Public Health to erect privies (public) is limited to Urban Sanitary Authorities, and there is nothing in the Act enabling a Rural Sanitary Authority to provide such structures.

The L^y Board therefore request that the Guardians will be good enough to take the matter again into their consideration with a view to remedying the Sanitary defects referred to in the report of Dr Flynn L^y Bd.

Order - adjourned to this day week, Dr Flynn's letter to be applied for.

Read Letter Dated the 12th inst: from Mr. Innshead, Dublin, stating that he has

now received the Plans connected with
 Kelpedder drainage, and hopes ^{on Monday (16) 1893} to see Major
 John Cunningham in relation to them, after
 which he will let the Guardians know
 his wishes in the matter.

As amended

Charles Huttons *Chin*

22/10/93.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 20th
 day of October 1893

Signed,

J. Manning
 Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1881 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127577 - 1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of October 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 2 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	289	215														
Temporary Buildings ..	-															
Additional Workhouse ..																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	4														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	609	219														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			13	26	68	64	3	7	13	8	13	215	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards		
Admitted during the Week			34	3	4	4	-	1	1	3	-	50	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates		
TOTAL			47	29	72	68	3	8	14	11	13	265	TOTAL, 96	TOTAL, 40		
Discharged during the Week			34	2	2	3	-	2	1	2	-	46	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Died													Males	Females	Children under 15	
Total Discharged and Dead			34	2	2	3	-	2	1	2	-	46	No. Relieved during week	28	4	2
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			13	27	70	65	3	6	13	9	13	209	No. in Workhouse at date	3	-	-
													No. at corresponding period last year, 208			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14th day of October 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 16 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	68	129	John D. Edges
No. II.	72	106	John Manley
No. III.	195	253	Joseph Livingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	82	134	Richard Ellison L. Murphy
TOTALS,	417	622	= 667

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 20th day of October 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham D.L. Chm.
Other Guardians:—

Mr. John J. Cowley D.V.C.
S. Henry P. Drnell F.
Major C.W.R. Tottenham F.
Mr. John Byrne
" Edw. Ellison
" Wm. Grant

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1041 to No. 1080 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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 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.

in four

the Guardians was

£ 51 : 16 : 1

£ 327 : 0 : 7

£ 728 : 4 : 5

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.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altidore	...	...	...			
	Kilcoole	...	...	...			
	Killiskey	...	...	...			
	Newcastle Lower	...	...	...			
	„ Upper	...	...	...			
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen	...	...	...			
	Brockagh	...	...	...			
	Calary	...	...	...			
	Glendalough	...	...	...			
	Moneystown	...	...	...			
	Oldtown	...	...	...			
	Togher	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOWLING	Glenealy	...	...	...			
	Wicklow	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOUGLAS	Dunganstown East	...	...	...			
	„ South	...	...	...			
	„ West	...	...	...			
GEORGE EVANS	Ennereilly	...	...	...			
	Kilbride	...	...	...			
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow	...	...	...			
JOHN BRENNAN	Ballyarthur	...	...	...			
	Cronebane	...	...	...			
	Ovoca	...	...	...			
WILLIAM SMYTH	Aughrim	...	...	...			
	Ballinaclash	...	...	...			
	Ballinacor	...	...	...			
	Ballinderry	...	...	...			
	Knockrath	...	...	...			
	Rathdrum	...	...	...			
	Trooperstown	...	...	...			
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	37	6	1
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -			
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	41	12	10
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -			3 : 5 $\frac{1}{2}$
Average Cost in Infirmary -			4 : 1 $\frac{1}{2}$
Average Cost in Fever Hospital -			3 : 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:—

540 Coarse Bread
 246 Galls Newmilk
 50 " Buttermilk
 22 lbs Powder
 400 " Meat
 27 Hens
 28 Dz Eggs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 14th day of October 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	...	...	...	...	...	£	s.	d.
In Kind ...	...	...	...	...	...	35	1	6
							6	8
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	£	35	8 : 2

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON <i>C. Murphy</i>	20	-	-

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Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
<i>O Ryan & Co</i>			
<i>S. Eccles</i>			
<i>M Knight</i>			
<i>J K Dooney</i>			
<i>J S Dighe</i>			
<i>M Byrne</i>			
<i>J Flower</i>			
<i>Medicine</i>	71	5	5
<i>Bag</i>	6	6	-
<i>Sent</i>	3	-	-
<i>Law Costs</i>	8	10	2
<i>Sent</i>	7	10	-
<i>Bread</i>	21	17	8
<i>Extra Duties</i>	7	6	6

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£ s. d.

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

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

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

The 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):—

Read Circular Dated the 16th inst.
from the Local Govt. Board calling for a
Return showing the Medical & Educational
Expenses of the Union during the Half year
ended the 24th of September 1893.

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Read Letter from same Dated the
19th instant sanctioning the proposed payment
to the Master of the Workhouse of a sum of
£7:6:6 for extra duty performed by him during
the time the Courts of Petty Sessions & Resident
Sessions were held in the Workhouse.

Read Circular Dated the 17th inst.
from the Treasury London calling for a Return
in reference to contributions in lieu of Rates

on Government Property in this Union:

Read Circular Dated the 18th instant from the Commissioners of Valuation, in reference to the annual Revision of the Valuation of the Rateable Property in the Union.

Read Circular Dated the 11th instant from the Veterinary Department Privy Council Office, Dublin Castle forwarding for the information of the Guardians a copy of the Regulations Diseases (Animals) Act 1893.

Read Circular Dated the 5th instant from the Guardians of the North Dublin Union forwarding a copy of a resolution adopted by them on the subject of the invariability of Workhouses as asylums for inmates of any class.

Read Letter Dated the 19th inst. from Mr. J. H. Dooney, Solicitor, Dublin, stating in reference to the sum awarded to Edw. Farrell as compensation for land proposed to be taken for the purposes of the Habourers Acts, that although he could not advise the Guardians to take any risk, yet if the amount £6:17:6 were paid there probably would never be anything about the matter, and it is for the Guardians to say whether they will pay the money or not.

In the case of Mrs. Snell the marriage settlement should be procured and sent to him.

Order - Mr. Farrell to be paid £6:17:6, the marriage settlement to be procured & sent to Mr. Dooney.

Read Letter Dated the 14th inst; from
J. Farrell P.R.C., in reference to the Guardians
proposal that he should enter into a New Bond,
stating that he is not inclined to change from
his old Bond allowing seven months for the
completion of his collections.

Read Letter Dated the 15th instant from
Mr. Bernard Byrne one of the Trustees of Mr.
John Byrne late Poor Rate Collector, asking
the Guardians to hand over to him the sums
which were due to Collector Byrne at the time
he ceased to hold office, as he had to pay a
considerable sum of money to make good Mr.
Byrne's default.

Order - Postponed until next Bond day. -

Charles Tottenham.
27/10/93 - Chair.

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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 Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 27th
day of October 1893

(Signed)

P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday},

the 20th day of October 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] *The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from Local Government Board dated the 13th inst. stating that calling for a Return relating to the several Dispensary Districts in the Union.

Read Letter from Jame Dated the 14th inst. expressing their sanction to the remuneration £6.6.0 proposed to be allowed to D. Eccles for his services as temporary substitute for D. Loverock Medical Officer of Newcastle Dispensary District during the illness of the latter

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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:—

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS
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were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read Circular Dated the 17th instant, calling for a Return showing the amounts which have been paid as Sanitary Salaries during the half year ended the 29th of Sept. last.

The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration the letter of the Local Government of the 12th instant calling their attention to the Report of Dr. Flynn R.I. in reference to the precautionary measures he recommends in view of the apprehended visitation of an outbreak of Cholera as regards the town of Dublin.

The following observations were entered on Dr. Flynn's report.

"The equipment of the Fever Hospital must be complete, as it has been maintained for many years and has no patients;

"It seems hardly right to the ratepayers to incur the expense of equipping a supplemental building for the present."

"The Board directed, as appears on former minutes a privy on the Quay to be supplied but the Local Government Board tells us that it is not in the power of the Guardians as a Rural Sanitary Authority to make such an erection. This seems to exhaust Dr. Flynn's recommendations."

The Clerk reported that he had received no communication from Mr. Donneshend since the 12th instant, in reference to the Kierder Drainage ~~Kierder~~.

— Charles Tottenham
Chair.
27/10/93—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 27th
day of October 1893

Signed,

P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891—27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127977:1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 21 day of October 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 2 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	580	214													
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	5													
Fever Sheds	—	—													
TOTAL	660	219													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			13	27	70	65	3	6	13	9	13	219	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	16
Admitted during the Week			38	8	—	—	1	2	1	3	3	56	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	
TOTAL			57	35	70	65	4	8	14	12	16	275	TOTAL, 97	TOTAL, 38	
Discharged during the Week			32	10	—	—	2	2	3	4	3	56	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Total Discharged and Dead			32	10	—	—	2	2	3	4	—	56	No. Relieved during week		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			19	25	70	65	2	6	11	8	13	219	No. in Work-house at date		
															No. at corresponding period last year, 219

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21st day of October 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 16 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	68	125	John D. Edge
No. II.	72	106	John Manley
No. III.	194	252	Joseph Livingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	81	133	Richard Ellison L. Murphy
TOTALS,	415	620	=

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 27th day of October 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham & Co. Chm.

Other Guardians:—

Mr R. R. Doughty A.V.C. Mr. Jas. Krehan Mr. M. H. Jones
 " John J. Lowley A.V.C. " John Byrne Major Weston
 Colonel Kemmis A. " Miles Byrne Mr. P. B. Burke A.
 Dustin Drnell A. " Owen Byrne " J. Doyle
 Mr. J. Casement A. " Edw. Ellison " C. Merrigan
 " H. A. Cruise A. " A. Sheehan
 " M. Knight A. " D. Condren
 " A. Daillyan A. " Wm. Grant
 " H. Shepard " Jas. Keane
 Lt. Col. Stoner A. " E. Phamney

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1081 to No. 1120 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ✓ to No. ✓ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

	£	3	:	7	:	6
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Paid during the week	£	227	:	8	:	2
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And that the Balance on the Account <i>in fav^r</i> the Guardians was	£	504	:	3	:	9
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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.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altidore	...	...	...			
	Kilcoole	...	...	...			
	Killiskey	...	...	...			
	Newcastle Lower	...	...	...			
	" Upper	...	...	...			
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen	...	...	...			
	Brockagh	...	...	...			
	Calary	...	...	...			
	Glendalough	...	...	...			
	Moneystown	...	...	...			
	Oldtown	...	...	...			
	Togher	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOWLING	Glenealy	...	...	...			
	Wicklow	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOUGLAS	Dunganstown East	...	...	...			
	" South	...	...	...			
	" West	...	...	...			
GEORGE EVANS	Ennereilly	...	...	...			
	Kilbride	...	...	...			
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow	...	...	...			
JOHN BEENNAN	Ballyarthur	...	...	...			
	Cronebane	...	...	...			
	Ovoca	...	...	...			
WILLIAM SMYTH	Aughrim	...	...	...			
	Ballinaclash	...	...	...			
	Ballinacor	...	...	...			
	Ballinderry	...	...	...			
	Knockrath	...	...	...			
	Rathdrum	...	...	...			
	Trooperstown	...	...	...			
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	96	14	10
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	£	s.	d.
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	43	4	5
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -		3	6
Average Cost in Infirmary -		4	2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital -		3	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:—

960 Loaves Bread
 252 Galls Newmilk
 60 " Buttermilk
 22 lbs Butter
 438 " Meat
 27 Hens
 27 Dg. Eggs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 21st day of October 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£	s.	d.
In Kind ...	34	13	0
Total ...	£	34	13 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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON <i>S. Johnson</i>	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
<i>E. Short</i>	<i>Milk</i>	6	19	10
<i>S. Gardiner</i>	<i>Regn</i>	3	5	-
<i>" H. H. H. H.</i>	<i>"</i>	2	16	9
<i>In for the to pay</i>				
<i>S. Ryan</i>	<i>"</i>	1	15	-
<i>" Satchwell</i>	<i>"</i>	1	-	-
<i>" Lovewell</i>	<i>"</i>	1	4	6
<i>" Payne</i>	<i>"</i>		5	6
<i>W. Murphy</i>	<i>"</i>		14	11
<i>S. Johnson</i>	<i>Reps.</i>		8	-
<i>W. Lawler</i>	<i>Pumping</i>		5	-
<i>W.</i>	<i>"</i>		5	-
<i>W.</i>	<i>"</i>		4	-
<i>J. Decary</i>	<i>Reps.</i>	1	3	-
<i>J. Doyle</i>	<i>"</i>		10	-
<i>Elveng Mc</i>	<i>"</i>		13	-
		8	7	11

£ s. d.

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

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

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

The 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):—

Read Letter Dated the 26th instant from the Rural Government Board calling for a Return showing the Receipts and Expenditure of the Union during each of the half years ended the 25th of March and 24th of September 1893 respectively, and the number of persons who received out-door Relief during the year ended on the latter date.

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Read Letter from the Commissioners of Public Works enclosing orders for payment of the usual half yearly instalment of the several Loans obtained from them by the Guardians.

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Read Letter from the Nurse of the Workhouse Fever Hospital asking for an increase in her salary.

Order -

Refer to Board order on the last occasion when this matter was before them.

Read Letter Dated the 21st instant from Mr. Joshua Roberts, of Carrigilla, asking to have the name of his son George Roberts inserted in the Rate Book for his holding in Knockfadda.

Moved accordingly being adequately vouched: —

Read Letter Dated the 26th instant from Mr. Mrs. Douglas J.R.C. stating that he does not need 9 months to collect the Poor Rate on his District, as he is able to collect it in the same time as he has collected it for the past 39 years.

Read Letter of same Date from Mr. Edward Byrne of Ballykellavone, objecting to the Guardians paying over to Mr. Bernard Byrne the money due to his brother Mr. John C. Byrne, at the time he ceased to be a Poor Rate collector in this Union.

Read report from Mr. Newson V.I. stating that he inspected a flock of sheep belonging to Mr. George Luke of Kilmagig, Drogha; on the 23rd instant and found 8 of them affected with Sheep Scab.

Order - Place to be declared infected:

In accordance with notice, Mr. Ellison proceeded to move his resolution rescinding the Guardians order of the 22nd ultimo declining to appoint paid attendants to the lunatic wards in the

Wicklow of this Union; Mr. J. P. Graham seconded the resolution which was rejected after a full discussion.

The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration Representations for the Building of Cottages under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts in the following Electoral Divisions -

Killarney

Mr. Taylor on the part of Lord Farnham stated that his Lordship will build a house to meet the need mentioned in this Representation.

Aughrim

In reference to one of the Representations, viz: that on behalf of Michael Kennedy, it appeared that a house has been offered to him which he refuses, and that Lord Meath is building more houses on the townland (Killadonan).

The second Representation, that for Michael Kearns, was incomplete and was therefore ordered to be returned for completion.

Ballinacorney

An Improvement Scheme was ordered to be made in this case.

Dungannon West

An Improvement Scheme was ordered to be made in this case also.

Bathmum

Mr. Cowley promised to build a cottage on this townland (Knockadoon).

The Board also ordered an Improvement Scheme to be made for one cottage.

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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 Out-door Relief was
 Do, in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 3rd
 day of November 1893

(Signed)

B. Manning
 Clerk of the Union.

Charles D. Tottenham - Chair

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}the 27th day of October 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Colonel Tottenham J.R. Chm

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 141

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

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

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from Mr. Storey, Deputy Secy of All Saints Fever Hospital stating that forwarding a sketch of the proposed alterations in the Fever Hospital Building, showing where it is proposed to have the entrance to the Dispensary, so as to effectually cut off this portion of the premises from the Fever Hospital portion, and requesting to be let know when a decision is finally arrived at so that the work may be put in hand.

Ordered - That the sketch be forwarded to the LG Board.

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Read Letter from Mr. J. Deformy, Plumber, Wicklow, stating that he has examined the Pump at Kilcoole & finds 26 feet of water in the well, and the bucket valve and clock valve are both out of order & will require re-newing also cup of same, there will have to be at least 14 feet of water taken out of the well before the valves can be got at; He proposes to make all necessary repairs and leave it in good working order for 72:5:0 2 Days expenses inclusive.

Approved - The San'y Sub Off
to see that the work is properly done - CJG 27/10/93

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

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

Quarant — 3 Defaulters

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

The usual notices to be served.

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

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read Letter Dated the 24th inst. from the L.G. Board transmitting to be laid before the Guardians a further communication which they have received from Mr. J. P. Keane respecting the sanitary condition of Killeen, and requesting to be furnished with the Guardians observations thereon.

Ordered—

That notice be served on the owners of the 17 houses complained of by Mr. Keane to provide proper accommodation for the sanitary improvement of the houses.

Read Letter from same of same date, stating that they have carefully considered the subject of the area of charge for the cost of providing a supply of water for the town of Rathdrum and having regard to all the circumstances of the case they do not see their way to declaring as suitable the area of charge proposed by the Guardians on the 28th of July last, and with the facts before them they do not see sufficient grounds for rescinding their order dated the 7th of July 1877 by which the area of charge was declared to be the townlands of Ballygannon, Corbally Lower, Corbally Upper, Inverkeogh and Rathdrum.

Proposed by Mr. Ellison seconded by Mr. Graham —
Resolved—

That in answer to the letter of the L.G. Board of the 25th Oct. 93 re the new area of charge for Rathdrum Water supply, the Guardians desire to state that the Order of July 1877 fixing the area at that time, would tax a number of ratepayers who can never derive any benefit from the water supply and who do not want any water, and therefore the Guardians now adhere to the area fixed on the 28th of July 1873, and pray for an immediate inquiry by the L.G. Board into the matter.

Passed &c

An amendment proposed by Mr. Cowley and seconded by Mr. Joseph Keane, approving of the old area of charge was rejected by a large majority of the Guardians present.

Read a Letter from Mr. Breslin, Bray, in reference to the notice served on him by the Guardians requiring him to abate a nuisance created on his premises on the North Quay Dublin, by the public making use of a yard of his as a privy. Mr. Breslin states that he has tried to prevent this nuisance by having the doorway built up at least three times but it was torn down every time; and he finds it impossible to prevent the nuisance as the public body charged with the duty have failed to provide a public privy.

Order - That the Clerk draw the attention of the Dublin Harbour Commrs to D. Collins report of the want of privy accommodation on the Quays

Read Letter from Mr. C. L. Donohue, Dublin, dated 16. inst. but which inadvertently omitted last Board day. stating that Major Gmfringhame would be prepared to consent to the erection of a suitable new tank to be situate in the fields not more than five yards from the present tank; He would require to have the particulars of the tank proposed to be constructed before the arrangement can be carried out and before he can form an opinion as to what would be reasonable compensation under the circumstances.

Proposed by Major Tottenham seconded by Mr. Stoney That Mr. Donohue be informed that the Board cannot accept Major Gmfringhames suggestion of a new tank within five yards of the present one at Kilpedder and must therefore take the statutory steps to carry out the plan already approved of. Passed

Proposed by Major Tottenham, seconded by Mr. J. Byrne That the Clerk, with the assistance of a solicitor - Mr. J. K. Joyce - prepare an advertisement in compliance with the Statute & for the purpose of acquiring land to carry out the Scheme approved of for the improvement of the Kilpedder drainage system & submit it to the Board at next meeting. Passed

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 3rd day of November 1893

Signed,

B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.
Charles Tottenham Chairman

3/11/93.

Population in 1891—27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127977 : 1/5

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of October 1893

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Workhouse	560	212														
Temporary Buildings ..	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—															
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Fever Sheds	—															
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Admitted during the Week			29	2	3	—	3	1	2	—	—	40	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	6	In Wards with other inmates	11
													TOTAL	92	TOTAL	38
TOTAL			48	27	73	65	5	7	13	8	13	259	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week			32	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	38		Males	Fe- males	Children under 15
Died			—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	3				
Total Discharged and Dead			32	2	5	—	—	—	—	—	2	41	No. Relieved during week	25	—	—
													No. in Work- house at date	8	—	—
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	25	68	65	5	7	13	8	11	218	No. at corresponding period last year, 207			

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TOTALS,	413	613	=666

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Other Guardians:—

Mr. John J. Cowley DVC
Maj. Tottenham P
Mr. Jas. J. Grehan
" Edw. Ellison
" John Byrne
" W. Fuller

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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.

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Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor*

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

the Guardians was

£ 36
£ 94 : 5 : 8
£ 445 : 18 : 1

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	.. Upper						
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	Brockagh						
	Calary						
	Glendalough						
	Moneystown						
	Oldtown						
	Togher						
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy						
	Wicklow						
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East						
	.. South						
	.. West						
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly						
	Kilbride						
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow						
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur						
	Cronebane						
	Ovoca						
WILLIAM SNYTH ...	Aughrim						
	Ballinaclash						
	Ballinacor						
	Ballinderry						
	Knockrath						
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The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 42 . 12 . 8
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - £ 3 . 6

Average Cost in Infirmary - £ 4 . 2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - £ 3 . 8

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25 Doz Eggs
4 cwt Sugar

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 28th day of October 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£ 38 . 9 . 10
In Kind ...	18 . 0
Total ...	£ 39 . 7 . 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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
M. Johnson	Milk	8	-	-
A. Hill	Meal	7	4	-
E. Mulhern	Eggs	6	11	10
D. O'Brien	manure & m	7	10	-
S. Satchwell	Dag	2	2	-
B. Ireland	Repayt Loans	15	9	6
IV	"	50	14	8
In Jan Feb to pay				
S. Hurdan	Reg ⁿ	1	3	-
McC. Ryan	Lim ^t Fee	1	1	-
J. Duffy	Danny Ex	7	6	
M. Hawker	"	4	6	
	"	1	6	
T. Ellis	Reps	8	6	
		3	6	=

£ s. d.

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

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

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

The 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):—

Read Letter Dated the 2nd inst. from the Local Government Board, acknowledging the receipt of the Guardians Minutes of the 27th ult. containing a resolution relative to the appointment of paid attendants in the lunatic wards of the Workhouse;

The Board express their regret that the Guardians have decided not to appoint these attendants, having regard to the serious report made by the Medical Officer on the subject, and the important nature of the case.

Order—

These poor people are under the charge of a very careful Master & Matron who have power as appears by former Minute of the Board to call in all such as on occasion they may consider necessary—

Read Circular Dated the 27th Ultimo from the Veterinary Department, Dublin Castle, transmitting for the information and guidance of the Local Authorities copies of an Order in Council issued by the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland for the purpose of giving effect to the provisions of the Contagious Diseases (Ireland) Act 1893.

Read Report from the RJC Rathdown stating that Mr. Patrick Murphy of Bohama reported that he had 4 Pigs suffering from what he believed to be Swine Fever.

Read Letter from the Nurse of the Workhouse Fever Hospital asking what the decision of the Guardians is respecting her application for an increase of salary.

Order - The Clerk to inform Mrs. Fitzgerald that her application has been postponed till March next.

✓ Read Letter from Mr. W. Cullen, Jone, Kery. requesting to have his name put on the Rate Book in place of Abraham Heath, Killinigha.

Order accordingly.

Read Letter from the Editor of the "Wicklow Star" asking for a share of the Union advertisements.

Proposed by Mr. Cullen, seconded by Mr. Graham -

Resolved - That the advertisements of the Union be given to the "Wicklow Star" as well as to the "News Letter" and the "Wicklow People".

Carried
Charles J. Cottahan Secy
10/11/93

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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 Out-door Relief was

Do, in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Tuesday} the 3rd day of November 1893

(Signed)

B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,
the 3rd day of November 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Colonel Tottenham D.L. Chm

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 161

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

District	.	.	.	£
District	.	.	.	£

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

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

Rathfriland Dispensary District, Mr. J. J. Comerford of Rathfriland
in room of Mr. Wm. Comerford, deceased. —

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from The Hon. Secy of Asylum Disp. Com. stating that at their meeting on the 18th October 1893

Mr. Patrick Carey P.L.C. in the Chair:
Other members present Colonel Kemmis, Messrs
Summers, J. Byrne, W. Fogarty, J. Byrne, J. Phelan,
D. Ryan was also present -

Proposed by Mr. John Byrne, seconded by Mr. M. Summers -

Having read D. Byrnes application for leave of absence owing to his being sick and under care of D. Ryan, granted one month, and Doctor Ryan of Rathfrim to do his duties from the 13th October at the rate of two guineas weekly D. Byrnes leave to commence from the 18th Oct.

James Phelan
Hon. Secy.

Approved by the Guardians,
E. G. 3/11/93

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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:—

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

Read Letter Dated the 31st Oct 93 from the L.G.B.^d advising to the Guardians resolution of the 20th ult. on the subject of the Cholera precautions in Arklow, which they have referred to their Medical Inspector Dr. Flinn, who states that the piling accommodation mentioned in his report of the 10th of Aug. is not confined to the erection of one public structure, but has reference to the general want of piling accommodation in the portion of the town alluded to in his report; Dr. Flinn further states that the equipments of the Fever Hospital were not by any means complete on the occasion of his visit.

Order — The portion of the above letter having reference to the want of piling accommodation to be referred to the District Committee.

The Governors of the Fever Hosp.^l to be written to and asked to have the equipments completed.

Read Letter Dated the 28th Ultimo from Mr. C. L. Donohue, Dublin; asking to be supplied with the particulars of the Scheme proposed by the Guardians for the improvement of the Drainage of Kilpedder, and asking on what area it is proposed to levy the outlay. Mr. Donohue states that he has returned to Mr. Little Mr. R. W. Walsh's Plan of 17 January 1877.

Read Letter from Mr. J. K. Dooney, Solicitor, Dublin, transmitting a Draft notice in relation to the compulsory taking of land for the Kilpedder Drainage Scheme & requesting that it may be returned to him for insertion.

Proposed by Mr. Ellison seconded by Mr. Cowley: —
Resolved —

That the Clerk see Mr. Little this afternoon and

instruct him to draw a Plan for the construction of the Sewage work at Kilpedder as approved by the Board, and should Mr Little be unable to do so the clerk to write at once to obtain Mr W^m Speares assistance in the matter.

Janed

Read Letter from Mr Geo. Wilkinson, Kilcoole, denying the statement of Mr. John Kean that his houses in the village are either overcrowded or insanitary; and stating that if the Guardians insist on his providing yards and privies he will be obliged to close the houses & discontinue their use as dwellings.

No order

Read Letter from Mrs New, Registrar of the Arklow Cemetery in reference to the Guardians Order calling on her to lodge to their credit £4:16:0 on account of the hay grown on the new cemetery ground.

Mrs New reminds the Guardians that in several years she had the grass of the cemetery cut & removed at a loss to herself; and expresses a hope that they will bear this in mind & not do anything unjust to her.

Order - Referred to the District Committee.

Mr Murphy SSO reported that the 6 persons on whom he served sanitary notices have failed to abate the nuisances complained of.

Order - Prosecutions to be instituted in these cases:

Mr Murphy also reported that he had spent 7/6 in repairing the public pumps in Newtown.

Approved

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ Friday the 10th

day of November 1893

Charles Fox to the Clerk

Signed,

B. Manning

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127577.1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of November 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	569	225														
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	6														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	649	231														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	25	68	65	5	7	13	8	11	218	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	87	In separate Wards	27
Admitted during the Week			20	5	3	1	1	2	5	5	1	39	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	6	In Wards with other inmates	11
TOTAL			36	30	71	66	6	9	18	13	12	257	TOTAL	93	TOTAL	38
Discharged during the Week			21	1	1	—	—	1	2	—	—	26	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			21	1	1	—	—	1	2	—	—	26	No. Relieved during week	17	—	17
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	29	70	66	6	8	16	9	12	231	No. in Workhouse at date	7	—	7
													No. at corresponding period last year, 218			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4th day of November 1893 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		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	68	129	John D. Edge
No. II.	71	100	John Manley
No. III.	198	256	Joseph Livingston E. Johnson
No. IV.	82	141	Richard Ellison L. Murphy
TOTALS	419	626	= 668

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 10th day of November 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham D.R. Chas.
Other Guardians:—

Captain R.R. Drought P.V.C.
Mr. John J. Croke D.V.C.
Major Tottenham P.
Mr. R.A. Imbert P.
" James J. Fehman
" Edw. Ellison
" Mulcahy
" J.P. Keane
" M. Doyle

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1140 to No. 1200 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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 *in fav^r* 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.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altidore	...	...	...			
	Kilcoole	...	...	...			
	Killiskey	...	...	...			
	Newcastle Lower	...	...	...			
	" Upper	...	...	...			
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen	...	...	...			
	Brockagh	...	...	...			
	Calary	...	...	...			
	Glendalough	...	...	...			
	Moneystown	...	...	...			
	Oldtown	...	...	...			
	Togher	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy	...	...	...			
	Wicklow	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East	...	...	...			
	" South	...	...	...			
	" West	...	...	...			
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly	...	...	...			
	Kilbride	...	...	...			
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow	...	...	...			
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur	...	...	...			
	Cronebane	...	...	...			
	Ovoca	...	...	...			
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim	...	...	...			
	Ballinacash	...	...	...			
	Ballinacor	...	...	...			
	Ballinderry	...	...	...			
	Knockrath	...	...	...			
	Rathdrum	...	...	...			
	Trooperstown	...	...	...			
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	35	11	5
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	43	11	8
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -		3	6½
Average Cost in Infirmary -		4	2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital -		3	6

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:—

960 Loaves Bread
 249 Galls Newmilk
 45 " Southermilk
 22 lbs Butter
 430 " Meat
 27 News
 20 cut Oatmeal
 26 doz Eggs
 4 ½ lbs Puter

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 4 day of *Nov* 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money ...	35	8	6
In Kind ...	1	0	6
Total ...	36	9	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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON <i>S. Johnson</i>	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
<i>J. J. Evans</i>	<i>Pamper</i>	10	-
<i>M. Byrne</i>	<i>Bread</i>	31	12
<i>J. Parant</i>	<i>Sea Rine</i>	16	4 5
<i>S. Haskins</i>	<i>Soap</i>	13	7 5
<i>M. Johnson</i>	<i>Milk</i>	3	5 8
<i>J. Parant</i>	<i>Fls</i>	10	9 2
<i>W. J. King</i>	<i>Reps</i>	10	14 -
<i>J. Flower</i>	"	4	12 7
<i>Infer (M. J. King)</i>	"	1	14 -
<i>J. Nolan</i>	"	8	3
<i>J. Hargrave</i>	<i>Offins</i>	16	-
<i>J. Weddick</i>	<i>Day</i>	5	-
<i>M. Lawlor</i>		3	3 3

£ s. d.

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

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

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

The 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):—

Read Circular Dated the 8th instant from the Veterinary Department, Dublin Castle, stating in reference to the suspected existence of Swine Fever at Patrick Murphy's premises, Balhana, Rathdrum, that upon examination of the intestines of the suspected animal by the Veterinary Officers, they were of opinion Swine Fever did not exist in this case.

Read Circular Dated the 1st instant from the Guardians of the Mountmellick Union, transmitting a copy of a resolution unanimously adopted by them in reference to the Decaled Order issued by the Local Government Board reducing the Scale of Fees payable to Clerks of Unions and Poor Rate Collectors for the Services rendered by them under the Parliamentary Voters Acts.

Proposed by Mr. J. J. Graham, Seconded by Mr. E. Ellison
Resolved -

That in the opinion of the Board of Guardians of this (Rathfriland) Union, the scale recently fixed by the Local Government Board regulating the fees payable to Clerks of Unions and Poor Rate Collectors under the Parliamentary Franchise Act, by their sealed order of the 23rd of October 93 is unfair; and inadequate for their increased responsibilities and hard work. And we request that the LG Board will be so good as to reconsider the matter in order that these officers may be suitably remunerated.

We are at the same time of opinion that these fees should be paid out of the Consolidated Fund.

Passed

Read Letter Dated the 8th instant from Mr. George Evans O.R.C. stating that seven months will be quite sufficient for him to collect the Rates on his two small Divisions, Ennecilly and Kilbride.

Read Circular from the Irish Cattle Traders & Stock Owners Association forwarding a copy of a resolution passed by them on the subject of Ox warbles or Gad Flies.

No action

Read Letter from Anne Duffy of N. M. Kennedy asking for remuneration (10/-) for services rendered by her in relation to the remains of an old woman who died on the 13th ultimo; also 5/- for her son who she states dug the grave.

Order - R.C. Murphy reports that he paid for the coffin shrouding and grave digging - 15/-.

Received a Representation signed by 13
Rate payers in Arklow ED stating that a cottage
is required to be built on the townland of Ecomer
for an agricultural labourer named Peter Jones.

Order - Deferred for the attendance of some of the Arklow
Guardians.

17/11/93

= Charles Estlin
Chair.

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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.

<i>The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was</i>	..	...	...	11
<i>Ditto disallowed</i>	...	...	...	-
<i>The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was</i>	...	...	...	11

<i>The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was</i>	...	...	...	2
<i>Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians</i>	...	...	...	1

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

<i>The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was</i>	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* ~~WEDNESDAY~~, the *17th* day of *November* 189*3*

(Signed)

B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,
the 10th day of November 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Ed. Tottenham D L Chm

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon, as follows:—

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Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
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(or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining
a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

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

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr.

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from Local Gov^t Board dated 8th instant
~~stating that~~ expressing their sanction to the remuneration at the rate of £2.2.0 a week proposed to be allowed to Dr. Ryan for his services as temporary substitute for Dr. Byrne Medical Officer of the Anghrim Disp^y District under the circumstances stated in the Guardians minutes of the 3rd instant.

Read Letter from same of same date stating in reference to the Guardians resolution of the 27th ultimo, that they have been in communication with their Medical Inspector, Dr. Stafford, who states that no arrangement under which the Dispensary is situated in the Fever Hospital building can be recommended, as the risk of spreading infection from a Dispensary so situated is obviously a source of danger to Public Health;

The Guardians should therefore take immediate steps to provide suitable premises elsewhere.

Order—Referred to the District Committee—CJ

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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:—

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

[illegible]

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read Letter Dated the 7th instant from Mr. J. K. Toomey, Solicitor, Dublin, acknowledging the receipt of the Notice to be published by the Guardians in relation to the compulsory acquisition of land in connection with the drainage of the Village of Kilpedder, which he states he will have inserted in the Newspapers at once.

The Clerk submitted the Plans for the above works which were ordered to lie on the table for the inspection of all parties concerned at all reasonable times.

17/11/93 Charles J. Tottenham
Chairman.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 17th
day of November 1893

Signed, B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127 977.1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of November 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided:	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	200	227													
Temporary Buildings ..	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	80	7													
Fever Sheds	—														
TOTAL	600	234													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			15	29	70	66	6	8	16	9	12	251	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary, Wards, Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	In separate Wards with other inmates	19
Admitted during the Week			45	6	5	1	—	—	2	1	—	60	TOTAL, 96	TOTAL, 38	
TOTAL			60	35	75	67	6	8	18	10	12	291	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Discharged during the Week			41	7	3	3	—	—	2	—	—	56			
Died			—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1			
Total Discharged and Dead			41	7	3	4	—	—	2	—	—	57			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			19	28	72	63	6	8	18	8	12	234	No. at corresponding period last year,		228

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of November 1893 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		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	70	131	John D. Edge
No. II.	71	100	John Manley
No. III.	195	255	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	85	144	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	421	630	= 654

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* ~~Wednesday~~,

the 17th day of November 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Tottenham & Co. Chrs

Other Guardians:—

Mr. John J. Cowley Drc
 " H. A. Lambert
 " John Byrne
 " E. Robinson

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1201 to No. 1240 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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 *in Favour* 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.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altidore	...	...	...			
	Kilcoole	...	...	...			
	Killiskey	...	...	...			
	Newcastle Lower	...	...	...			
	" Upper	...	...	...			
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen	...	...	...			
	Brockagh	...	...	...			
	Calary	...	...	...			
	Glendalough	...	...	...			
	Moneystown	...	...	...			
	Oldtown	...	...	...			
	Togher	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy	...	...	...			
	Wicklow	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East	...	...	...			
	" South	...	...	...			
	" West	...	...	...			
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly	...	...	...			
	Kilbride	...	...	...			
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow	...	...	...			
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur	...	...	...			
	Cronebane	...	...	...			
	Ovoca	...	...	...			
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim	...	...	...			
	Ballinaclash	...	...	...			
	Ballinacor	...	...	...			
	Ballinderry	...	...	...			
	Knockrath	...	...	...			
	Rathdrum	...	...	...			
	Trooperstown	...	...	...			
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 43 : 10 : -
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 45 : 9 : 4
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 3 : 6 $\frac{1}{4}$

Average Cost in Infirmary : 4 : 2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 3 : 8

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

1000 Loaves Bread
255 Galls Newmilk
50 " Buttermilk
22 lb Butter
430 " Meat
33 Hens
26 Dg. Eggs
3

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 11th day of November 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money ...	35	8	6
In Kind ...	1	1	6
Total ...	£ 36	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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	...	...	...
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	...	...	...
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON	...	...	...
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON	...	...	...

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
<i>A. Hile</i>	<i>Contract</i>	12	-	-
<i>M. Clarke</i>	<i>on wh. cont</i>	48	15	-
<i>S. Gardiner</i>	<i>Wages</i>	4	-	-
<i>Kelly Bros</i>	<i>Infant Clerk to pay</i>			
<i>S. Cole</i>	<i>Brandy</i>	1	6	3
<i>A. Dume</i>	<i>Sag</i>	1	-	-
<i>L. Balfe</i>	<i>Rt. Vac. Dep.</i>		12	6
<i>Keenan & Byrne</i>	<i>Rt. Eng.</i>		3	-
	<i>Coal at New Digby</i>		1	3
		3	3	=

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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:—

On the Recommendation of the Medical Officer of the Workhouse, Sarah Plunkett and Mary Kavanagh & child — pauper inmates of the Workhouse — were ordered to be sent to the Rotunda & Richmond Hospitals, Dublin; for special treatment.

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

Sentin
In consequence of illness of a contagious nature in the family of the Master Tailor I have been obliged to call in another tailor for the past week.

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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:—

Sealed Order Dated the 10th Novr. 1893, authorizing the allowance of tobacco and snuff to be used and infirm classes of inmates in Workhouses in Ireland, under circumstances therein specified.

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

Read Circular Dated the 15th instant, from the Local Government Board enclosing the above Sealed Order.

Read Circular from same dated on the subject of the classification of Workhouse inmates, with the view under certain circumstances, of allowing aged married couples to occupy the same apartments.

Read Circular from same Dated the 16th instant calling for a Return showing the number admitted in sickness & health and the births & deaths; and the number of sick persons treated in the Workhouse Hospitals and the number of cases of Vaccination in the Workhouse during the past year.

Read Letter Dated the 16th instant from Mr. Francis Kennedy, Solicitor, Winklow, stating in reply to the Guardians inquiry, that he will undertake to do the Solicitors Law business in relation to their Improvement Scheme No 4 at £3- per cottage passed by the Guardians, and if any of the 3 cottages passed be erected an additional sum of £1:10:0 per cottage erected, which would bring the remuneration to £4:10:0, the same as under No 3 Scheme.

Order -

Mr. Kennedy to be offered £2:2:0 per cottage for each cottage referred to him, and £2:6:0 in addition for each carried on to the conveyance of the site.

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Read Letter from Mr. S. Cole Master Tailor of the Workhouse asking for an advance on his Quarters Salary of £1. in consequence of illness in his family.

Approved

Read Letter from Constabulary Kilcoole, asking that a child named Arthur Hordens, at present in the Workhouse be sent to Newtown Paddy Jail on the 25th inst. to be disposed of according to law.

Overstanding

Read Letter from Mr. Mich. Clarke, Winklow, asking for an instalment on account plus costs for building a labourers cottage at Ballysallogh in Dungannon East E.D.

Ordered to be paid £48:15:0 as certified for by Mr. Little C.E. the architect.

= Chas. W. Winkham

24/11/93.

Chair

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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.

<i>The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was</i>	..	...	...	...	11
<i>Ditto disallowed</i>	...	...	...	...	—
<i>The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was</i>	...	...	...	...	11

<i>The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was</i>	...	...	...	...	2
<i>Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians</i>	...	...	...	...	2

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

<i>The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was</i>	✓
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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 ~~Wednesday~~ *Friday*, the *24th*
day of *November* 1893

(Signed) *B. Manning*
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}
 the 17th day of Nov 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Arklow
 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:—

to forward same to the Contractors.

The Clerk

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

District	.	.	.	£
District	.	.	.	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

Anghrim

At a meeting of the Anghrim Dispensary Committee on the 30th Ultimo.

Colonel Kemmis in the Chair

Mr. John Byrne

S. Byrne's letter of the 5th Ultimo was read relative to the painting of the Hall door ^{and} steps leading to the Dispensary Residence; Mr. Byrne P. H. was appointed to carry out same.

James Phelan, Hon. Sec.

Approved by the Guardians
not to exceed £6.

£9
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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.)

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 *Hon. Sec. of Dublin Dispensary Comm^{tee}* stating that

a special meeting of the Committee was held on the 9th instant, members present.

Mr. Wolohan P.C. in the chair

Men^{rs} *R. Philpot P., D. Somers, J. Hill, & J. Hanagan* :

D. Gardner was also present. —

Examined Medical Relief Books; 204 tickets attended since 21st Sept. 1893; Signed Requisition for Medicines & Vaccⁱⁿ. Comm^{tee} H. 40 persons successfully vaccinated.

The Committee recommend the Guardians to make the Registrar of Arklow Cemetery pay the balance (£9:19:0) of the money received for the day.

The consideration of *Mr Evans'* letter was postponed; *D. Flynn's* report relative to privy accommodation in the town of Arklow was motioned read.

Signed Bill for Coal 1/3 for Dispensary

Approved — But the attention of the Committee is urgently called to the further report of *D. Flynn*, Dated 9th instant.

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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
Dring n	S. Satchwell	An unnecessary house or hovel at Ballard occupied by a man named Pat ^r McDonnell	Order - Notices to be served on the occupier and lessee that this house must be vacated

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read Letter Dated the 13th instant from the Local Government Board transmitting for the careful consideration of the Guardians extracts from a report which they have received from their Medical Inspector Dr. Flinn relating to the Sanitary condition of the town of Arklow.

Order — Copies of Dr. Flinn's report to be sent to the District Committee and to Mr. Sully for Road works consideration.

Read Letter Dated the 16th instant from SSO Evans, Arklow; stating that the Corp Roads Pump at Arklow has failed to continue a supply of water since Monday last, but it is expected that as soon as the springs open the pump will be giving a full supply. However no complaint has been made as to a dearth of water, the public pumps having continued to give a good supply during the past dry season; and the town continues in a healthy condition as compared with former years in which there was generally an annual epidemic.

Read Letter Dated the 9th instant from Mr. John Storey, Nurse Secy to the Governors of Arklow Fever Hospital, stating that the Medical Officer of that institution reports that the following equipments are required. viz:

2 additional Commodes

4 " Bed Pans

½ doz. " Chambers

1 " each of Blankets Sheet & quilt.

which the Governors will have supplied at once; the institution will then be in first class order both

both as regards furniture and equipments & also as regards the building itself which has been put in thorough repair at a cost of £45.0.0.

The ordinary accommodation afforded by the Fever Hospital is for 23 patients, but if an outbreak of Cholera or other epidemic occurred it could be made to accommodate 30 patients.

= Maudslayi Pittman
Chair

24/11/93.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday, the 24th
day of November 189 3

Signed,

P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

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Present Net Annual Value, £127977.1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of November 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 2 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	560	230													
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	—	5													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	—													
Fever Sheds	—	—													
TOTAL	640	235													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			19	28	72	63	6	8	18	8	12	234	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward	In separate Wards	11
Admitted during the Week			12	4	3	2	—	—	3	—	4	28	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	
TOTAL			32	32	75	65	6	8	21	8	16	262	TOTAL, 104	TOTAL, 38	
Discharged during the Week			21	2	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	26			
Died			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1			
Total Discharged and Dead			21	2	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	27			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			11	30	72	65	6	8	21	7	16	235			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
													Males	Females	Children under 15
													No. Relieved during week		
													No. in Workhouse at date		
													No. at corresponding period last year, 235		

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No. I.	71	132	John D. Edge
No. II.	71	100	John Manley
No. III.	189	248	Joseph L. Kingston
No. IV.	87	148	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	418	628	= 654

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* **WEDNESDAY**, the 24th day of November 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians—

Colonel Tottenham Q.C. Chs
 Captain R.R. Doughty P.V.C.
 Mr John J. Cowley D.V.C.
 Major Tottenham P.
 Mr. Lawrence Holohan
 " John Byrne
 " Edw. Robinson
 " Edw. Phamney
 " Edw. Ellison
 " J. J. Graham

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1241 to No. 1280 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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 in £ 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.

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	Kilcoole						
	Killiskey						
	Newcastle Lower						
	„ Upper						
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen						
	Brockagh						
	Calary						
	Glendalough						
	Moneystown						
	Oldtown						
	Togher						
THOMAS DOWLING	Glenealy						
	Wicklow						
THOMAS DOUGLAS	Dunganstown East						
	„ South						
	„ West						
GEORGE EVANS	Eunereilly						
	Kilbride						
JAMES M ANANAMA	Arklow						
JOHN BRENNAN	Ballyarthur						
	Cronebane						
	Ovoca						
WILLIAM SMYTH	Aughrim						
	Ballinacash						
	Ballinacor						
	Ballinderry						
	Knockrath						
	Rathdrum						
	Trooperstown						
TOTALS, £										

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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:—

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25 Dg. Eggs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 18th day of November 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£ 32	s. 17	d. 6
In Kind ...		18	0
Total ...	£ 33	15	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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON <i>S. Johnson</i>	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON <i>L. Murphy</i>	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
<i>M. New</i>	<i>Leam. & Co.</i>	5	-	-
<i>Henshaw & Co.</i>	<i>Livermore & Co.</i>	23	7	11
<i>M. Byrne</i>	<i>Bread</i>	22	18	5
<i>M. Johnson</i>	<i>Milk</i>	5	5	5
<i>W. Giffney</i>	<i>Fencing Plots</i>	3	-	-
<i>S. Giffney</i>	<i>Vans</i>	1	12	-
<i>S. Giffney</i>	<i>Lumatic Ice</i>	1	1	-
<i>" Ryan</i>	<i>Reps.</i>	1	-	-
<i>M. Walker</i>	<i>Reps.</i>	5	3	-
<i>M. New</i>	<i>Insurance</i>	5	-	-
<i>L. Murphy</i>	<i>Drumming &</i>	4	-	-
<i>M. Lawler</i>	<i>Repairing dam</i>	2	-	-
<i>W.</i>		2	9	3
<i>M. Byrne</i>	<i>Grate Cont</i>	30	-	-
<i>W.</i>	<i>"</i>	50	-	-

£ s. d.

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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:—

On the report of the Medical Officer of the Workhouse a pauper inmate named John Kennedy, was ordered to be sent to a Dublin Hospital for operative treatment to one of his Eyes.

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

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):—

Read a Circular Dated the 21st instant from the Local Government Board on the subject of an improved Scale of Dietary for inmates of Workhouses in Ireland, particularly those of the aged and infirm Class; and forwarding for the Guardians information copies of the Scales of Dietary in use in some of the Workhouses in England and Scotland.

Read Warrant for the removal of a man named Matthew Lawler from Nottingham Workhouse in England to this Workhouse.

✓ Read claim to be rated from Mr. Samuel Henderson, in respect of premises in the town of Arklow rated at £13:0:0 which he

acquires jointly with Mr Peter Dymell.

Ordered - to be rated being adequately vouched.

Charles W. W. W.
Chair

1/12/93.

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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	...	...	...	6
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	6

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	1
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	1
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was				

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	✓
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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 5th day of December 1893

(Signed)

B. Manning
Clerk of the Union

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,
the 24th day of November 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

see page 221

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

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

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr.

of

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from Hon. Sec. Newburgh District Committee ~~stating that~~ transmitting the following resolutions passed by the Committee at their meeting on the 18th instant.

Resolved—

That a properly qualified nurse and midwife be appointed for this District at a salary of £20 a year; to reside in or near the village of Ovoid.

Resolved— That a pump be sunk in the Village of Redcroft, the site to be chosen by the Sanitary Officer.

Unanimously
M. H. Jones Hon. Sec.

Order— Consideration deferred to next Special meeting of the Board.

C. G. J.
24/10/93

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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:—

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

Read Letter Dated the 20th Nov 1893, from the Local Government Board, transmitting for the information of the Guardians a memorandum of instructions respecting the obtaining of Provisional Orders under the Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878, the Guardians having decided to compulsorily acquire land in connection with the Sewerage of the Village of Kilpedder.

Read Letter Dated the 23rd Nov 1893, from Mr C. L. Janshens, agent to Major Gen Cunningham, forwarding to be laid before the Guardians a copy of a letter received from Mr H. E. Hall C.E. Sanitary Engineer, in which he states that he has taken levels of the field in which it is proposed to construct the new tank in connection with the drainage of the Village of Kilpedder, and he found "that the lowest part of the field is only six inches under the level of the top of the existing tank which precludes being constructed ^{any tank} from which a natural overflow can take place."

Mr. Janshens points out that if the system of pumping out the liquid contents of the tank be contemplated as heretofore, this can just as well be done from the present tank as from any other, and the outlay of any additional Scheme would be thereby saved.

Order—Copy of these letters to be sent to the District Committee.

Read Letter from the Arklow Harbour Commissioners, Dated the 21st November 1893 in

reply to the Guardians letter ^{on} the subject of
providing Drury accommodation on the Quay
at Arklow, stating that they have no funds
at their disposal to provide such accommodation
but ~~it~~ would be very glad to see St. Thomas accom-
-modation carried out and would be prepared to
give the sites or ground necessary for the purpose.

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Mr. Johnson SSO reported that James
Redmond and Bridget Doyle have failed to comply
with the notices served on them in respect of their
houses which are unfit for human habitation.

ordered to be summoned. GP 24/11/93

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Wm. J. O'Mahony.
Chairman

11/12/93.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 9th
day of December 1893

Signed,

B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891—27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127977.1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of November 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 15 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	250	226													
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	—	5													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	—													
Fever Sheds	—	—													
TOTAL	330	231													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			10	30	72	65	6	8	21	7	16	235	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary 95	In separate Wards 27	
Admitted during the Week			27	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	30	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 5	In Wards with other inmates 11	
TOTAL,			37	31	73	65	6	8	21	7	17	265	TOTAL, 100	TOTAL, 38	
Discharged during the Week			21	5	1	..	..	1	1	1	3	33	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Died			1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	Males	Females	Children under 15
Total Discharged and Dead			22	5	1	..	..	1	1	1	3	34	No. Relieved during week	32	3
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	26	72	65	6	7	20	6	14	231	No. in Work-house at date	6	—
													No. at corresponding period last year,		
															240

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25th day of November 1893 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		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	71	132	John D. Edge
No. II.	73	106	John Manley
No. III.	184	235	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	88	149	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	416	622	= 654

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* ~~Wednesday~~, the 15th day of December 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—*James Tottenham D.L. Chm.*

Other Guardians:—

Mr. John J. Cowley D.V.C.
" A. Dwyer P.
" H. A. Parker P.
" John Byrne
" E. Robinson

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1281 to No. 1293 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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 - - - - - £ 128 .. 0 .. 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 157 .. 0 .. 0

And that the Balance on the Account *in favour* the Guardians was £ 628 .. 17 .. 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.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altadore	...	...	...			
	Kilcoole	...	...	...			
	Killiskey	...	...	...			
	Newcastle Lower	...	...	...			
	" Upper	...	...	...			
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen	...	...	...			
	Brockagh	...	...	...			
	Calary	...	...	...			
	Glendalough	...	...	...			
	Moneytown	...	...	...			
	Oldtown	...	...	...			
	Togher	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy	...	...	...			
	Wicklow	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOUGLAS...	Dunganstown East	...	...	...			
	" South	...	...	...			
	" West	...	...	...			
GEORGE EVANS	Ennereilly	...	...	...			
	Kilbride	...	...	...			
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow	...	...	...			
JOHN BRENNAN	Ballyarthur	...	...	...			
	Cronebane	...	...	...			
	Ovoca	...	...	...			
WILLIAM SMYTH	Aughrim	...	...	...			
	Ballinaclash	...	...	...			
	Ballinacor	...	...	...			
	Ballinderry	...	...	...			
	Knockrath	...	...	...			
	Rathdrum	...	...	...			
	Trooperstown	...	...	...			
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 30 : 17 : 11
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 45 : 1 : 1
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 3 : 6 1/4

Average Cost in Infirmary : 4 : 1

Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 3 : 8

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

1000 Loaves of Bread
255 Galls of New Milk
50 Galls of B Milk
22 lbs of Butter
440 lbs of Meat
33 Sheep's Heads
24 dozen Eggs
4 bush Salt

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 26 day of November 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£ 37 : 13 : 6
In Kind ...	6 : 0
Total ...	£ 37 : 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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
<i>Edmundson</i>	5	16	8
<i>Edmundson</i>	24	1	9
<i>C. Wilson</i>	8	11	4
<i>Clark</i>	3	1	1
<i>small pay</i>			

£ s. d.

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

1 December 1893

It is with deep regret I have to report the death of W^o Byrne School Mistress which took place on the 29th inst after a service of 40 years, by which event the Union has lost a Valuable Officer, and who at all times sought every opportunity to render all the assistance possible to the nation and myself in the kindest and most disinterested manner leaving an example worthy of imitation

The Board cannot learn this without expressing their profound sense of the exemplary service rendered by W^o Byrne for so many years & their sincere sympathy with her bereaved husband

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):—

Read the following letter from Mr. Pailin Esq. R. Agent to the Earl of Mansfield.

Estate Office, Arklow, Co. Wicklow,
28th November 1895

Sir—

I am in receipt of yours of the 23rd instant, enclosing a copy of Dr. Flinn's report of 9th of Nov^r on the Sanitary Condition of the Town of Arklow, and in reply beg to point out the following facts.

Dr. Flinn when inspecting Arklow did not consider it was necessary to inform either the Sanitary or Sub-Sanitary Officer of his visit, neither did he call on me as the representative of the owner of the greater part of the town for any information.

He makes a general sweeping condemnatory report, but does not specify the Bye-lanes where he states filth is allowed to accumulate, nor does he point out the cabins that he considers are unsanitary, so that it is quite impossible to deal with his report.

If Arklow is in such an insanitary state as he makes out one would think the natural course for him to adopt would be to take the Sanitary or Sub-Sanitary Officer with him and point out the places that he complains of instead of making a clandestine inspection unaccompanied by those responsible for the cleanliness of the town, and then condemning the whole of the lower part of the town and the surrounding area.

I would also point out that previous to the time when the present system of scavenging was adopted, Arklow was almost annually visited by an epidemic of one fever or another, but for many years now we have practically had no fever in the town and during the last five years the Fever Hospital has had but one patient; and this immunity from fever is borne out by the official statistics published by the Registrar General.

Lord Cargoy is quite aware that many of the cabins in Arklow are in a very bad state, and he takes every opportunity he has of obtaining the surrender of them from the tenants to whom he pays £2 for levelling them.

He has built a large number of new cottages in the town but many of them are unoccupied as the poor fishermen are not able to pay even the small weekly rents he asks for them.

D. Flinn is probably not aware that for the greater number of the fishermen's cabins Lord Cargoy receives the sum of from six pence to two shillings per annum and has

to pay taxes varying from ten shillings to one pound a year per cabin, so that in many instances he is actually eighteen shillings per annum out of pocket because he is the owner of a cabin.

This fact alone will show that his Lordship cannot be very anxious to perpetuate such a state of things, but as the only remedy would be wholesale eviction, he naturally shrinks from such a course, and prefers biding his time and gradually getting rid of the worse cabins by paying the tenants for their voluntary surrender and travelling whenever an opportunity arises for doing so.

As regards privy accommodation as mentioned in my former letter to you our experience was that in the new cottages we built we had afterwards to do away with the privies as the tenants did not use them properly, so that they became a nuisance and a source of danger to the health of the place, and if privy accommodation was made a compulsory thing in Arklow we should simply turn the town from a healthy place and one that compares favourably with many towns of its size and style of population in the United Kingdom, into a place where typhoid and other fevers would be constantly recurring.

I would suggest that the Local Government Board should be asked to direct Dr. Thim to make an appointment to visit Arklow on a date on which some of the members of the Dispensary Committee, the Sanitary Officer & myself could meet him and let him specifically point out what he complains of and suggest his remedy and then the Local Sanitary Authority would be in a position to deal with the question on

on which they are at the present utterly in the dark

Yours faithfully - A. Dailly

Ordered -

Jobe entered in the minutes ~~and a copy~~ at length and a copy sent to the Local Government Board.

CJO 1/12/93.

The following notice of motion was served

I hereby give notice that I will move on this day fortnight (Friday the 15th instant) to rescind a resolution passed by our Board on the 3rd Nov. to give the advertising of the Union to the "Wicklow Star"

John Byrne

1/12/93 CJO

Dear Letter Dated the 30th Ultimo - from Mr. J. Kennedy, Solicitor, Wicklow, agreeing to undertake to do the Solicitor's Law business connected with Guardians' & Improvement Scheme, at £2.2.0 per cottage passed by the Guardians to be increased by the sum of £2.8.0 for each cottage carried on to the assignment of the rate.

Order - Accepted. CJO 1/12/93

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The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 8th
day of December 189 3

Charles J. ...
Cham

(Signed)

Benjamin ...
Clerk of the Union.

8/12/93

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,
the 1st day of December 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

Colonel Tottenham D.L. Chas
See page 241

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Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a Requisition
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supplied:—

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Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

Arklow

Recd Letter from Dr. Gardiner, Arklow, asking for the sanction of the Board of Guardians to get the water of two of the public wells in Arklow, analysed.

Order - Dr. Gardiner is authorized to get the water tested by the County Analyst Mr. C. Cameron

1/12/93 *ES*

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

_____ District	.	.	.	£
_____ District	.	.	.	£

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

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

of

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At an extraordinary Dispensary Committee held
this 27 Nov. 1893 -

Mr. Port^r Jarey P.L.G. In the chair -
Colonel Kemmis R. Robt Fatten Esq A. Messrs
J Pyne P.L.G. Merrigan. Drummers, Phelan &
Pyne.

Respectfully M. J. Byrne Esq. Secretary Col.
Tenniss -

Having Dr. Byrnes telegram, and Dr. Jamall's certificate of his illness, his leave of absence having expired on the 18th Nov- and we extend further leave to Friday 1st Dec- and after that date he shall pay the locomotives Dr. himself. -

Properly Colonel Kemmis P. seconded by J. Byrne, - That the attention of the Medical Officer be called to this and last meeting, minutes of the absence of the Report Book for Jan'y. The necessity of the Book being produced for the inspection of the Committee at each meeting and correct attendance and departure of the

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Charities Act will be before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

Several Dispensaries -

James Phelan
(estate subject) Hon. Sec.

Approved - 689. 1/12/93

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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 Mr. Hawagan Master Ser. Askew Disp. Comtee stating that at last meeting of the Guardians Mr. Wolohan inaccurately stated that the report of the last meeting of the Askew Dispensary Committee was inaccurate.

He denied having marked Dr. Flinn's letter "read". It will be found on referring to Dr. Flinn's letter that it is marked "read" by Mr. Wolohan. —

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Read Letter from the Harz Ser. of Dungannon Dispensary Committee asking for an order to get a wooden leg for Wm. Hamilton, not to exceed 10/-, the one supplied to him at a cost of 30/- being no use to him.

Order — 10/- allowed, provided the first limb be not charged:

W. H. P.

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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
Asklew	Dr Gardner	Relating to two houses in the town of Asklew, stated to be unfit for human habitation, one occupied by a man named Lawrence White, and the other by John McDonnell.	Order - Notices to be served on the occupiers.

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read Report from Mr. J. K. Dooney Solicitor Dublin, Dated 27 Nov. stating that he attended at N. M. Kennedy Petty Sessions on Saturday last and prosecuted the several persons accused of breaches of the laws, with the following results: viz—

Wm Saunders — for keeping a piggery on Kileavole common in such a state as to be dangerous to public health — Ordered to abolish the piggery unless within one month such structural improvements be made as shall meet with the approval of S. Loverock. Costs allowed against the Defendant, £1 S^d Fee £1. Police Fee and 3/- Subsanitary Officers expenses.

John Poth — Like offence, Like order.

Richard Keady — Like offence, Like order.

Patrick Doyle — Like offence, Like order.

Thomas Keane — for having an unsanitary dwelling without drainage, and without any latrine accommodation: Ordered to carry out the structural works required by the Officers Notice; Costs and expenses same as the others

Wm Saunders — for having a house unfit for human habitation. — House ordered to be discontinued as a human habitation.

Acting on the suggestion of several of the Justices Mr Dooney did not press for costs in this case.

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Read Letter Dated 25th Ultimo from S^r Loverock M.O. of Newcastle Dispensary District, applying to the Board for his fees £6. for attending at Petty at N. M. Kennedy and giving evidence in 6 cases

of Sanitary prosecutions in which Fines amounting to £23:0 were imposed on each of the Defendants.

At the same time he wishes to call the Guardians attention to sec. 258 of the Public Health Act, and to the sealed Order of the Local Government Board Dated the 11th Novr 1878 which reads thus—

"Now therefore, we, the Local Government Board for Ireland do hereby in any case falling within the provisions aforesaid approve of such rate of remuneration, at not less than one pound one shilling and not exceeding two pounds two shillings per day or part of a day as may be fixed by the Sanitary Authority in each case of legal proceedings as aforesaid.

Order - Adjourned for examination of the terms of his engagement. CJ 1/12/93

Read Letter from John Potts, Patrick Doyle, Wm Samuels and Richard Keady, Defendants in the foregoing cases asking the Guardians not to press for the heavy costs awarded against them.

Read Letter from 15 Ratepayers of Kilcove E.C. protesting against the erection of new piggeries on the Fair Green Common of Kilcove.

Read report from Mr. J. Manley SSO, stating that Pat^r McDonnell and Mrs. Anne Grant have failed to comply with the notice served on them calling on them to shut up a hut.

Order - Do be Summoned: -
1/12/93 - CJ

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 8th

day of December 1893

Charles W. R. W. R.
Chair.

Signed,

Thos. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891— 27628

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127577.1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of December 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	289	222															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	89	11															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	909	233															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			15	26	72	65	6	7	20	6	14	231	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	108	In separate Wards	27	
Admitted during the Week			28	5	3	1	—	1	3	1	—	42	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	11	In Wards with other inmates	11	
TOTAL			43	31	75	66	6	8	23	7	14	273	TOTAL	119	TOTAL	38	
Discharged during the Week			34	4	—	1	—	1	2	—	—	39	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1		Males	Fe-males	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			31	4	1	1	—	1	2	—	—	40	No. Relieved during week	22	3	1	26
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			12	27	74	65	6	7	21	7	14	233	No. in Work-house at date	6	—	—	6
													No. at corresponding period last year,				246

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of December 1893 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		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	71	132	John D. Edge
No. II.	75	112	John Manley
No. III.	185	236	Joseph Loringston
No. IV.	88	147	Richard Ellison
TOTALS	419	627	= 654

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ Friday, the 8th day of December 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Tottenham *Chairman*
Other Guardians:—

Mr. John J. Farley JVC
Major Tottenham JP
Mr. E. V. Wynne JP
" J. J. Graham
" Edw. Ellison
" Edw. Robinson
" John Byrne

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1294 to No. 1360 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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 Book was signed by the Chairman.

the Guardians was

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.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kileoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinacash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS: £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account,	32	13	10
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	45	15	4
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account,			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	6 $\frac{1}{4}$
Average Cost in Infirmary -		4	1
Average Cost in Fever Hospital -		3	8

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

1000 Rouser Bread
 246 Galls Newmilk
 50 " Buttermilk
 23 lb Butter
 440 " Meat
 33 Hens
 8 cwt Sugar
 4 Chests Tea
 4 1/2 Bns. Porter
 25 Doz. Eggs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of *June* 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£	s.	d.
In Kind ...	35	6	0
	1	0	6
Total ...	£36	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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20		
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON <i>S. Johnson</i>	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON <i>L. Simpson</i>	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
<i>Whelan</i>	4	8	9
<i>M Byrne</i>	19	-	5
<i>D Edge</i>	14	4	4
<i>Starr</i>			
<i>Brew</i>			
<i>Misc & Butler</i>			

£ s. d.

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

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

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

The 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):—

Read Letter from Local Government Board, Dated the 7th instant transmitting the usual Query Sheet respecting the person who may be appointed to the office of Schoolmistress of the Workhouse.

Proposed by Mr. E. Ellison, seconded by Mr. John Byrne
Resolved

That the Schoolmaster be requested to take charge of the girls School as well as the boys until other arrangements are made.

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Read Letter Dated the 6th instant, from the Commissioners of Valuation acknowledging the receipt of lists of tenements requiring revision in this Union.

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Read Letter Dated the 30th ultimo from the Chief Secretary's Office, Dublin Castle, transmitting an order on the Bank of Ireland, for payment to the Guardians credit of a sum of £279.12.11, in respect of Probate Duty Grant for the year ending the 31st of March next.

Read Letter from the Clerk of the Union excusing his absence from the Board on account of illness.

Read Letter from Megan Byrne, tenant of the labourers cottage built by the Guardians at Coppagh in Ballinacree E.D. complaining of the state of disrepair in which the cottage is at present and has been for some time past.

Order - Referred to Mr Owen Byrne P.L.G.
8/12/93 *W.D.*

Read Letter Dated the 6th instant from Mr Vernon V.D., reporting that a dog at Mr Keenes of Castle Grange has lately shown some of the symptoms of Rabies; the dog has been destroyed, but as the dog had strayed away for about 36 hours, he would suggest the advisability of putting a muzzling order on the surrounding neighbourhood.

No order

R. G. Drought
V.D.

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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 Out-door Relief was	...	...	...
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was
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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 ~~Wednesday~~, the 15th day of December 1893

(Signed)

Trisay
B. Manning
 Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on *Friday* ~~Wednesday~~,
the *8th* day of *December* 189 *3*

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

James Tottenham D.L. Chm

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 261

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] *The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from The Mayor of Newcastle Dispensary stating that in accordance with the request of the Board of Guardians an extraordinary meeting of the Committee of management was held on the 4th instant to consider Mr. Donohue's letter relative to the Kiepsider sewage tank when a resolution was proposed to the effect that an Engineer of high standing should be consulted before any further expense be incurred and giving a Scheme very similar to that already before the Board of Guardians.

An amendment (copy appended) was carried by a small majority—
That a man be employed to clean out the tank periodically (a pump being supplied) and that the sewage be conveyed away in a water cart. This amendment was Proposed by Mr. Wellersey, seconded by Mr. Robinson:—

Proposed by Mr. E. Robinson seconded by Mr. E. Ellison —
Resolved—

That the report of the Newcastle Dispensary Committee be adopted and measures taken to carry their resolution out: If the remedy be found unsatisfactory the matter to be brought up again for consideration, it being understood that the waste pipe into the stream ^{be closed}

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

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

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

R. R. Dr. W. G. W.
Ch. W.

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 the 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:—

Read Letter Dated the 2nd instant, from the Local Government Board informing the Guardians that they have instructed their Medical Inspector S. Stafford to hold an inquiry, and furnish them with a report as to the proposed area of charge for expenses incurred in providing a supply of water for the town of Rathfrim.

Read Letter of same Date from S. Stafford L.G. Inspector appointing Tuesday the 12th instant to open the inquiry referred to above.

Order -

The assizes are going on at Wicklow & will require the attendance of jurors in the County town all next week. It is suggested that some day after the assizes say the 18th inst, be selected.

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Read Letter from Mr. Maurice Knight, Agent to the Earl of Meath stating that His Lordship will expect compensation for the land & water rights proposed to be taken in connection with the proposed water supply for the town of Rathfrim, the same as the tenants. He at the same time suggests that a lease for say 99 years of the plot & lands be taken out at a yearly rent of £1.

Read Telegram from Mr. Frank Brooke S.R. Agent to Earl Sigmund stating that as the water supply for the town of Rathfrim is for public benefit His Lordship will make no charge for the privileges sought.

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Read Letter Dated the 7th instant from Mr. Wm. Speares, Jollatun; stating that he will

prepare the necessary trainings & for the inquiry about to be held respecting the area of charge for the expenses of the Rathfriland Water supply.

Over - If the day for the inquiry is changed from the 12th instant Mr. Spears to be informed of the new fixture.

Read Letter Dated the 5th instant from Dr. Liverock M.D. of Newcastle Dispensary District complaining of the remark made by Mr. E. Robinson P.L.G. at the last meeting of the Guardians to the effect that the persons prosecuted by the Guardians under the Public Health Act were involved in costs for the purpose of supporting professional gentlemen, which statement Dr. Liverock repudiates.

Read Letter from Mr. Pat^r Byrne, Pallygannon Kilcoble stating that he neither signed nor authorized any person to sign for him the petition presented to the Guardians against the erection of pigsties on Kilcoble Green.

Read Letter Dated the 7th instant from Mr. J. Evans SSO Arklow, that two of the public pumps in Arklow ~~which~~ had not been giving a supply of water for some days and in the absence of the Contractor (M. Walsh) he employed another man to set the pumps right but he failed in doing so. However on the return of the Contractor he at once set about putting the pumps in order, which he has succeeded in doing, and has undertaken to pay the man employed by the SSO. -

Approved
8/12/93
J. J.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 15th

day of December 1893

H. R. Broughton

Signed,

B. Manning
Clark of the Union

Population in 1891—27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127,577-4/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of December 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
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TOTAL			55	30	75	67	6	7	21	7	14	282	TOTAL, 101	TOTAL, 38	
Discharged during the Week			43	4	4	—	—	—	4	1	1	57	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Males	Females	Children under 15
Total Discharged and Dead			43	4	4	—	—	—	4	1	1	57	No. Relieved during week 34	—	—
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			12	26	71	62	6	7	17	6	13	225	No. in Workhouse as date 9	—	—
													No. at corresponding period last year, 238		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9th day of December 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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No. IV.	90	151	Richard Ellison L. Murphy
TOTALS,	416	626 = 663	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday, the 15th day of December 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair— Captain R R Droughtt P. VC. + Mr. John Byrne,
 Other Guardians:— Mr. John J. Crowley DVC
 Doctor H P Innell P — Mr. M Byrne — Lt. Col. Stoney P
 Major C R W Littenham P " P Miley Mr. J. B. Keane
 " R J Welch P " J P Graham " Wm Grant
 Mr. A Daillyan P " M Doyle " Pat Keely
 " E N Wynne P " D Byrne " Jas Short
 " A Bonke P " E Storey " Edw Cullen
 " R Wolohan " J Murphy " M H Jones
 " D Somers " J Manley " W Cullen
 " J Byrne " E Robinson " J Doyle
 " O Byrne " E. Ellison

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1361 to No. 1400 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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 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.

£ 374 : 12 : 11

£ 205 : 0 : 6

£ 110 : 8 : 3

in favor the Guardians was

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.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altidore	...	...	...			
	Kilcoole	...	...	...			
	Killiskey	...	...	...			
	Newcastle Lower	...	...	...			
	" Upper	...	...	...			
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen	...	...	...			
	Brockagh	...	...	...			
	Calary	...	...	...			
	Glendalough	...	...	...			
	Moneystown	...	...	...			
	Oldtown	...	...	...			
	Togher	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOWLING	Glenealy	...	...	...			
	Wicklow	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOUGLAS	Dunganstown East	...	...	...			
	" South	...	...	...			
	" West	...	...	...			
GEORGE EVANS	Ennereilly	...	...	...			
	Kilbride	...	...	...			
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow	...	...	...			
JOHN BEENNAN	Ballyarthur	...	...	...			
	Cronebane	...	...	...			
	Oroca	...	...	...			
WILLIAM SMYTH	Aughrim	...	...	...			
	Ballinaclash	...	...	...			
	Ballinacor	...	...	...			
	Ballinderry	...	...	...			
	Knockrath	...	...	...			
	Rathdrum	...	...	...			
	Trooperstown	...	...	...			
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 38 . 9 . 10
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 45 . 0 . 11
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - £ 3 . 6 ¹/₄

Average Cost in Infirmary - £ 4 . -

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - £ 4 . 1 ¹/₂

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

1000 Lower Bread
252 Gall Henmills
50 " Buttermills
22 1/2 Butter
440 " Meat
33 Hens
25 Doz Eggs
1/2 Chest Tea

Ordered -

The Master to supply
provide the usual Breakfast
Dinner & Supper for the Inmates
on Christmas day -

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 9th day of December 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	36	10	6
In Kind		3	6
Total	£ 36	14	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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY		-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON		-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON		-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
J. Sutton	29	16	4
lv	12	17	9
Chisom	3	1	7
A. Daily and	3	-	-
J. Sutton	2	19	11
M. Walsh	4	10	-
In fav. of to pay small payments	6	4	9

£ s. d.

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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:—

Gentlemen - I have to report that the Schoolmaster is seriously ill and has requested me to inform your Board that he purposes to resign his office after a service of 26 years in the Union, and 19 years previous in a National School at Kildroole;

In consequence of having lost the services of the Schoolmaster & Schoolmistress who both assisted in the business of the Union I am obliged to ask for an assistant until the vacancies are filled up.

Order - A temporary assistant to be provided at £1. per week.

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):—

Read Circular Dated the 11th instant from the Local Government Board requesting that the Guardians will be so good as to direct that in future a notification shall be sent to the Coroner of the death of any inmate of the Workhouse who, at the time of decease, is classed as a lunatic.

Read Letter from same Dated the 14th instant in reference to the Guardians resolution of the 8th instant, requesting the Schoolmaster of the Workhouse to take temporary charge of the girls School; the LG Board presume the arrangement in question applies only to school hours, and that the girls will be under the charge of the Matron at other times.

Read Letter from same of same Date, calling for the Returns of Medical & Educational Expenses, and Sanitary Salaries for the half year ended the 29th of September last.

Read Letter Dated the 14th instant from Mr. John Dowling claiming to have his name placed on the Rate Book instead of some Jackson, New Tombarwell, Valuation £98 - E D Killiskey.

Ordered to be rated being adequately Vouched

Contracts

The following Contracts were declared for 3 months:

Mr. E. McGunk.	Best Beef	@	5	per lb
"	" Mutton	"	5	"
"	" Bacon	"	7	"
"	" Ox Heads	"	2/-	each
"	" Sheep Heads	"	7	"
Mrs. M. Byrne	" White Bread	"	5	per 4 lbs
Mr. O'Hill	" Oatmeal	"	£12.10/-	per Ton

The Guardians accepted a tender from Mr. John Ryan of Knockrath, proposing to pay £3:1:6 for the slop and refuse of the Work-house Kitchen for 3 months from the 25th instant.

In accordance with notice Mr. John Byrne proceeded to move his resolution with reference to the Union advertisements:

Proposed by Mr. John Byrne, seconded by D. Innell
Resolved.

That the resolution passed by
our Board on Nov. 3^d giving the Union
advertisements to the Wicklow Star be rescinded.

Upon a division being taken this resolution was
negatived by 16 votes to 13.

The following notices of motion were served: -

I hereby give notice that I will on this
day fortnight move that the resolutions giving
the printing and advertising of this Board to
several newspapers be rescinded; and that in
future we give the advertising to the "Wicklow
News Letter" and "The Star", and that these
papers be asked to state a price per line.

James J. Grehan
15th Dec- 1893

R.R.D. - 15.12.23

We propose that the future insertion
for the Board of Rathdrum Union be ad-
vertised and given to the Lowest tender by line
in each paper.

We give notice that we will move
the above on this day fortnight.

Signed Lawrence Wolohave
Dan Somers

Dec-15th 1893

15.12.93

I hereby give notice that I shall propose
a resolution on this day fortnight that one.

Teacher only be appointed for our Workhouse
Schools for the future, and that said Teacher
be a Female.

John Byrne

15.12.93

Read Report Dated the 5th instant
from the R D C Roundwood, stating that Mary^t
Kenny of Enaghmore, Roundwood; had on that
date a Pig affected with Swine Fever. or
supposed to be Swine Fever.

Read Report Dated 14th instant from
R D C Rathdrum stating that Mrs Brown
of Rathdrum had on that date one Pig
affected with Swine Fever; or supposed to be
Swine Fever.

R. F. Brought
Ch^r M^r?

22.12.93

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 Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 22nd
day of December 1893

(Signed)

B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on *Friday*
the *15th* day of *December* 189*3*

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 281

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

Newcastle

The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration the claim of D. Loverock M. O. of Newcastle Dispensary District for payment of fees amounting to £6 for attending at Petty Sessions and giving evidence in said Prosecutions ordered by the Guardians:

On the motion of Colonel Stoney seconded by D. Ruell it was Resolved—

That D. Loverock be paid a fee of Two guineas for his services as above.

Carried

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

Newbridge

In accordance with notice the Guardians proceeded to take into consideration the recommendation of the Newbridge Dispensary Committee respecting the appointment of a midwife for the District, and the erection of a Public Pump in the Village of Redcrisp.

On the motion of Mr. Jones seconded by Mr. J. Manley:—

It was resolved that a midwife be appointed for the Newbridge Dispensary District at a salary of £15 a year, and 5/- fee for each case attended and that a Public Pump be erected in Redcrisp.

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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:—

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

[illegible]

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read Letter Dated the 10th instant from Dr. Stafford L.G. Inspector, stating that in deference to the Guardians wishes he will postpone the inquiry respecting the area of Charge for the expenses of the Rathdrum Water supply; Doctor Stafford expresses his regret that his engagements do not admit of his appointing the 18th inst. in the inquiry; any day however after the 25th instant he will be happy to give for the purpose.

Order - Wednesday the 27th instant to be fixed if convenient to Dr. Stafford.

Read Letter Dated the 14th instant from Mr. J. Kennedy, Solicitor, Wicklow; expressing his regret that owing to his engagements at the Wicklow Assizes, he was unable to attend at Rathdrum P.S. but he had written to the Magistrates asking for an adjournment of the cases in which he was engaged for the Guardians, and also wrote to the witnesses not to attend.

Read Letter Dated the 14th instant from Mr. J. K. Dooney, Solicitor, Dublin; requesting to be furnished with the names and addresses of every owner or reputed owner lease or reputed lease and occupier of the lands to be taken for the purposes of the Drainage of Kierpedder village.

Ordered to be furnished - L.R.D. - 15.12.93

Read Letter from Dr. Loverock M.O. of the Newcastle Dispensary District, stating that he

entirely agree with the resolution proposed by Colonel Stoney at the meeting of the Newcastle Dispensary Committee (to get a qualified Engineer to report on the matter). The amendment proposed by another member of the Committee he considers quite unworkable, for the reason that in time of heavy rain no pump would be able to keep the tank from overflowing unless worked by steam &c. &c.

Read letter from Mr. J. F. Evans S.S.O. Arklow, stating that the Cross Roads Pump is now giving a full supply of water, and he expects it will continue to do so if only used by householders, provided the hackney car proprietors are prohibited from wasting the water in washing their vehicles with the pump water instead of using the river water. He thinks it is not right that the water of the Public Pumps should be taken for building purposes or for supplying Steam Boilers.

Read Report from Mr. L. Murphy S.S.O. - stating that the Sanitary Notices served by orders of the Guardians on the 4th instant 4th of Novr 93 in certain person in Kilcoole have not been complied with.

Read letter from Ellen Doyle, Jastle M'Adam, asking the Guardians not to order summonses to be taken out against her as she is getting the repairs ordered by them carried out as regards her dwellinghouse.

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

day of December 189 3rd

Signed,

P. Manning
Clark of the Union.

Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127577.4/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of December 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 2 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	589	223														
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	10														
Fever Stalls	—	—														
TOTAL	669	233														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			12	26	71	67	6	7	17	6	13	225	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	95	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates	127
Admitted during the Week			24	6	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	39	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	10		11
TOTAL			36	32	73	68	7	8	19	7	14	264	TOTAL	105	TOTAL	38
Discharged during the Week			26	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	31	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		Males	Females	Children under 15
Total Discharged and Dead			26	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	31	No. Relieved during week	20	6	11
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			10	28	72	68	7	8	19	7	14	233	No. in Workhouse at date	3	1	—
													No. at corresponding period last year, 240			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16th day of December 1893 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		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	71	132	John D. Edge
No. II.	75	112	John Manley
No. III.	179	230	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	89	145	John E. Egan
TOTALS	414	619	= 669

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 22nd day of December 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—R R Draught Enge P VC

Other Guardians:—

Mr. Edward Ellison
" John Byrne

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 140 to No. 144 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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 *in favor* 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.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	" Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneytown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	29	17	10
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	45	6	11
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	6½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	1½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	-

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

1100 Loaves Bread
 258 Galls Newmilk
 50 " Buttermilk
 22 lb Butter
 450 " Meat
 33 Hens
 25 Dg. Eggs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 16th day of December 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£	s.	d.
In Kind ...	39	19	10
		4	6
Total ...	£	40	4 4

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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON	5	30	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON	2	26	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Per P. W. Guinness	Salary	10	-
" P. Carberry	"	20	-
" D. R. Reeper	"	25	-
" B. Manning	"	25	-
" J. Flower	"	20	-
" M. Flower	"	10	-
" A. Byrne	"	8	15
" J. C. Byrne	"	5	17
" M. Kenny	"	5	-
" J. O'Han	"	5	-
" A. Fitzgerald	"	3	15
" W. Reeves	"	3	15
" J. D. Edge	"	8	15
" J. Manley	"	8	15
" S. Johnson	"	8	15
" L. Murphy	"	8	15
" E. Dalton	"	5	-
" S. Cole	"	4	-
" B. Manning	"	2	10
" J. Garland	"	30	-
" J. Gardner	"	25	-
" J. Byrne	"	25	17 6
" J. Satchwell	"	25	-
" J. Gordon	"	30	-
" J. Liverock	"	25	-
" J. Ryan	"	25	-
" J. Halpin	"	25	-

		£	s.	d.
Clerk to pay Dispensary servants wages		10	10	-
R J Brien	Sab	5	=	-
J Vane	"	5	=	-
Matt Flung	"	3	15	-
J Venson	"	15	-	-
J Manning	"	6	5	-
M New	"	3	15	-
L Murphy	Van Ex	10	-	-
Accommodate B ^d Nealks	Ref ^d of room	12	10	-

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:—

Gentlemen -

In consequence of the illness of the Schoolmaster as reported on the 15th instant, the Order of your Board of the 6th instant for him to take charge of the Female School has fallen through; It will be necessary to appoint a temporary teacher until permanent arrangements are made.

I beg to suggest that the Drainage and other sanitary improvements ordered by your Board should be brought to a close.

Order -

Mr. Matthew Mustagh, approved as temporary teacher at 25/- per week.

The Contractor to be called upon to complete his contract without further delay -

R R D

22.12.93

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):—

Read Letter Dated the 21st inst. from the Local Government Board expressing their sanction to the appointment of the Assistant applied for by the Master of the Workhouse on last Board day at a rate of remuneration of £1. a week.

At the same time they request that the resignation of the Schoolmaster may formally be given and duly entered on the minutes.

Read Letter from same of same Date, requesting to be informed whether the Clerk has laid before the Board of Guardians the information necessary to enable them to deal with the discrepancies between the amounts given in the last column of the Abstracts of accounts, 5 A and 5 B, for the half year ended the 25th of March last, and the

Order - This has been already done: —

Read report from Mr. Newson V.D., Dated the 18th instant, stating that Swine Fever has been found to exist on the premises of William Moses of Redcross; and that said premises have been declared to be a place infected with Swine Fever.

Read Circular from the Guardians of the
Crown Union enclosing a copy of a resolution
passed by them calling on the Government to
issue Loans to Boards of Guardians, under
the Lubbers Acts, at the same rate of interest
as that charged on the Loans given in the year
1880.

Order - To be considered next Board day: -

24/12/93 Charles. Tottenham
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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	...	...	...	9
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	9
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	9

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	1
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	1

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	✓
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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 ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 29th day of December 189³

(Signed)

P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~.the 22nd day of December 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

R R Doughty Esq JP VC
Mr Edward Ellison
John Byrne

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

_____ District	.	.	.	£
_____ District	.	.	.	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] *The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

Dispensary District, Mr.

of

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from Board of Works dated 21st instant
~~stating that~~ requesting payment of £12:10:0, in respect
 of the loan obtained by the Guardians for the
 purpose of building a Dispensary & Doctors residence
 at Anglin.

Order — Cheque to be drawn for the amount forwarded:

These Reports are
 to be made up and
 forwarded by the
 Medical Officers to
 the Board of Guar-
 dians quarterly, viz.,
 on the 31st March,
 30th June, 30th Sep-
 tember and 31st De-
 cember.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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:—

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 the Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.
Union	Manning	3	15	-
	S. Leeper	2	10	-
	J. Dwyer	8	15	-
	Manley	5	-	-
	S. Johnson	5	-	-
	L. Murphy	7	10	-
	J. Evans	7	10	-
	P. Carty	2	10	-
Dispensaries	D. Garland	3	15	-
	" Gardiner	2	10	-
	" Byrne	3	15	-
	" Salihwell	2	10	-
	" Hudson	3	15	-
	" Liverpool	2	10	-
	" Ryan	2	10	-
	" Halpin	6	5	-
	D. Ryan	15	-	-
	" Hudson	4	2	-
	M. Byrne	21	13	5
	E. Shunt	17	17	8
	M. Johnson	10	-	7
	E. Fallon	10	11	6
	J. Flower	2	5	-
	S.	5	12	6
Infir. Clerk to pay	Postage	2	12	-
	D. Ryan	1	1	-
	J. Nolan	12	-	-
	S. Johnson	1	5	-
	E. Murphy	10	-	-
	E. Cole	1	6	-
	M. Linder	4	-	-
	Manley	3	9	-
	S. Johnson	1	4	-

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

7:15:1

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

Read Letter Dated the 21st instant, from the Local Government Board, forwarding for the information of the Guardians a copy of a further report which they have received from their Medical Inspector Dr. Flynn in reference to the Sanitary Condition of the town of Arklow, and especially its fishing district.

Order - The consideration of this letter postponed to next Board meeting.

Read Letter from Mr. Murphy 580 of Newcastle Dispensary District stating that the owner and occupier of the land proposed to be taken compulsorily in connection with the Drainage of Kildesher are Major T. R. Guinness and Mrs. Dora O'Sullivan.

Order - These names to be furnished to Mr. J. J. J. J.

29/12/93. Thos. J. J. J.
Chas.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 24th
~~Wednesday~~
day of December 1893

Signed,

B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127977.1

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 23 day of December 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 5 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	580														
Temporary Buildings	—														
Additional Workhouse ..															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80														
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL	660	245													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			10	28	72	68	7	8	19	7	14	233	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary 99	In separate Wards 27	
Admitted during the Week			18	5	2	1	—	1	2	2	1	32	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 11	In Wards with other inmates 11	
TOTAL			28	33	74	69	7	9	21	9	15	265	TOTAL 110	TOTAL 38	
Discharged during the Week			13	1	2	1	—	—	2	1	—	20	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Total Discharged and Dead			13	1	2	1	—	—	2	1	—	20	No. Relieved during week 36	Males 36	Females 1
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	32	72	68	7	9	19	8	15	245	No. in Workhouse at date 6	Children under 15 3	TOTAL 40
															No. at corresponding period last year, 251

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of December 1893 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		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	71	132	John D. Edge
No. II.	76	114	John Manley
No. III.	178	229	Joseph Larrington S. Johnson
No. IV.	88	144	Richard Ellison K. Murphy
TOTALS	413	619	= 657

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 23rd day of December 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Tottenham C.E. Chm

Other Guardians:— Mr. John J. Cowley D.V.C.

Doctor Innell F.F. — Mr. Wolsbarn — Mr. O'Brien — Mr. Grant
 Colonel Kemmis F.F. — " Somers — " M. Connelley — " Keely
 Major Welch F.F. — " Jordan — " J. Frehan — " Daise
 Mr. A. Bailey F.F. — " Sheehan — " H. Separd — " Short
 " C.H. Wade F.F. — " Carey — " M. Doyle — " E. Pullen
 " R.W. Pyne F.F. — " J. Pyne — " Channery — " M. H. Jones
 " J. Murray F.F. — " O. Pyne — " Storey — " W. Pullen
 " M. Pyne — " Murphy — " and
 " J. Miley — " Manley — " J. Doyle
 " J. Cunningham — " J. Keane

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1415 to No. 1440 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Chairman called the attention to the changes in the train service which will take place on the 1st of January next, in consequence of which he thought it would be well if the Guardians made a corresponding change in the hour at which the Guardians have commenced their proceedings up to the present.

After some discussion it was unanimously Resolved—

That the hour of meeting of the Guardians be changed from Twelve o'clock to half past Eleven.

Proposed by Colonel Kennedy Seconded by Mr. Joseph Keane.

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

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 Book was signed by the Chairman.

the Guardians was £ / /

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.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altidore	...	...	...			
	Kilcoole	...	...	...			
	Killiskey	...	...	...			
	Newcastle Lower	...	...	...			
	„ Upper	...	...	...			
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen	...	...	...			
	Brockagh	...	...	...			
	Calary	...	...	...			
	Glendalough	...	...	...			
	Moneystown	...	...	...			
	Oldtown	...	...	...			
	Togher	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy	...	...	...			
	Wicklow	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East	...	...	...			
	„ South	...	...	...			
	„ West	...	...	...			
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly	...	...	...			
	Kilbride	...	...	...			
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow	...	...	...			
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur	...	...	...			
	Cronebane	...	...	...			
	Ovoca	...	...	...			
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim	...	...	...			
	Ballinaclesh	...	...	...			
	Ballinacor	...	...	...			
	Ballinderry	...	...	...			
	Knockrath	...	...	...			
	Rathdrum	...	...	...			
	Trooperstown	...	...	...			
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -			
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -			
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was			
Average Cost in Infirmary -			
Average Cost in Fever Hospital -			

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:—

1050 Loaves Bread
 270 Galls Newmilk
 50 " Buttermilk
 22 lbs Butter
 465 " Meat
 33 S. Heads
 26 Doz. Eggs
 2 " Chickens
 2 Boxes Currants

Ordered—

That the Master provide
 the usual supper for the inmates
 on New Years Day.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of December 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money ...	35	12	6
In Kind ...		10	0
Total ...	£36	2	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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

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:—

B. W. G. L. K.
P. M. L. K.
L. P. K.
E. S. K.
F. K.

E. Doyle 1-0-0
W. Murphy 16-0
A. Lawlor 3-0

	£	s.	d.
Ment	109	5	7
Rent	2	00	-
Milks	29	15	6
"	2	00	-
Sum	165	15	-

£ s. d.

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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:—

On the report and recommendation of the Medical Officer of the Workhouse a pauper inmate was ordered to be sent to St Marks Ophthalmic Hospital for operative treatment.

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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):—

Recd Letter Dated the 29th instant, from Mr. Andrew Byrne, Schoolmaster to the Workhouse, tendering his resignation of that office, on account of long service and declining health, and expressing a hope that the Guardians will kindly grant him the highest retiring allowance in their power to give.

Order — Resignation accepted.

Advertisements to be published for Teachers for male and female schools, applications to be considered on this day fortnight.

Proposed by Mr. Keely, seconded by Colonel Fenwick:—
Resolved —

That the Board recommend to the

Commissioners of National Education, the most favorable consideration of Mr. Andrew Byrne's claim to Superannuation or pension. Paper

The following claims to be voted were allowed, being adequately vouched:

- ✓ Mr. Denis Kavanagh, Ferrybank; Valuation £9.0.0
- ✓ Mrs. Lucy Caoney, Ballinacorney & Michael Caoney.

In accordance with notice Mr. J. P. Graham, proceeded to propose his resolution which was seconded by Mr. ~~Thomas Doyle~~ ^{Matthew Doyle}, as follows.

Resolved -

That the resolution giving the printing and advertising of this Board to several Newspapers be rescinded, and that in the future we give the advertising to the Wicklow News Letter and the Star, and that these papers be asked to state a price per line.

January 21 Votes to 15. -

The notice of motion served by Messrs. Wolohan and Gomers was ruled out of order, in consequence of the passing of the above resolution.

Mr. John Byrne withdrew his notice of motion in reference to the appointment of a Female Teacher only for the Wicklow schools: -

12/1/94 Charles Wolohan
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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

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

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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 ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the ~~5th~~ ^{8th}
day of January 1894

(Signed)

B Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,
the 29th day of December 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

John Pottenham Esq. Chm.
See page 821

An Estimate of the 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
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having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same
(or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining
a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

District	-	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	-	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

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

Order dated 23rd December 1893 (state subject.)

authorizing the Committee of Management of Newbridge Dispensary District to appoint a midwife for the service of said District, at such salary as the L.G. Board shall from time to time approve.

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 Local Government Board dated 22 Decr-1893
~~stating that~~ expressing their sanction to the proposal to fix the salary for the office of midwife in the Newbridge Dispensary District at £15 a Year and an allowance of 5/- for each midwifery case.

Read Letter from the Hon. Secy of Arkelow Dispensary Committee stating that at a meeting of the Committee held on the 21st inst., members present Mr R Philpot M and Dr Hanagan, Hon. Secy. the consideration of Dr. Flinn's letter and a letter from the Local Government Board relative to Dispensary accommodation in Arkelow was postponed to the Quarterly meeting in January.

Dr. Gardiner was given leave of absence from the 22nd to the 29th inst. he undertaking that Dr. Halpin of Arkelow, or Dr. Murphy of Malgreany will act for him during that period at his expense.

The Committee approve of the erection of a Pump over the Fishery well; But they consider Flight's well to be in a satisfactory condition;

Order by the Guardians — Pump at Fishery well

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

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

not considered necessary at present. The Sanitary Officer, to have some gravel placed round Flight's Well; Dr. Gardiner's leave approved.

[Signature]

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

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 Guardians proceeded to take into consideration S. Himes report relative to the sanitary condition of portions of the town of Arklow.

Proposed by Mr. A. T. Tilden & Seconded by Mr. Wolahan -
Resolved -

That the present Contractor (for scavenging the lanes and back streets of Arklow) be requested to tender to the Dispensary Committee for the extra work of cleansing the lanes and unsanitary district complained of by S. Flinn three times a week instead of twice as at present, during the continuance of his present contract, and that he be requested to improve his cart, so as to remove slush immediately and not leave it in heaps to harden.

Panel 89

Read Letter Dated the 28th instant from Mr. John F. Evans S.S.C. Arklow recommending the Guardians to expend a sum of £50 on gravelling the lanes and back streets of Arklow, and £20 on repairing the surface channels, with an annual expenditure hereafter of £15.

Mr. Evans also recommends that two Privies should be provided on the South Quay and one on the north Quay which could be done for about £400.

He also reported that a portion of the boundary wall of the old Graveyard in the Main Street of Arklow is damaged and the Entrance Gate blown into the street, and he suggests that the Gate may be built up. as the Grave Yard is closed for years past.

Property of Mr. J. Somers, Secondary Mr. J. Zander -

Resolved. That £10. be given to the SS Office to be spent in gravelling the by lanes of Arklow, and repairing the foot channels, and that the Gateway of the old grave yard be built up.

Sanet CJB

Read Letter Dated the 23 Dec 93 from Mr. J. K. Jorney, Solicitor, Dublin; forwarding notices to be served in the matter of the Kipperder Brimage

Read Letter Dated 25th Dec 93 from Mr. Murphy, SSO stating that he has duly served these notices.

Read Letter Dated 28th Dec 93, from Mr. Kennedy, Solicitor, Wicklow, stating that he attended at Rathfrum Petty Sessions in the Sanitary prosecution ordered by the Guardians and obtained an order from the Magistrates that Mr. Donald should quit the hut and that it should not be used as a human habitation; The Magistrates ordered Mrs Grant to pay £4:12:6 cts.

Read Letter from Mrs Grant begging of the Guardians not to enforce this Order against her as she did not give Mr. Donald leave to erect the hut, which he would not leave for her.

Adjourned
CJB

Elly Tottenham
Man.
12/1/94.

Friday 5th

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~, the

day of January 1894

Signed,

J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127 577 : 1/-

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouses on the above date	
Workhouse	589	241													
Temporary Buildings ..	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	89	9													
Fever Sheds	—														
TOTAL	669	250													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			15	32	72	68	7	9	29	8	15	245	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 198	In separate Wards (In Wards) with other inmates 127	
Admitted during the Week			37	4	5	-	-	-	1	-	2	49	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 9		
TOTAL			52	36	77	68	7	9	20	8	17	294	TOTAL, 107	TOTAL, 38	
Discharged during the Week			30	5	3	-	-	-	1	2	2	43			
Died			-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1			
Total Discharged and Dead			30	6	3	-	-	-	1	2	2	44			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			22	30	74	68	7	9	19	6	15	250	No. Relieved during week 31	1	33
													No. in Work-house at date 8	-	8
													No. at corresponding period last year, 240		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of December 1893 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	Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	72	134	John D. Edge
No. II.	75	108	John Manley
No. III.	174	225	Joseph Lexington S. Johnson
No. IV.	88	144	Richard Ellison L. Murphy
TOTALS,	409	611	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,
the 5th day of January, 1894

PRESENT : *In the Chair*—

Other Guardians :—

There was no Board on this day
only one Guardian being in
attendance (Mr John Byrne -)

of Tottenham

Jan. 12th 94.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

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

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 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.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altidore	...	...	...			
	Kilcoole	...	...	...			
	Killiskey	...	...	...			
	Newcastle Lower	...	...	...			
	" Upper	...	...	...			
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen	...	...	...			
	Brockagh	...	...	...			
	Calary	...	...	...			
	Glendalough	...	...	...			
	Moneystown	...	...	...			
	Oldtown	...	...	...			
	Togher	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOWLING	Glenealy	...	...	...			
	Wicklow	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOUGLAS	Dungunstown East	...	...	...			
	" South	...	...	...			
	" West	...	...	...			
GEORGE EVANS	Ennereilly	...	...	...			
	Kilbride	...	...	...			
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow	...	...	...			
JOHN BRENNAN	Ballyarthur	...	...	...			
	Cronebane	...	...	...			
	Ovoca	...	...	...			
WILLIAM SMYTH	Aughrim	...	...	...			
	Ballinacash	...	...	...			
	Ballinacor	...	...	...			
	Ballinderry	...	...	...			
	Knockrath	...	...	...			
	Rathdrum	...	...	...			
	Trooperstown	...	...	...			
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was			
Average Cost in Infirmary			
Average Cost in Fever Hospital			

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:—

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door 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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

£ s. d.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

The 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 Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the
day of 189

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,

the _____ day of _____ 189

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] *The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

Dispensary District, Mr.

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

*Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____*

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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:—

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the.....
day of..... 189

Signed,.....

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127977 : 1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of January 1894

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 15 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	588	249													
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	9													
Fever Sheds	—	—													
TOTAL	668	258													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			22	30	74	68	7	9	19	6	15	250	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	106	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates
Admitted during the Week			34	4	5	—	—	1	2	—	—	46	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	9	—
TOTAL			56	34	79	68	7	10	21	6	15	296	TOTAL	115	TOTAL
Discharged during the Week			27	3	4	—	—	1	1	—	—	36			
Died			1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	2			
Total Discharged and Dead			28	3	4	1	—	1	1	—	—	38			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			28	31	75	67	7	9	20	6	15	258	No. at corresponding period last year,		252

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of January 1894 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		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	72	134	John D. Edge
No. II.	73	103	John Manley
No. III.	173	224	Joseph L. Livingston
No. IV.	86	140	Richard Ellison
TOTALS	404	601	= 671

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 12th day of January 1894

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham D.R. Chm

Other Guardians:—Mr. John J. Crowley D.V.C.

S. Drnell P. — Mr. R. Kennedy P. — Mr. P. Miles — Mr. J. Manley
 Major Tottenham P. — Mr. J. Murray P. — Mr. C. Menigan — Mr. E. Robinson
 Colonel Kennedy P. — Mr. L. Wolohan — Mr. M. Connelley — Mr. J. Keane
 Mr. St. Daylions P. — Mr. D. Somers — Mr. H. Sheppard — Mr. W. Grant
 " J. Dowling P. — Mr. D. Fendren — Mr. M. Doyle — Mr. P. Keely
 " Ch. Wade P. — Mr. A. Sheehan — Mr. E. Chamney — Mr. J. Short
 " L. W. Byrne P. — Mr. P. J. Carey — Mr. D. Byrne — Mr. E. Cullen
 " H. A. Lamb P. — Mr. J. J. Byrne — Mr. E. Stoney — Mr. J. Keane
 " E. N. Wynne P. — Mr. O. Byrne — Mr. J. Murphy — Mr. M. H. Jones
 " S. H. C. Meller P. — Mr. M. Byrne — Major Proctor — Mr. W. Cullen

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1441 to No. 1540 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ✓ to No. ✓ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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 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.

£ 526 : 2 : 0

£ 272 : 4 : 7

£ 1333 : 11 : 4

in favor

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.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovea ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinaeor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	37	18	3
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	£	s.	d.
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	48	17	=
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	7
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	✓

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

2 weeks

~~48~~
 2100 loaves Bread
 552 Galls Newmilk
 100 " Buttermilk
 44 lb Butter
 920 " Meat
 66 Sheep heads
 20 cwt Oatmeal
 56 doz Eggs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 6th day of January 189⁶ whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£	s.	d.
In Kind ...	38	6	8
	2	8	0
Total ...	£40	14	8

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON S. Johnson	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON C. Murphy	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
J. Evans	Camp Ex	20	-	-
M. New	Pen "	5	-	-
M. Clark	on a/c of Court.	48	15	-
M. Byrne	Bread	35	16	10
D. Edge	Milk & Butter	13	19	4
E. Mulhern	Eggs	9	-	10
N. Haslam	Tobacco	7	19	10
D. O'Brien	Maintenance D.M.	7	10	-
Wm. Chail	Printing	5	9	11
S. Liversidge	Sanct. Insurance	2	2	-
W. Munn	Post. Vac. Dep.	2	-	-
Clark	Petty Cash	5	10	-

£ s. d.

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

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

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

The 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):—

Read Circular Dated the 30th Instant from the Local Government Board calling for a Return of persons of unsound mind in the Workhouse on the 31st of Decr 1893.

Read Letter from same Dated the 4th instant, pointing out with reference to the Guardians resolution of the 29th ult. proposing to change the hour fixed for their meetings, that 14 days notice should have been given of this proposal.

The Chairman gave notice that on Friday the 26th instant he will move that the hour of meeting of the Board be changed from Twelve to half past Eleven o'clock.

Read Letter from Same, Dated the 4th instant, expressing their sanction to the rate of remuneration - 25/- a week - proposed to be paid to Mr. Matthew Murtagh for his services as temporary Schoolmaster of the Workhouse.

Read Letter from Same of same date, transmitting the usual Query Sheet respecting the persons who may be appointed to the office of Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress of the Workhouse.

Read Circular from Same Dated the 8th instant transmitting a statement of Statistics respecting the Receipts and Expenditure of the several Unions in Ireland and the number of persons who received In-door and Out-door Relief during the year ended the 29th of September 1893.

Read Circular Dated the 3rd instant, calling for a Return of all sums paid under the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Acts, during the year ended the 31st of December 1893; and the amount realized by the sale of Carcases of slaughtered Animals during the same period.

Read Letter Dated the 9th instant, informing the Guardians that the Office of Registrar of Births, Deaths and Marriages of Newbridge District is vacant by the resignation of Dr. Gordon, and it therefore becomes the duty of the Guardians at their earliest

possible convenience to appoint a Registrar for the District in question.

Proposed by Mr. John Byrne, seconded by Mr. Wolsahan -
Resolved -

That Mr. Samuel Johnson R.O. be appointed Registrar of Births, Deaths and Marriages for the Newbridge District.

James Hanan (min)

Read Letter Dated the 8th instant from the Commissioner of Valuation informing the Guardians that Mr. Farmer has been appointed to revise the Valuation of the Union for the ensuing year and will commence that duty about the 1st of February.

Read Letter Edward Byrne, Dinnakilly, calling the ^{Board's} attention to the delay that has taken place in regard to the building of a labourers cottage for him under the Labourers (Ireland) Act; a cottage having been sanctioned for him under the Guardians Improvement Scheme No. 3; but nothing appears to have been done in respect to it up to the present.

The Clerk of the Union explained that owing to the death of Mr. Ritledale, the landlord of the land proposed to be taken for the site of the cottage in question; and to the wish of the Guardians to arrive at the amount of compensation to be paid to the owner and occupier without the expensive intervention of a Government Arbitrator considerable delay has taken place.

Order - Unless some arrangement is made with the owners of this plot within a month the Board must put its legal powers into action.

Read Reports from Mr. Newson Veterinary Inspector, stating that Swine Fever has been found to exist on the premises of the following persons viz:

Mr. Jerome Neill, Ashtown, Roundwood;
 " George Power, Glasnamullen, New Town
 " John Power, " " "

In accordance with notice & advertisements duly published, the Guardians proceeded to the election of a Schoolmistress for the Workhouse, at a Salary of £35 a year, with apartment and rations.

Five candidates were duly put in nomination and voted for with the following result.

	1 st Poll	2 nd Poll	3 rd Poll
Miss Condon.	18 Votes	21 Votes	27 Votes
" Doyle.	11 "	13 "	15 "
" Butler.	8 "	7 "	-
" Byrne.	3 "	-	-
" McShearn.	1 Vote	-	-

Miss Sarah Condon was accordingly declared duly elected.

There was no candidate for the office of Schoolmaster and accordingly fresh advertisements were ordered to be published, Election to take place on the 26th instant.

Charles J. Pottahan
 Chair

19/1/94

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 Out-door Relief was	...	...	...
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was
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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 19th day of January 1894

(Signed)

B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,the 12th day of January 1894

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

Colonel Tottenham D R Chm

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 361 -

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne 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:—

The Clerk to forward same to the Contractors

A special requisition for an Elastic stocking was sent in by D. Gardner of Arklow, but the name of the patient's name was not mentioned, and it was requested that in future the name of the patient should be given:

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

_____ District	.	.	.	£
_____ District	.	.	.	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] *The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

Arklow.

Mr. Wolahan having drawn the attention of the Board to the fact that the meeting of the Arklow Dispensary Committee reported to the Board on the 29th instant was held on the 4th Thursday in December instead of the 3rd as directed & published. The Board desires to call the attention of the Committee to this irregularity.

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

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

Arklow	—	26	Defaulters
Aughrim	—	8	"
Newcastle	—	17	"

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

The usual notices to be served on the Defaulters.

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 the 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:—

Read Letter Dated the 10th instant from the Local Government Board in reference to the resolution of the Guardians relating to the scavenging of the lanes &c of Arklow to which their Medical Inspector, Dr. Flinn, called attention, and pointing out that the Guardians appear to have ignored the principal question referred to in their Inspector's report, viz: the complete absence of privy accommodation in Arklow; and they again draw the Guardians attention to Section 45 of the Public Health Act with respect to this matter:

Order — Local opinion in Arklow is entirely opposed to the privies proposed as appears by the resolution of the Town Commissioners. —

It is reported that an effort will be made to get funds to erect public privies on the Quay; which it seems the Sanitary Authority has no power to do.

Read the following resolution passed by the Arklow Town Commissioners at their last monthly meeting.

"That having inferred from statements in the local papers that it is contemplated to erect privies in the lanes of the congested portion of the town of Arklow, we are of opinion that such a proceeding would create centres from which epidemics would emanate, that it would be most injurious to health and detrimental to the morals of the inhabitants; and we reiterate our former suggestion that it is over the river such privies should be erected.

Read Letter Dated the 11th instant,
from Dr. Satchwell Medical Officer of Health,
of Duncannon Dispensary District, applying
for payment of his fee - Two Guineas - for giving
evidence on the 28 Decr. at Rathfriland Petty
Sessions in the Case of the Guardians against
McDonald and Grant.

Order - One Guinea to be paid:

Charles Henry Pottam
19/1/94.
Chair.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 15th
day of January 1894

Signed,

P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891 — 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127977-1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of January 1894

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	589	250													
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	80	10													
Permanent Fever Hospital															
Fever Stalls															
TOTAL	669	260													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			28	31	75	67	7	9	20	6	15	258	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary 110	In separate Wards 27	18
Admitted during the Week			29	4	2	—	—	—	3	—	3	41	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 10	In Wards with other inmates 11	
TOTAL			57	35	77	67	7	9	23	6	18	299	TOTAL 120	TOTAL 38	
Discharged during the Week			27	3	2	—	1	—	4	—	1	38	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Died			—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1			
Total Discharged and Dead			27	3	2	1	1	—	4	—	1	39	No. Relieved during week 18	2	23
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			30	32	75	66	6	9	19	6	17	260	No. in Workhouse at date 7	1	8
													No. at corresponding period last year, 207		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13th day of January 1894 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		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	72	134	John D. Edge
No. II.	73	103	John Manley
No. III.	173	224	Joseph L. Kingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	86	140	Richard Ellison L. Murphy
TOTALS	404	601	= 671

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 19th day of January 1894

PRESENT : In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham D.L. Chu

Other Guardians:—

Capt R R Drought RVC
 Mr. John J Cowley DVC
 " H A Zombe R
 " John Byrne
 " John Doyle
 " Wm Grant

S. C. Linn LfJ was also present

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1541 to No. 1596 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Clerk of the Union reported that Dr. Leeper, Medical Officer of the Workhouse, is with Influenza and unable to attend to his duty; He asks for leave of absence during illness, Dr. McIntosh, who acted for him on former occasions, will discharge the duties of Workhouse Medical Officer during the illness of Dr. Leeper.

Order—

The Board expresses regret at Dr. Leeper's illness, and hopes he may soon recover; He is to have leave and Dr. McIntosh is to do his duty during his absence.

[Signature] 19/1/94

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

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 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.

£ 103 —
£ 201 : 13 : 7
£ 1234 : 18 : 9

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.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altadore	...	...	...			
	Kilcoole	...	...	...			
	Killiskey	...	...	...			
	Newcastle Lower	...	...	...			
	„ Upper	...	...	...			
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen	...	...	...			
	Brockagh	...	...	...			
	Calary	...	...	...			
	Glendalough	...	...	...			
	Monestown	...	...	...			
	Oldtown	...	...	...			
	Togher	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOWLING	Glenealy	...	...	...			
	Wicklow	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOUGLAS	Dunganstown East	...	...	...			
	„ South	...	...	...			
	„ West	...	...	...			
GEORGE EVANS	Ennereilly	...	...	...			
	Kilbride	...	...	...			
JAMES M ANANAMA	Arklow	...	...	...			
JOHN BRENNAN	Ballyarthur	...	...	...			
	Cronebane	...	...	...			
	Ovoca	...	...	...			
WILLIAM SMYTH	Anghrim	...	...	...			
	Ballinaclesh	...	...	...			
	Ballinacor	...	...	...			
	Ballinderry	...	...	...			
	Knockrath	...	...	...			
	Rathdrum	...	...	...			
	Trooperstown	...	...	...			
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - $\begin{matrix} £ & s. & d. \\ 52 & 3 & 8 \end{matrix}$
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - $\begin{matrix} £ & s. & d. \\ 52 & 5 & 11 \end{matrix}$
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - $\begin{matrix} £ & s. & d. \\ & 3 & 9 \end{matrix}$
Average Cost in Infirmary - $\begin{matrix} £ & s. & d. \\ & 4 & 3\frac{1}{2} \end{matrix}$
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - $\begin{matrix} £ & s. & d. \\ & 4 & 2 \end{matrix}$

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:—

1100 Loaves Bread
982 Galls Newmilk
56 " Buttermilk
22 lbs Butter
500 " Meat
36 S. Hens
25 doz Eggs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 13th day of January 1894 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money ...	34	10	6
In Kind ...	1	12	6
Total ...	36	3	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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
J Smyth	Grain	85	8	-
M Johnson	Milk	10	15	5
R Hill	Oatmeal	12	10	-
J Smyth	Ironmongery	3	8	-
J A Stampes	Rent	5	-	-
J D'Arcy	Coal	6	15	6
J Flower	Livestock	3	5	2
Flower	Am. pt	2	15	3

£ s. d.

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

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

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

The 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):—

Read Reports from the R.I. Comtee. stating that Typhoid Fever is supposed to exist on the following premises.

John McGinnis	—	5 Sunset Lane	—	As above.
James Phelan	—	17 Chapel Green	—	do
Pat ^r Fitzgerald	—	Dr. Mann Street	—	do
Chas. Dwyer	—	Killashurlock	—	do

The Clerk of the Union laid before the Board the Ledger and Abstract of the Accounts of the Union for the half year ended the 29th Sept. 1893 as audited by Mr. Drury L.G. B.C., Auditor on the 11th and 12th instant. The Abstracts were signed by the Chairman.

26/1/94
 Wm. W. W. W.
 Chair.

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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	...	...	...	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	11

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	2
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Office's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	1

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was
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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 ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 26th day of January 1894

(Signed)

B. M.anning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on *Friday* ~~Wednesday~~,the *9th* day of *January* 189*4*

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Col. Tottenham D.C. Chm.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 381

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

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

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] *The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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
Aughrim	St. Dyne	Want of Paving accommodation in regard to houses in the Village of Aughrim belonging to Mrs. Doyle.	Order - Notice to be served on Mrs. Doyle.

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

S. F. Fium, Hy Medical Inspector, who was present at the Guardians meeting, ~~called~~ drew their attention to the want of privy accommodation in the town of Arklem, apart from the Tramps, and suggested that the owners of houses should be called upon to make two or three privies in different parts each to accommodate eight or ten families, by way of experiment; and the Board desires to forward this suggestion to the Sanitary Commissioners and to Mr A. C. Lyons for their consideration.

Charles. Tothman.
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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 26th
day of January 1894

Signed, P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891—27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127977.4/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of January 1894

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	589	253													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Additional Workhouse ..															
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	80	14													
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL	669	267													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			30	32	75	66	6	9	19	6	17	260	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 110	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates 27	23
Admitted during the Week			36	8	3	-	-	-	3	1	1	52	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 14		
TOTAL			66	40	78	66	6	9	22	7	18	312	TOTAL, 124	TOTAL, 35	
Discharged during the Week			31	6	3	-	-	2	2	-	-	44			
Died			-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1			
Total Discharged and Dead			31	6	4	-	-	2	2	-	-	45			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			35	34	74	66	6	7	20	7	18	267			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
													Males	Females	Children under 15
													TOTAL		
													No. Relieved during week	29	-
													No. in Workhouse at date	8	-
													No. at corresponding period last year,		
													280		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20th day of January 1894 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		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	71	133	John D. Edga
No. II.	74	107	John Manley
No. III.	174	225	James Levingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	87	141	Richard Ellison L. Murphy
TOTALS	406	606	= 680

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 26th day of January 1894

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham D.R. Chas

Other Guardians:—R. R. Drought Esq. P.V.C.

A. P. Snell Esq. P.

A. Dailymon Esq. P.

L. W. Byrne Esq. P.

A. A. Paine Esq. P.

Edw. C. Welle Esq. P.

A. Bonke Esq. P.

R. Howard Esq. P.

Mr. R. Graydon

" D. Somers

" D. Cudren

" T. Sheehan

" J. Carey

" J. Byrne

" P. Miley

" J. Graham

" A. Shepard

" M. H. Jones

Mr. D. Pryme

" E. Stoney

Major Profton

Mr. J. Murphy

" E. Robinson

Richd. Stoney

Mr. W. Grant

" P. Keely

" J. Shute

" J. Keane

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1597 to No. 1634 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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 *in favor*

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,

£ 81 : 10
£ 222 : 16 : 1
£ 1093 : 12 : 8

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.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altidore	...	...	...			
	Kilcoole	...	...	...			
	Killiskey	...	...	...			
	Newcastle Lower	...	...	...			
	„ Upper	...	...	...			
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen	...	...	...			
	Brockagh	...	...	...			
	Calary	...	...	...			
	Glendalough	...	...	...			
	Moneytown	...	...	...			
	Oldtown	...	...	...			
	Togher	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOWLING	Glenealy	...	...	...			
	Wicklow	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOUGLAS	Dunganstown East	...	...	...			
	„ South	...	...	...			
	„ West	...	...	...			
GEORGE EVANS	Ennereilly	...	...	...			
	Kilbride	...	...	...			
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow	...	...	...			
JOHN BRENNAN	Ballyarthur	...	...	...			
	Cronebane	...	...	...			
	Ovoca	...	...	...			
WILLIAM SMYTH	Aughrim	...	...	...			
	Ballinacash	...	...	...			
	Ballinacor	...	...	...			
	Ballinderry	...	...	...			
	Knockrath	...	...	...			
	Rathdrum	...	...	...			
	Trooperstown	...	...	...			
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 66 . 11 . 6
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 52 . 13 . 1
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - £ 3 . 7 ½

Average Cost in Infirmary - £ 4 . 4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - £ 4 . 3

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

1100 Loaves Bread
285 Galls Newmilk
55 " Buttermilk
22 lbs Butter
530 " Meat
36 S Hens
29 Do Eggs
1 Roll Tobacco
5 Galls Whiskey
4 ½ Prs Porter

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 20th day of January 1894 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money ...	34	17	0
In Kind ...	1	0	6
Total ...	35	17	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	...	...	...
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON	...	...	...
No. IV.	<i>Richard Ellison</i>	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
<i>M Byrne</i>	<i>Bread</i>	23	6	6
<i>E Short</i>	<i>Milk</i>	9	15	7
<i>S. Byrne</i>	<i>Van.</i>	2	16	-
<i>" Santines</i>	<i>Regⁿ</i>	3	3	-
<i>" Halpin</i>	<i>"</i>	2	16	6
<i>" Liverock</i>	<i>"</i>	2	7	9
<i>W. Murphy</i>	<i>"</i>	1	2	1
<i>S. Byrne</i>	<i>"</i>		10	-
<i>" Liverock</i>	<i>Lump Fee</i>	1	1	-
<i>W. Barton</i>	<i>Painting S. House</i>		15	-
<i>R. Murphy</i>			6	-
<i>J. Manley</i>	<i>Servicing Paving Stone</i>		5	-
		3	19	1

£ s. d.

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:—

Gent^l I have to report that the Watermains from the Reservoir require to be cleaned out.
ordered—

In consequence of having to employ temporary attendants on Dangerous Lunatics until removed to the Richmond Asylum I would wish your Board to fix the rate of pay per day, including night attendance.

Order — 2/- per day — and 1/- per night.

[Signature]

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):—

Read Circular Dated the 19th inst. from the Local Government Board informing the Guardians that the Lubbers (Ireland) Act 1883, and any unrepealed enactments amending same are continued by the Expiring Laws Continuance Act of 1893 till the 31st of December 1894.

Read Letter Dated the 22nd inst. from same approving of the appointment of Miss Sarah Condon to the Office of Schoolmistress of the Workhouse at a salary of £35 a year with rations.

Read Letter from same Dated the 25th inst. forwarding for the information of

the Guardians a copy of a letter which they have received from the Commissioners of N^o. Education relative to the Guardians application for a retiring allowance for the Schoolmaster of the Workhouse:

The Commissioners state that they have no funds at their disposal for awarding retiring allowances to teachers of Poor Law Union Schools.

The following notice of motion was served in relation to this subject. -

"I hereby give notice that on Friday the 9th of March 1894, I shall move that a Superannuation allowance be granted to Mr Andrew Byrne, late Schoolmaster of the Workhouse

Dated this 16th day of January 1894
Signed Patrick Keely

Jan 16 - 1894 GJ

Read Letter Dated the 24th inst from Mr Farmer, Revising Officer, stating that he will attend at the Workhouse on the 5th of February to commence the annual revision of the Valuation of the Union for the ensuing year.

Read Letter from Dr. Leeper, Medical Officer of the Workhouse stating that he hopes to be able to resume his duties next week, and asking the Guardians to have the goodness to pay Dr. McIntosh for his services as temporary substitute according to the usual rate of payment for such services.

Order - £2.2.0 to be paid -

Read Letter from J^r J D Ryan P^r asking the Guardians to place his name on the List of Ex Officio Guardians for the Union:

Order - This application to be referred to the Local Government Board, as the Guardians are in doubt as to whether J. Ryan is entitled to act as an Ex Officio Guardian he being M^d Officer of the Rathfriland Dispensary District.

Read Letter Dated the 19th instant from Mr J A Denning, Solicitor, Dublin, requesting to be informed what is the highest sum the Guardians will give without going to arbitration for the landl^ds interest in the 2 acre of land required for the purposes of the Rebores (Ireland) Act on the townland of Timna Kill, in the T.D. of Ballinaclosh, on the Estate of the Trustees of the late W F Littledale Esq.

Proposed by Mr John Byrne, seconded by Mr Grehan

Resolved

That £10- be offered for this plot:
Paper

In accordance with notice of motion Colonel Tottenham proposed & Mr Grehan seconded that in future the hour of meeting of the Board be changed from twelve o'clock to half past eleven.

Unanimously.

On the motion of Mr Grehan seconded by J. Ruell P^r it was unanimously resolved that a vote of condolence be presented to the family of the late Captain Halpin P^r D^r.

The Guardians proceeded to elect a Schoolmaster for the Workhouse notice of which had been duly given, there were six candidates for the office three of whom were duly proposed and seconded:

viz:-

Mr. James Brady	-	who received	19	Votes
" Wm. Lavanagh	"		9	"
" Lat. J. Furlong	"		0	"

Mr. James Brady was accordingly declared duly elected:

Mr. Newson V.I. reported that he found Swine Fever to exist in the following premises:

viz:

John McGinnep - 5 Gussat Lane, Millow. -
 Michael Daly - Ashford
 Thomas McCabe - do
 Patrick Quinn - Carrigeenahinnagh: -

The following cases of supposed Swine Fever were reported by the Police -

viz:

Matthew Doyle - Birchwood - Ashford:
 James Doran - Kilcrole Village -
 Lawrence Mitten - Sleamane, Roundwood
 Mr. Barton - Glendalough House - Anamoe.

The Police also reported the existence of Sheep Scab upon Mr. W.J. Corbet's land at Spring Farm Delgany.

= Charles. W. Statham
 Wt. 2nd 94 Clerk

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 Out-door Relief was

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

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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 2nd
day of February 1894

(Signed)

B. Manning

Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,the 26th day of January 1894

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Colonel Tottenham D L Chu

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 401.

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the St. John's 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:—

The clerk to 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:—

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 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Newbridge Dispensary District, Mr Wm Inke of Castlemaudum
in room of Mr Richard Inke, deceased. —

Wicklow Dispensary District — Mr John Hope of
Dulpoole & Captain R C Halpin DLT deceased. —

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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.)

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
stating that

dated

Arklow

Read the following minutes of proceedings of Arklow Dispensary Comtee at a meeting held on the 18th Jan^y 1894, members present— Mr. A. Dairym P. in the Chair, Messrs Gardiner, Sheehan & Hanagan;— Dr. Gardiner also present

The complaint implied in the Guardians letter of the 13th Jan^y, namely that an irregular meeting of the Arklow Dispensary Comtee had been held contrary to the arrangement made by the Guardians and published by notice dated May 1893 was investigated, when it was found that any meeting of the Comtee had been held contrary to such arrangement, the last previous meeting was held in the Court House, Arklow; on Thursday the 21st Dec^r 1893 being the 3rd Thursday of the month at 2 o'clock p.m.

It was decided that no action should be taken by the Comtee on Dr. Hynes report of 9 Nov 93, a subsequent one having been made by him which has been fully considered and dealt with by the Guardians.

The Letter of the LG Board relative to Dispensary accommodation was adjourned to the Special meeting on the 29th January

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

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

Read a letter from Martin Byrne, Scavenger, offering to perform the extra work for £3 a month which the Comtee recommended the Guardians to accept for 2 months. Scavenger to clean twice a week all places previously contracted for as well as the extra portion of the town ~~was laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—~~ to be printed out by Mr. Evans 550; Also to be move all refuse at once.

Examined MOs books and tickets; 24 since last meeting— 1659 tickets during the year 1893. Signed Vau^r Form H. and Requisition for Medicines, also posting account 5/8, recommended for payment:—

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
Quamvale	St. Garland	Unsanitary condition of the house occupied by Judy Kavanagh in consequence of goats being allowed kept in the room with her: -	Order - SS Officer to see to this case and get the occupier to clean the room and keep out the goats.

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read Letter from Messrs R Philpott P and Mr J. Hanagan, Chairman of the meeting of the Arklow Dispensary Committee held on the 21st December 1893, and Harry Seery of the Committee complaining of the implied censure conveyed in the Guardians letter of the 13th Jan^y 1894 to the effect that they had held a meeting of the Committee on a day other than the one appointed by the Guardians for holding ordinary meetings of the Committee; no such meeting having been held.

Read Letter from Dr Gardiner, Medical Officer of Arklow Dispensary District enclosing a forged certificate, purporting to have been issued by him to the Relieving Officer for the purpose of getting out Poor Relief.

The Relieving Officer was directed to caution the person who presented this certificate to him, that serious notice will be taken of any such conduct in future.

— Charles J. Vallaghan.
Feb 2nd 94. Char.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 2nd
day of February 1894

Signed,

P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891—27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127977.1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of January 1894

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	369	249															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	16															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	669	265															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			35	34	74	66	6	7	20	7	18	267	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	107	In separate Wards In Wards with other inmates	20	
Admitted during the Week			38	4	4	2	—	1	3	—	1	53	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	16			
TOTAL,			73	38	78	68	6	8	23	7	19	320	TOTAL	123	TOTAL	38	
Discharged during the Week			41	3	4	1	2	1	—	—	—	52	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	3		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			41	3	6	2	2	1	—	—	—	55	No. Relieved during week	31	2	—	33
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			32	35	72	66	4	7	23	7	19	265	No. in Workhouse at date	8	—	—	8
													No. at corresponding period last year,		237		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of January 1894 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 33, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	71	133	John D. Edge
No. II.	74	111	John Manley
No. III.	195	227	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	84	131	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	404	602	= 6.8.8

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 2nd day of February 1894

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel G. Tottenham & R. Chr.

Other Guardians:—

Mr. John J. Cowley & Co
" Alex^r J. Dailly & Co
" John Byrne
" L. Wolohan
" R. Byrne

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 Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. _____ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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 *in fact* 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.

£ 355 - 0 - 0
£ 110 - 12 - 8
£ 1338 - 0 - 0

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.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	" Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	41	1	7
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	56	2	4
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	7 ¹ / ₂
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	3

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

Order not signed

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 27th day of January 1894 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£	s.	d.
In Kind ...	37	15	4
		4	0
Total ...	£ 37	19	4

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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEWINGSTON <i>J. Johnson</i>	30	-	
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
<i>De</i> <i>Infant Clerk to pay</i>			
<i>Hurdson</i>	<i>Ref. Fees</i>	1	15 6
<i>" Ryan</i>	<i>"</i>	1	11 -
<i>" Satchwell</i>	<i>"</i>		15 -
<i>" Gardiner</i>	<i>Yard Fees</i>		16 -
		4	17 6

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

Read Sealed Order Dated the 29th of January 1894 fixing the qualification for the Office of Poor Law Guardian.

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):—

Read Circular from Local Gov^t Board Dated the 1st instant forwarding above Sealed Order.

Read Letter from same of same date, sanctioning the proposal of the Guardians to pay 2^s a day and 1^s a night to temporary attendants on dangerous lunatics in the Workhouse prior to removal to a lunatic asylum, provided the attendant is not a pauper inmate.

Read Letter from same of same date requesting to be informed of the reason why Mr. Brady, whom the Guardians have elected to the office of Schoolmaster of the Workhouse, was dismissed by the Manager of the Pest School in which he

was teacher.

Order - Mr. Brady to be asked to send a reply to this inquiry:

Read Letter from same of same date requesting to be informed of the full name of Dr. McIntosh, whom the Guardians have appointed as temporary substitute for the Medical Officer of the Workhouse, and whether he is a fully qualified and a registered Medical Practitioner.

Order - Refer to Dr. Leeper for this information: who states that Dr. Maxwell McIntosh is a fully qualified and a registered Medical Practitioner.

Read Letter Dated the 24th Ultimo; from Mr. J. A. Denning, Dublin. Solicitor to the Trustees of the Late Wm. F. Littledale Esq. stating that the Trustees are prepared to accept the Guardians offer (£100) for the half acre of land required for the purposes of the Rabbits (Ireland) Act for the landlords interest in this plot of land; but they are not prepared to go into the title, as the same named would not pay the cost of making out title; The Guardians are to pay any expenses that the Trustees are at and to take a mere assignment from them.

Order - Referred to Mr. Dooney: —

Read Letter Dated the 28th Ultimo from Mr. John Wm. Richards claiming to have his name inserted in the Rate Book as the

occupies of Houses premises & Land at Dallyhenry
in Killistrey S.D., 1st Valuation £133-0-8.

Order - To be rated accordingly being adequately valued.

Read Letter from Mr. Daniel Williams
Rockstown, asking to have his name erased
from the Bond of Mr. William Smith J.P.C.
No Order

Read Letter from Mr. Patrick Carr S.S.O.
stating that the labourers cottage occupied by
Margaret Byrne at Cappagh in Ballinacorney S.D.
is in need of some repairs

Order - Mr. Owen Byrne P.C.H. for Ballinacorney S.D.
to be asked to confer with Mr. Carr and get the
repairs done.

Mr. Nerson V.D. reported that Rinder Fever
exists on the following premises.

viz.
Francis Fox -- Main Street -- Wicklow.
Lawrence Mitten -- Sleamane -- Roundwood
James Doran -- Kilmole -- Village

✓ Sheep Scab on the flocks of the following persons.

viz.
Sylvester Pally -- at Ballydonnell -- Wicklow.
Thomas Mason -- at Priestown -- Delganey.

Order - The sheep not to be removed.

The Police reported the supposed existence of Rinder
Fever on the premises of the following persons.

James Fuller -- Ballydonnell -- Retrop.
James Green -- Inistown -- Wicklow.
Thomas Byrne -- Fair Green -- Rathfriland.

= Charles J. O'Meara

July 9. 94

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(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 ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 9th day of February 1894

(Signed)

B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,
the _____ day of _____ 189

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

Arklow

Special meeting of the Arklow Dispensary Committee was held at the Court House Arklow on Monday January 29th 1894, members present Mr. A. Dailly P. Chm.

Messrs D Somers, J Hill and J Hanagan: —

Read a letter from the Local Government Board relative to Dispensary accommodation for the Arklow District, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Proposed by Mr. D Somers seconded by Mr. J Hill
Resolved —

That a Doctors residence with Dispensary attached be built, provided a suitable site can be obtained, and that the Doctor be willing to pay a rent not exceeding £15 per annum.

James Hanagan

Approved

(Sd) 2/2/94

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from the Hon. Sec. of Nassau Bridge Disp. Committee stating that leave of absence has been given to Dr. Hudson Medical Officer of the District for a couple of weeks, his son Dr. Robert Hudson has been appointed for two weeks to do the duty at the usual remuneration

Leave granted

CGI 2/2/94

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Read Letter from Dr. Satchwell Medical Officer of Dungannon (Dispensary District) informing the Guardians that he was compelled last Saturday (the 26th Ultimo) to send for Dr. Ryan to meet him in consultation (in a difficult midwifery case) a woman named Delany of Brittas, for which service Dr. Ryan is entitled to a fee of £2:2:0.

£2:2:0 to be paid — CGI — 2-2-94

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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:—

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

Read Circular Dated the 30th Ult. from the Local Government Board, informing the Sanitary Authority that the Cholera Hospitals Act 1893, is continued until the 31st of December next by section 1 of the Expiring Laws Continuance Act 1893.

Referring to previous correspondence in connection with the sanitary condition of Arklow, the Guardians beg to inform the ~~Sanitary~~ Local Government Board that they have already arranged for the scavenging of the area complained of by Dr. Flinn, and which was outside the original contract of the Scavenger, and that they are also having all the lanes repaved and the surface channels repaired, and are about to make arrangements for the more frequent clearing out of the ash pits which are built in all the lanes.

They also beg to inform the Local Govern^t. Board that steps are being taken for the erection of three public privies on the Quay sides for the use of the men of the town, which will practically supply sufficient accommodation for the entire male population.

Taking into consideration the peculiar circumstances and formation of the town of Arklow, where there are so many lanes consisting of back to back houses, they consider that the above improvements are the best desirable means available for the improvement of the Sanitary Condition of Arklow.

= Charles W. W. W.
9/2 '94. W. W.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 9th
day of February 1894

Signed, B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1881—27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127977:4/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of February 1894

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	589	259													
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	22													
Fever Sheds	—	—													
TOTAL	669	281													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			32	35	72	66	4	7	23	7	19	265	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 110	In separate Wards with other inmates 127	9
Admitted during the Week			36	7	1	—	3	2	1	1	1	52	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 22	In separate Wards with other inmates 11	
TOTAL			68	42	73	66	7	9	24	8	20	317	TOTAL 132	TOTAL 38	
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS															
			Males		Females		Children under 15		TOTAL						
No. Relieved during week			35		4		4		43						
No. in Workhouse at date			5		2		3		10						
No. at corresponding period last year,			253												

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of February 1894 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		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	71	133	John D. Edge
No. II.	75	115	John Manley
No. III.	173	224	Joseph Loring S. Johnson
No. IV.	86	133	Richard Elliott L. Murphy
TOTALS,	405	605	= 687

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 9th day of February 1894

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham & R. Chr.

Other Guardians:—

Captain Drought FVC
 Mr. John J. Conley DVC
 " Harry A. Lamb FV
 Major Tottenham FV
 Mr. H. Shepard

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1635 to No. 1803 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ✓ to No. ✓ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The Clerk of the Union reported that the Master of the Workhouse is laid up with an attack of Erysipelas in Dublin whither he had gone on Union business - to procure equipments for the new Schoolmasters apartments in the Workhouse &c. - and will not be able to return to his duties for some days: The temporary assistant allowed to the Master pending the appointment of a Schoolmaster will continue to act for him during his illness.

Approved by the Guardians.

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

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 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.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altidore	...	...	...			
	Kilcoole	...	...	...			
	Killiskey	...	...	...			
	Newcastle Lower	...	...	...			
	" Upper	...	...	...			
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen	...	...	...			
	Brockagh	...	...	...			
	Calary	...	...	...			
	Glendalough	...	...	...			
	Moneytown	...	...	...			
	Oldtown	...	...	...			
	Togher	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOWLING	Glenealy	...	...	...			
	Wicklow	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOUGLAS	Dunganstown East	...	...	...			
	" South	...	...	...			
	" West	...	...	...			
GEORGE EVANS	Ennereilly	...	...	...			
	Kilbride	...	...	...			
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow	...	...	...			
JOHN BEENNAN	Ballyarthur	...	...	...			
	Cronebane	...	...	...			
	Ovoen	...	...	...			
WILLIAM SMYTH	Aughrim	...	...	...			
	Ballinacash	...	...	...			
	Ballinacor	...	...	...			
	Ballinderry	...	...	...			
	Knockrath	...	...	...			
	Rathdrum	...	...	...			
	Trooperstown	...	...	...			
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

Average Cost in Infirmary

Average Cost in Fever Hospital

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:—

2 weeks

2200 Loaves Bread

570 Galls Newmilk

110 " Buttermilk

44 " Butter

1060 lbs Meat

72 Hens

57 Dg. Eggs

4 1/2 Bn Potatoes

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of February 1894 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	...	...	...	...	...	£	s.	d.
In Kind ...	...	...	...	...	...	35	0	6
						1	3	6	
						<hr/>			
			Total	£	36	4	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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON <i>L. Murphy</i>	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
<i>M. Muntagh</i>	<i>Sal</i>	8	15	-
<i>C. Wilson</i>	<i>Sheeting</i>	7	13	-
<i>Dr. M. Muntagh</i>	<i>Sal</i>	2	2	-
<i>Dr. Lander</i>	<i>Pumping</i>	2	-	-
<i>Dr. Loxworth</i>	<i>Lumber Fee</i>	1	-	-
<i>" Gardiner</i>	<i>Postage</i>		5	8
<i>Ellis</i>	<i>Reps</i>		8	7
<i>P. Berry</i>			7	-
		3	1	3

In fav. Clk to pay

£ s. d.

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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):—

Read Letter Dated the 3rd instant from the Local Government Board expressing their sanction to the proposal of the Guardians to alter the time fixed for their ordinary meetings from 12 o'clock noon, to 11.30 o'clock a.m.

Read Letter from same of same Date in reply to the Guardians inquiring as to whether Dr. James J. Ryan F.R.C.S. of Rathfriland Dispensary District is entitled to have his name placed on the List of Ex Officio Guardians of the Union.

The L.G.B. Board draw the Guardians' attention to sec. 22 of the 25 & 26 Vic. Cap. 83 from which it will be seen that as Dr. Ryan is a paid officer under the Medical Charities Act he is not capable of serving as a Guardian and should not therefore be placed on the

List of Ex Officio Guardians of the Union: -

Read Letter from same Dated the 8th instant sanctioning the payment of £2.2.0 to Dr. Maxwell Mc Intosh in respect of his services as Temporary Medical Officer of the Workhouse for one week: -

Read Letter Dated the 5th instant from Mr. James Brady whom the Guardians recently elected to the office of Schoolmaster of the Workhouse in reply to the inquiry of the Local Government Board as to why he was dismissed from the last school he held.

Mr. Brady states that the only reason given to him by the Manager of the school in question was that he wished to have a Female teacher appointed, so that the girls attending could be taught needlework sewing &c.

✓ Read Letter Dated the 8th instant from Miss Lucy Chamley, Fermont, Rathnew, requesting to have her name placed on the Rate Book in place of her late Brother Mr. Francis Chamley.

Ordered accordingly: being adequately Vouched:

Read Letter Dated the 6th instant from Mr. Newson V.D. asking for leave of absence for a few days, Mr. Malone V.D. of Gorey will do duty for him during his absence.

Leave granted: =

Mr. Newson reported that upon inspection he found Swine Fever to exist on the following premises viz:

3 Mill Gaffney - Chapel - Redcross -
and Sheep Scale in the flocks of
George Inke - Kilmagiz - Avon
Mary Walker - Tannigower - Kilpedder

Order - Sheep not to be removed till declared well.

Read from the Guardians of the
Ballinasloe Union. forwarding a copy of a Reso-
-lution adopted by them on the subject of the Re-
-moval of paupers from England & Scotland to Ireland
which was adopted on the motion of Mr. J. J. O'Leary
seconded by Major Tottenham. as follows -

Resolved -

That we the Board of Guardians of
Rathfriland Union do respectfully request the
Government to bring in a Bill to repeal or
amend the law relating to the deportation of
paupers from Great Britain to Ireland.

That we are of opinion that the
present state of the law in this matter is most
unfair, not to say unjust, considering that
England & Scotland have the power to deport those
paupers, after having the benefit of their life labour
to Irish Workhouses to be maintained in old age,
whilst Irish Boards of Guardians have no power
to deport English or Scotch paupers under similar
circumstances.

That copies of this resolution be sent
to the Rt. Hon. W. E. Gladstone, the Rt. Hon. J. M. J. O'Leary
Mr. John Dillon and Mr. Wm. O'Brien. M P's

Passed unanimously

Charles Tottenham
16/2/94 Chas

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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 Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	2
Do, in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Office's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was				

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	✓
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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 16th
day of February 1894

(Signed)

J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,

the 9th day of February 1894

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 441

An Estimate of the 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:—

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 & 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 _____ 189 _____ 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 Expenses

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] *The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from *A. Gardiner, Arklow* dated *6th instant* stating that *he would be willing to pay £15. a year for a good house, but he trusts the Guardians will let him have it for less.*

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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
Newcastle	S. Liverack	<p>Danger to the Public Health arising from the pumping of the sewage matter from the tank at Kilpedder to its present situation.</p> <p>S. Liverack recommends that a good practical Engineer be got to lay out a proper sewerage for the Village</p>	<p>Order -</p> <p>Referred to the District Committee.</p>

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read Letter from Mr J K Dooney, Solicitor Dublin, stating that he is of opinion the Guardians ought not delay in lodging in the L G B Office the Documents relating to the compulsory obtaining of land for the purposes of the drainage of the Village of Kilpedder, unless the Guardians have in view the arrangement of the matter privately which would save expense.

W. J. O'Sullivan
= Charles J. O'Sullivan
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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 16th
day of February 1894

Signed, B. Manning
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TOTAL			77	49	74	66	7	9	25	8	19	334	TOTAL, 134	TOTAL, 38	
Discharged during the Week			38	6	1	1	—	1	—	1	—	48	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Total Discharged and Dead			38	6	1	1	—	1	—	1	—	48			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			39	43	73	65	7	8	25	7	19	286	No. at corresponding period last year,		254

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TOTALS	408	615	= 677

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 16th day of February 1894

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham D.R. Chr

Other Guardians:—

Messrs R. R. Drought R VC
 Edw P. Ellison
 Edw P. Stoney
 John Byrne
 P. J. Carey

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1804 to No. 1856 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ✓ to No. ✓ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The Clerk of the Union reported that the Master of the Workhouse is still too unwell to return to his duties;

A Certificate from Dr. Browne ^{MD} LRCSI was read which stated that Mr Flower is suffering from Erysipelas of head. He is much better but will not be fit to leave his room for some days.

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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.

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	Kileoole						
	Killiskey						
	Newcastle Lower						
	„ Upper						
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen						
	Brockagh						
	Calary						
	Glendalough						
	Moneystown						
	Oldtown						
	Togher						
THOMAS DOWLING	Glencaly						
	Wicklow						
THOMAS DOUGLAS	Dunganstown East						
	„ South						
	„ West						
GEORGE EVANS	Ennereilly						
	Kilbride						
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow						
JOHN BEENNAN	Ballyarthur						
	Cronebane						
	Ovoca						
WILLIAM SMYTH	Aughrim						
	Ballinaclash						
	Ballinacor						
	Ballinderry						
	Knockrath						
	Rathdrum						
	Trooperstown						
TOTALS, £										

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No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON <i>E. Johnson</i>	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON	—	—	—

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
<i>M Byrne</i>	<i>Deas</i>	34	5 10
<i>E Mulhern</i>	<i>Eggs</i>	4	16 10
<i>S Satchwell</i>	<i>Yard</i>	2	4 -
<i>W W Instable</i>	<i>Hamp</i>	4	2 6
<i>Inform Ak to pay</i>			
<i>J S Doyle</i>	<i>Advertising</i>	1	9 -
<i>P Doyle</i>	<i>Wages</i>	16	-
<i>N Desair</i>	<i>Exp.</i>	17	1
<i>J Dany</i>	<i>Fuel</i>	12	3
<i>S Morgan</i>	<i>Land & Sump</i>	9	9
<i>M Murphy</i>	<i>Exp.</i>	2	6
<i>R Taylor</i>	<i>Shoe Hire</i>	2	6
		4	9 1

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

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

The 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):—

Read Letter from Local Gov^t Board
Dated the 12th instant requesting to be furnished with particulars respecting the loans obtained by the Guardians to enable them to carry out Improvement Schemes under the Habermens Act. —

Read Letter from same Dated the 14th instant forwarding to be laid before the Guardians a letter received from Mess^{rs} John Doyle and Wm. Cullen P.L.G.'s relative to the administration of Out Door Relief in the Wicklow D.D. and requesting to be furnished with the Guardians observations on the subject.

In reply to the above letter the Guardians desire to say that the out door relief in question was granted in the ordinary way in October 1892

to Sarah Neill, a widow with four children; It was discontinued in December '93 owing to representations made but in the following week it was re-granted for two weeks to permit Enquiries.

On the 12th of January 1894 a largely signed Memorial was laid before the Board emanating from the Clergy and principal ratepayers of Wicklow recommending the relief being granted, and this was agreed to by a large majority of the Board notwithstanding the protest of Mr. Wm. Fullen P.L.G. in the Division. Mr. Doyle P.L.G. was not present on that occasion but attended at the meeting of the 14th ultimo & objected to the decision of the Board in Sarah Neill's case, but when invited to do so by the presiding Chairman refused to move the rescission of the resolution which accordingly stood for the time granted.

Read Letter from same dated the 15th instant forwarding to be laid before the Guardians a letter which they have received from the Rev. James Manning P.P. relative to the election of Mr. James Brady to the office of Schoolmaster of the Workhouse, and requesting the Guardians to be so good as to obtain Mr. Brady's observations on the subject having regard to the statement made by him to the Guardians, and entered on their minutes of the 9th instant.

The Rev. Mr. Manning in his letter denies the statement made by Mr. Brady to the effect that the reason why he dismissed him from his last School was that he wished to have a female teacher appointed.

Order

Mr. Brady to be applied to for his observations in regard to this matter.

Read Circular from same of same date informing the Guardians that Valuation lists showing the value of land and of buildings in separate columns are about being issued by the Commissioners of Valuation, and that consequently a corresponding change should be made in the Rate Books of the Union when being copied from the Valuation lists.

Read Letter from the Commissioners of National Education Dated the 18th instant stating, in reference to the application made for a grant of Retiring allowance to Mr. P. Byrne ex-teacher of the Westkhome School, that the Commissioners decision in this case was communicated to the Local Government Board on the 20th of January 1894.

The following claims to be rated were allowed, being adequately vouched —

✓	Mr. J. Sanders,	✓	Mr. J. Clements,	Ballymoat
✓	" Eliza Byrne,	✓	Mr. M. Byrne,	Knockaphuella
✓	Miss Ellen Sant,	✓	Mr. J. Jameson,	Ballymoat

A claim from Mrs. Mary Lawler, Kilkendra was not allowed the premises in respect of which the claim is made not being rated.

Read Letter from Mr. Newson V.L. Dated the 15th instant stating that as he was unable to get away from home on the

leave granted to him by the Guardians last week, he hoped the leave would be renewed to him for next week.

Leave granted

Mr. Newson reported that upon inspection he found Swine Fever to exist on the premises of the following persons.

viz.

Mr. Thomas Redmond - St. Michael's
" Simon Fuller - Ballygilroe

Read Letter from Edward Darcy, labourer, asking the Guardians to let him know when he may expect his cottage to be built for him.

Order - Ask Mr. J. Kennedy when the Improvement Scheme No 4 will be ready for presentation.

Read Letter from Mr. Dooney, Solicitor, Dublin, asking for information respecting the sum of £10. proposed to be paid the trustees of the Little Dale estate for a plot of land assigned by the Guardians for the purposes of the Labourers Act.

Order - The circumstances to be described to Mr. Dooney

The following notice of motion was served: -

"I beg to give notice that on this day fortnight I will move to rescind the resolution fixing the rent of the Labourers Cottages in Gleencagh ED at 1/3 per week, and to fix them at 1/-

Feb 16th 1854

ESD - 16/2/54

Edward Storey

J. R. W. M. J. M. J. M.

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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 Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 23rd day of February 1894

(Signed)

P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,the 16th day of February 1894

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Mr. Tottenham DL Clerk

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 461.

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Nicklaw 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:—

The clerk to 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:—

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, £ _____

Newbridge

Read Letter Dated the 15th instant from the Hon. Secy. of Newbridge Dispensary Dist that informing the Guardians that only two members of the Committee attended at the Dispensary on the 12th instant to elect a Midwife for the District but no Candidate applied.

Dr. Robert Hudson, two weeks having expired he was obliged to leave and his Father being unable to resume duty Dr. Satchwell of Redroofs was appointed until the Med. Offr. is able to take it up, at £2.2.0 per week.

Approved by the Guardians

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

District	.	.	.	£
District	.	.	.	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

Wicklow

The monthly meeting of the Wicklow Dispensary Committee was held on the 13th instant.
Members present:—

S. H. P. Drnell - Chairman

Mr. Wm. Byrne -

" Wm. Desaix - Hon. Sec.

The usual routine business was transacted.

Messrs. Lamy presented an account for coal for Wicklow & Ashford Dispensaries which was ordered to be paid.

The Secretary presented his account which was also ordered to be paid.

A Requisition for Medicine was signed.

Wm. Desaix

Hon. Sec.

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from Local Govt. Board dated 14th instant, stating that forwarding a form showing the particulars necessary to be furnished to them when application is made for a certificate under Sec. 4, of the Disp. Orders Act, 1875.

Read Letter from same of same date inquiring whether Dr. Satchwell, M.C. of Dung. Disp. Dist. was required by a Medical relief ticket to attend the midwifery case in which he obtained the assistance of Dr. Ryan, and whether the services of the latter were sent. and requisitioned through the Relieving Officer of the District.

Order—Dr. Satchwell to be asked to supply this information.

Read Letter from same, dated the 15th instant, requesting to be informed whether the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in Arklow & Newcastle Disp. Dist. reported in January have since complied with the Law.

Order. Medical Officers to be applied to:

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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:—

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 the 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:—

Read Letter from Local Govern^t Board Dated the 15th instant forwarding to be laid before the Board of Guardians the Minutes of Evidence taken by their Inspector D. Stafford at the Inquiring held by him into the proposed area of charge for expenses to be incurred in improving the water supply of Rathdrum.

Having carefully considered this matter & having regard to the evidence put forward at the Inquiring they do not think that they would be justified in issuing an order under Section 232 of the Public Health Act declaring the area of charge proposed by the Guardians in their resolution of the 28th of July last.

The Local Govern^t Board agree with District Inspector Stafford that the following townlands should form the area of charge viz:

Rathdrum
Ballygannon
Annoh/Kardagen
Corballis Upper
Corballis Lower
Glassewaget North
Glassewaget South
Balleese Lower and
Balleese Wood

D. Stafford further suggests that as the town of Rathdrum will be directly benefited it should be taxed to the extent of three fourths of the total cost and the area outside the town which will be indirectly benefited the remaining one fourth.

The L.G. Board will be prepared to issue an order carrying this proposal into effect, but before taking definite action in the matter they wish to afford the Guardians an opportunity for considering the evidence and they desire to point out that if by their order they declare the

the town of Rathdrum and the portions of the town-lands named, to be contributing places within the area of charge; it will be competent for the Guardians to apportion the expenses if they think fit in the proportions suggested by Dr. Stafford, or in such other proportions as they may deem equitable as between the two contributing places.

Order - To be considered on this day fortnight. -
A return of the Valuations of the town of Rathdrum and of the outside townlands respectively ~~to be prepared~~ to be included in the area of taxation to be prepared for the Board on the 2nd proximo.

Read Letter from the Town Commissioners of Arklow, Dated the 9th instant stating that they have nothing to add to their resolution of the 10th ultimo on the subject of privy accommodation for the town of Arklow apart from the Quays.

Read Letter from Mr. P. Carty SSO. Dated the 9th instant informing the Guardians that he has served the notices on Mrs. M. A. Dole, Aughrim calling on her to provide privy accommodation for her houses in the village of Aughrim.

F. A. D. M. G. P.

W. M.

73.2.72

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 23rd
day of February 1894

Signed,

P. Manning

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891—27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127577:1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of February 1894

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	389	258															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	20															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	469	278															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			39	43	73	65	7	8	25	7	19	286	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	113	In separate Wards with other inmates	27	16
Admitted during the Week			53	8	2	—	—	1	2	2	1	69	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	20		11	
TOTAL			92	51	75	65	7	9	27	9	20	355	TOTAL	133	TOTAL	38	
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS																	
Discharged during the Week			59	11	—	—	—	2	1	2	2	77		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—					
Total Discharged and Dead			59	11	—	—	—	2	1	2	2	77	No. Relieved during week	57	1	1	53
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			33	40	75	65	7	7	26	7	18	278	No. in Workhouse at date	6	—	—	6
No. at corresponding period last year,																	259

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17th day of February 1894 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 16 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	60	128	John D. Edge
No. II.	73	106	John Manley
No. III.	183	238	James J. O'Sullivan S. Johnson
No. IV.	89	140	James J. O'Sullivan L. Murphy
TOTALS	405	612	= 676

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~, the 23rd day of February 1894

PRESENT: In the Chair—R. R. O'Rourke Esq. P. V.C.

Other Guardians:—

Major Tottenham JP
 Mr C. H. Wade JP
 " Lunn & Wolohan
 " Edward Ellison
 " Martin Doyle
 " J. P. Keane
 " W. Fuller

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1857 to No. 1925 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Clerk of the Union reported that Doctor Brumme states that Mr. Flower, who is under his care, will be able to return to his duties after a few days more.

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

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 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.

£ 152 —

£ 110 : 18 : 9

£ 1529 : 5 : 1

in favor

the Guardians was

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.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altidore	...	...	...			
	Kilcoole	...	...	...			
	Killiskey	...	...	...			
	Newcastle Lower	...	...	...			
	" Upper	...	...	...			
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen	...	...	...			
	Brockagh	...	...	...			
	Calary	...	...	...			
	Glendalough	...	...	...			
	Monestown	...	...	...			
	Oldtown	...	...	...			
	Togher	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy	...	...	...			
	Wicklow	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East	...	...	...			
	" South	...	...	...			
	" West	...	...	...			
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly	...	...	...			
	Kilbride	...	...	...			
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow	...	...	...			
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur	...	...	...			
	Cronebane	...	...	...			
	Ovea	...	...	...			
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim	...	...	...			
	Ballinacash						
	Ballinacor						
	Ballinderry						
	Knockrath						
	Rathdrum						
	Trooperstown						
TOTALS, £										

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And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

Average Cost in Infirmary

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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:—

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The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 17th day of February 1894 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money ...	34	19	6
In Kind ...	1	3	0
Total ...	35	22	6

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No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
M Johnson	Newmill K	13	2	5
S Edge	Butter & Buttermill	7	18	7
J Whelan	Straw	3	16	9
	Infant Clerk to pay			
Fest	Postage	1	6	5
A Dume	Rent Van & dep		12	6
S Doyle	Wages		10	-
J Fleming	Wardmole		20	-
J Douglas	Teap		8	6
R Murphy	Lawrence		5	6
		3	12	11

£ s. d.

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

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

The 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):—

Read Letter Dated the 16th February 1894 from the Under Secretary, Dublin Castle, acknowledging the receipt of the Guardians resolution of the 9th of February on the subject of the removal of paupers from England and Scotland to Ireland.

Read Warrant for the removal of a man named Peter Quinn from the Liverpool Workhouse where he had become chargeable, to the Rathfriland Workhouse, his last residence in Ireland having been in the town of Kluar.

Read Letter Dated the 16th instant from Mrs Halpin, of Inna Killy House, Wicklow, thanking the Guardians for their kind expression

of sympathy with herself and family in their great bereavement:

Revd Flavin to be rated from Michael Lambert of Anghrim, in place of his brother the late John Lambert.

Order - Claim allowed being adequately vouched:

The Flavin of Mary Lawler to be rated instead of Anne Lawler for premises in Kilkandra was also allowed.

Revd Letter dated the 22 Feb 1894 from Mr. James Brady whom the Guardians have elected to the office of Schoolmaster for the Workhouse, stating in reference to the Rev. J. A. Manning's denial of the reason Mr Brady stated he gave for dispensing with his services, that he has waited on the Reverend Gentleman who refuses to give any reason than that he proceeded ^{under the terms} of the agreement by which he could dispense with Mr Brady's services on three months notice.

Mr. Brady adds in confirmation of his statement of the 5th instant that J. A. Manning's subsequent action in appointing a female teacher verifies his statement.

Mr. Brady also forwarded a statement signed by 5 persons who have children attending the School of which Mr. Brady had been teacher in which they assert that the Rev. Mr. Manning stated in their presence that his reason for changing the School from male to female was that he wished to have the girls attending the School taught needlework, sewing, &c.

Mr. Brady wished the Guardians to

send this statement to the Local Government Board together with the letter of recommendation received from the Rev. Mr. Manning and an extract from the letter of Mr. Brown & N-S. Inspector.

Order. These documents to be forwarded as requested.

Mr. Newson V.D. reported that upon inspection he found the 15 sheep belonging to Colonel Stoney at Darnes which had been affected with Sheep scab to have recovered from that disease. He found 5 sheep belonging to Thomas Ingle, at Prestonsfarm to be suffering from Sheep scab.

Order - These latter sheep not to be removed till well.

The following notice of motion was served:-

I hereby give notice that on this day fortnight, the 9th of March 1894, I shall move that the resolution of the Board giving the Union Advertisements to the "Wicklow News Letter" and the "Wicklow Star" be rescinded; and that in future, advertisements be issued inviting tenders from these two papers and the "Wicklow People", at so much per line; and that no greater sum than two pence per line be given to any of these papers.

23rd February 1894
Lawrence Wolohan

R.D.D.

23-2-94

Order -

That the contractor for carrying out the

Sanitary Improvements in the Workhouse be
called on to furnish his account without any
further delay.

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P. P. Dray MS

Ph. Dr. Dr.

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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 Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 2nd
day of March 1894

(Signed)

J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on *Friday* ~~Wednesday~~,
the *23rd* day of *February* 189*4*

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

RR Draught Esq F.V.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 481

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

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

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] *The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

Dispensary District, Mr.

of

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from Dr. Byrne, M.D. of Bingham Disp. Dist. stating that the Dispensary and Dispensary Residence are in urgent need of painting and papering, and that there is no water supply on the premises, and that in consequence the three closets which are on the place are a grave danger to the health of the inmates.

Order - To be referred to the Dispensary Committee:

Read Letter from Dr. Satchwell, Dated the 2nd Feb 94, stating that he was called to the Midwifery case in which he obtained the assistance of Dr. Ryan by a Medical Relief Ticket; He did not write to the Relieving Officer for Dr. Ryan's assistance, the case being too urgent for him to do so and any delay that might arise would have been a very serious matter, so he had no alternative but to send on in a hurry for Dr. Ryan, He communicated the facts of the case to the Relieving Officer as soon as possible after the case was over.

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

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

Burklow - 10 Defaulters; 2 of them reported for the third time;

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

Prosecutions ordered in these two cases.

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 the 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:—

Read Letter from the Local Government Board, Dated the 17th February 1894, requesting the Guardians to send them a Cheque for £16.1.7 to recon the public funds the sums advanced on the Guardians account in respect of the mowing held under the Labourers Acts, and the obtaining of the Provisional Order of the 8th of Sept^r 1892

Recd Letter from Mr. Jooney, Solicitor -
Dublin, stating that he is of opinion that
the Guardians may pay the £10 referred to in
their letter of the 20th inst. to the Trustees of
the Liffedale Estate.

Send the following minute of proceedings
of the Newcastle Dispensary Committee at their
meeting held on the 19th Feb 94 re - Kilpedder
Drainage -

"The official report of our Medical Officer, Dr. Raverock, on the Kiepedder Drainage having been referred by the Board of Guardians to our Dispensary Committee, we have to state that in our judgment it does not exaggerate the evils consequent on the present very defective arrangements for the discharge of sewerage.

As the subject has been much discussed but little or nothing done, we are of opinion that the Board of Guardians with whom rests the power & responsibility — should under the conditions of the case, past and present, employ a competent Engineer to report on the best method of abating the nuisance permanently and if possible automatically; Thus only they believe can an

and be put to a ²⁰troublesome and vexatious
discussion which has lasted much too long
already. This however is on the assumption
that such Plan when approved of by the Board
will be put into operation with as little delay
as possible."

Sanctioned unanimously - J. J. Mender
Chm

Order - Mr. Dooney to be consulted as to whether
action on these lines would be likely to in-
terfere with what is at present in progress.

P. P. Dwyer
Chm

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 2nd

day of March 1894

Signed,

J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891— 27 626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127 977. 4/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of February 1894

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	589	963														
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	25														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	669	988														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			33	40	75	65	7	7	26	7	18	278	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary 108	In separate Wards 27	31	
Admitted during the Week			67	12	1	—	—	—	4	4	3	91	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 25	In Wards with other inmates 21		
TOTAL			100	52	76	65	7	7	30	11	21	369	TOTAL, 133	TOTAL, 38		
Discharged during the Week			55	12	2	—	—	—	3	4	3	79	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Died			—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	2				
Total Discharged and Dead			55	13	2	1	—	—	3	4	3	81				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			45	39	74	64	7	7	27	7	18	288	No. Relieved during week	50	5	60
													No. in Workhouse at date	18	—	18
													No. at corresponding period last year, 282			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24th day of February 1894 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		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	60	128	John D. Edge
No. II.	73	106	John Manley
No. III.	184	239	Joseph Livingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	91	147	Richard Ellison R. Murphy
TOTALS,	408	620	= 680

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 2nd day of March 1894

PRESENT: In the Chair— R R Doughty Esq RVC

Other Guardians:—

Major Tottenham R Mr. P Keely
" Profton " M Doyle
Mr. L N Byrne R " J J Carey
" CH C Ward R " J Keane
" H A Donohue R " J Byrne
" Henry Shepard " M Byrne
" J J Grehan " O Byrne
" Edw Ellison " W Tullen
" J Murphy " E Channery

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 Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. _____ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

In consequence of the death of Mr. Jowley D.V.C. which occurred since the previous Board day, it was moved by the Chairman seconded by Mr. Keel and unanimously resolved that the Board do adjourn without doing any business, as a tribute of respect to the memory of Mr. Jowley, and that the sympathy of the Board be conveyed to his family.

J. P. Dwyer
Chm.

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

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 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.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altidore	...	...	...			
	Kilcoole	...	...	...			
	Killiskey	...	...	...			
	Newcastle Lower	...	...	...			
	" Upper	...	...	...			
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen	...	...	...			
	Brockagh	...	...	...			
	Calary	...	...	...			
	Glendalough	...	...	...			
	Moneystown	...	...	...			
	Oldtown	...	...	...			
	Togher	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy	...	...	...			
	Wicklow	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East	...	...	...			
	" South	...	...	...			
	" West	...	...	...			
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly	...	...	...			
	Kilbride	...	...	...			
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow	...	...	...			
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur	...	...	...			
	Cronebane	...	...	...			
	Oyoca	...	...	...			
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim	...	...	...			
	Ballinaclesh	...	...	...			
	Ballinacoor	...	...	...			
	Ballinderry	...	...	...			
	Knockrath	...	...	...			
	Rathdrum	...	...	...			
	Trooperstown	...	...	...			
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -			
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -			
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was			
Average Cost in Infirmary -			
Average Cost in Fever Hospital -			

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 :—

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door 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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	...	...	...
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	...	...	...
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON	...	...	...
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON	...	...	...

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

£ s. d.

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£ s. d.

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

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

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

The 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 Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the _____
day of _____ 189

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,

the _____ day of _____ 189

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 189

District - - - £

District - - - £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] *The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

Dispensary District, Mr.

of

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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:—

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the.....
day of.....189

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 1279 77 1/2

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	580	247															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	99	30															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	679	277															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			45	39	74	64	7	7	27	7	18	288	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	104	In separate Wards	27	
Admitted during the Week			40	6	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	50	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	30	In Wards with other Lunatics	11
TOTAL			85	45	75	64	7	7	27	9	19	338	TOTAL	134	TOTAL	38	
Discharged during the Week			50	7	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	59				
Died					2	.	.	.	.			2				
Total Discharged and Dead			50	7	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	61				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			35	38	72	64	7	7	27	8	19	277					
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
														Males	Fe- males	Children under 15	TOTAL
													No. Relieved during week	29	5	2	36
													No. in Work- house at date	5	1	2	8
													No. at corresponding period last year, 270				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of March 1894 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers	
		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her		
No. I.	60	128	John D. Edge		
No. II.	72	102	John Manley		
No. III.	187	252	James Livingston	S. Johnson	
No. IV.	90	140	Richard Ellison	L. Murphy	
TOTALS,	409	622	= 653		

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday
the 9th day of March 1894 Wednesday

PRESENT: In the Chair—*Rich^d A Drought Esq, D P VC*

Other Guardians:—

Dr. Innell R	Mr. M H Jones	Mr. E Ellison
Sol. Keannis R	" J F Grehan	" L Wolohan
Major Tottenham R	" E Robinson	" J Byrne
Mr. L M Byrne R	" J Short	" P Keel
" O & A Lamb R	" E Cullen	" M Byrne
Sol. Stoney R	" W Fullen	" O. Byrne
Major Proffitt	" M Doyle	" C Merrigan
	" P J Carey	" W Grant
		" A Sheehan

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1995 to No. 2026 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ✓ to No. ✓ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The clerk of the Union laid before the Board the Returning Officers List of Candidates nominated for the office of Poor Law Guardian in this Union for the ensuing year

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

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 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.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneytown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BEENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinacash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knoekrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	49	15	5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	53	17	2
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	7½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	✓

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

2 weeks

2300 Lanes Bread
 594 Galls Newmilk
 130 " Buttermilk
 52 lbs Butter
 1100 " Meat
 66 Hens
 64 Dg. Eggs
 1 Roll Tobacco
 ¼ cwt Starch
 4 ½ lbs Puter
 4 cwt Sugar
 10 " Oatmeal

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of March 1894 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	...	...	...	...	...	£	s.	d.
In Kind ...	...	...	...	...	...	35	10	10
						1	10	6
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	237	1	4

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.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	...	...	...
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	...	...	...
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON	...	...	...
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON	...	...	...

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
<i>J. Leeson</i>			
<i>L. Byrne</i>			
<i>E. Shurt</i>			
<i>M. Barrett</i>			
<i>A. Hill</i>			
<i>E. Mulhern</i>			
<i>J. Deering</i>			
<i>M. Muntagh</i>			
<i>J. Plumer</i>			
<i>J. Weddick</i>			
<i>D. Hudson</i>			
<i>" Satchwell</i>			
<i>" Ryan</i>			
<i>M. Clark</i>			
<i>M. Byrne</i>			
<i>J. W. Hughes</i>			
<i>Flour</i>	69	4	10
<i>Milk</i>	23	12	3
<i>"</i>	13	11	11
<i>Rice</i>	9	16	7
<i>Oatmeal</i>	6	5	-
<i>Eggs</i>	7	4	3
<i>Pap.</i>	6	12	4
<i>Salt</i>	3	15	-
<i>Sepr.</i>	11	13	3
<i>Coffins</i>	4	3	8
<i>Tea</i>	4	4	-
<i>"</i>	4	4	-
<i>Fee</i>	2	2	-
<i>on a/c Con.</i>	73	2	6
<i>"</i>	40	-	-
<i>Master P.</i>	4	1	7

£ s. d.

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:—

Gentlemen—

In consequence of my severe illness and the usual increase of work at the close of the half year, I respectfully ask that my temporary assistant be continued for one month from the present date.

Granted

After the usual School examination, the children's School treat was given them on Wednesday the 7th inst. Tea, cakes, fruit & sweets followed by a display of the magic lantern, all of which were thoroughly enjoyed by the children, given by a member of the Young Men's Association.

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):—

Read Letter Dated the 26th Ultimo, from the Local Government Board transmitting an Order on the Paymaster General Dublin Castle for payment to the Guardians credit of a sum of £400 12:3, on account of Educational and Medical Expenses.

Read Letter from same Dated the 1st instant: approving of the appointment of Mr. James Priddy, to the office of Schoolmaster of the Workhouse at a salary of £35 a year with rations.

Read Letter Dated the 9th instant from the family of the late Mr. Jowley D.C. of the Board, thanking the Guardians for their kind letter of sympathy on the death of their father.

Read Letter from Mr. J. D. Edge R.O. stating as one of his family is now ill, and another just after dying of Scarlatina, he asks for leave of absence for six weeks as his medical attendant considers it would be unwise for him to attend the Board or perform the duties of Relieving Officer for fear of spreading the disease, - His son who resides near the Workhouse will do his duty free of any expense to the Board.

Order - Leave granted on condition that Mr. David Edge refrains from going to his father's house.

Read Letter from Mr. Wm. Reeves, Male Infirmary Nurse asking for an increase in his salary of £15 a year, as he has not had an increase during the 13 years he has served the Guardians.

Adjourned to the 30 inst.

The following claims to be rated were allowed -

✓ Mr. John Clements - Ballinacill	✓ Mr. R. Lawrence
✓ " William Doyle - Kingston	✓ " Thos. Byrne
✓ " Thos. Mason - Kilmullen	✓ " Geo. Maher
✓ " Simon Rutledge - Ashmore	✓ Mr. W. Rutledge
✓ " James Poole - " "	✓ Mr. Janet Poole
✓ Mrs. Kate Carleton - Coolmuckilly	✓ " Thos. Carleton
✓ " Mary Maule - Ballinabeg	✓ " Wm. Maule
✓ " Lucy Murphy - Mullinseigue	✓ " Jm. Murphy
✓ Mr. Thos. Murphy - " "	✓ " Wm. Murphy
✓ " Thos. Fughlin - Fleanaglan	✓ " Thos. Fughlin
✓ " Martin Doyle - Carrigamuck	✓ " John Fashin
" Matt. Furey for Maria Street, Dublin to be rated jointly with Matt. Furey Sewer valuation £15.	

In accordance with notice the Guardians, proceeded to take into consideration Mr. Keely's motion to grant a Superannuation allowance to Mr. Andrew Byrne late Schoolmaster of the Workhouse.

Mr. Keely proposed that Mr. Byrne be allowed £40 a year but withdrew his motion in favour of one proposed by Mr. Jas. J. Graham and seconded by Mr. Edw. Robinson as follows:-

Resolved - That 10 years be added to Mr. Byrnes actual term of service and that he be allowed a Superannuation allowance of $\underline{\pounds 50:8:0}$ being $\frac{36}{60}$ of his salary and emoluments.

An amendment was proposed by Mr. Lawrence Wolohan and seconded by J. Drnell F. -

Resolved -

That Mr. Byrne be allowed $\frac{2}{3}$ of his actual salary of $\pounds 35$ a year viz: $\underline{\pounds 23:6:8}$.

Upon a division the amendment was carried by a majority of 13 votes to 12.

Mr. Wolohan proceeded to move his resolution in reference to the Union advertisements, which was seconded by Mr. Eliam as follows.

Resolved -

That the Guardians Resolution of the 24th of December last, proposing to give the Union advertisements to "The Wicklow Letter" and "The Wicklow Star", only, be rescinded;

Passed by 11 votes to 10.

Mr. Storey was not present to move his resolution in reference to the rent of the Submers Cottages in Glencash & which amounting fell through.

Contracts

The following Contracts were entered into: viz. -

For 3 months

Mrs E McQuirk	Best mutton	@	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	# lb
"	" Beef	"	4 $\frac{3}{4}$	"
"	" Bacon	"	7	"
"	" Ox Hearts	"	1/9	Each
"	" Sheep Hearts	"	7	"
Mr J P Byrne	" White Bread	"	5 # 4 lbs	
" Roger Hill	" Oatmeal	"	2/12-15/-	For

For 6 months

Mrs S Hopkins	Best Black Dow	@	1/6	# lb
Mr Butler	" "	"	2/4	"
"	" Soft sugar	"	15/-	" Cwt
"	" Brandy	"	5/-	# doz
"	" Gin	"	27/-	" "
"	" Pepper	"	6	# lb
Messrs Andrews & Co	" x x Porter	"	11/6	" 1/4 Cask
"	" "	"	22/-	" 1/2 "
"	" Whiskey	"	14/-	# Gal
"	" Marsala	"	14/-	" doz
Mr J Smyth	" Port wine	"	15/-	" "
Mrs E Mulhern	" Eggs	"	9	" "
Mr M J Byrne	" Tobacco	"	3/3 $\frac{1}{2}$	# lb
" J Derry	" Salt	"	2/-	" Cwt

For 12 months

Messrs Ryan & Co. Tipperary Best Medicines as per
Tender
Messrs Fanning & Co. Dublin, Instruments & Appliances
as # Tender

Mr. Vernon V.D. reported the following cases of Swine
Fever and Sheep Scab -

John Sweeney, Sunset Lane, Arklow - S F
James Keilly " Ball Court, Wicklow "
John Sall " Carrigrohewes - Sheep Scab
Sylvester Sall " Ballaghonnell "
George Burke, Kilmagick "
John Doyle, Carrigrohewes - Priests River Farm -

John Byrne Chairman

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 Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 16th
day of March 1894

(Signed)

D. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}the 9th day of March 1894

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Q R Drought Esq AP VC

OTHER GUARDIANS.

see page 521.

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

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

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] *The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from Local Government Board dated the 24th Ultimo, stating that
sanctioning the payment of £2.2.0 a week to
S. Robt. Hudson for acting as temporary Medical Officer
of the Newbridge Dispensary District.

Read Letter from same, dated the 26th Ultimo,
sanctioning the proposal to pay S. Satchwell £2.2.0
a week for acting as temporary substitute for S. Hudson.

Read Letter from same, dated the 2nd inst.
sanctioning the proposed payment of a fee of £2.2/-
to S. Ryan for assisting the Med. Offr. of Drug
Dist. in a difficult Midwifery case.

Read Letter from Mr. M. J. Jones. Hon. Sec. of the
Newbridge Disp. Dist., stating that S. Satchwell
declined doing duty for S. Hudson on the 27th Ultimo,
and that he appointed S. Ryan, of Rathfriland to
attend to the District, S. Satchwell states that £2.2.0
a week would go for car hire, S. Ryan expects £3.3.0
a week.

Approved by the Guardians

These Reports are
to be made up and
forwarded by the
Medical Officers to
the Board of Guar-
dians quarterly, viz.,
on the 31st March,
30th June, 30th Sep-
tember and 31st De-
cember.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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:—

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

Read Letter Dated the 1st instant from Mr. Jorney Solicitor, Dublin, stating in reply to the Guardians inquiring that he fails to see how the consideration of an alternative course which may, or may not be adopted can void the proceedings already taken in the matter of the Kildesher Drainage.

Proposed by Colonel Stoney and seconded by Dr. Truett
Resolved—

That the report of the Dispersary Committee be adopted.

Proposed by Mr. Graham seconded by Mr. Robinson—
Resolved—

That Mr. Hage Carr, C.E. Dublin be employed to prepare a Scheme for the disposal of Kildesher Drainage.
Passed

The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration the letter of the Local Government Board which accompanied the Minutes of Evidence taken by Dr. Stafford Linsopertu with reference to the area of charge for the expense of providing an improved water supply for the town of Rathdrum.

Read a letter from Mr. Frank Brooke, agent to Lord Fitzwilliam on the same subject, also a memorandum from 22 Ratepayers of the townlands proposed to be added to the area of charge defined by the Guardians, protesting against such inclusion.

After the question had been fully discussed by the Guardians the following resolution was proposed by Mr. Edward Elican and seconded by Mr. L. V. Byrne P.P.—
Resolved—

That the Guardians having had before them again the question of the area of charge for the proposed water supply for the town of Rath-

drawn, and having carefully considered the report and suggestion of L. Stafford respecting same, are still of opinion that the inhabitants of Rath = drum in whose interest and for whose benefit alone the scheme for said supply was adopted ought only to be taxed; and this Board therefore feels compelled to adhere to the principle of direct taxation, and consequently to their former area of charge.

And the Board desires to state that they would rather abandon the whole scheme than that Ratepayers who derive no benefit should be taxed for what they do not nor never can enjoy.

This Board therefore prays for the sanction of the Local Government Board for the area so described.

Passed unanimously,
R.R.D.

Read Letter from Mrs. M. J. Doyle, Anghrim; asking for time to erect the two privies required for the accommodation of her houses in the village.
Granted

Read Report from Mr. S. Johnson SSO stating that some repairs are required to be done to the fence of the Tilmanagh Grave yard.
Order -

Mr. Johnson to get the repairs executed not exceeding £7-
=

The following notice of motion was moved: -
'I hereby give notice that on Friday the 30th instant I shall move that the salary of Mr. P. Carty SSO be raised from £10. to £15. a year. -
9th March 1894

R.R.D. 9.3.94

John Byrne

John Byrne

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ Friday the 16th

day of March 1894

Signed,

P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127,977. 1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of March 1894

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
													Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	589	263													
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	27													
Fever Sheds	—	—													
TOTAL	669	290													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			35	38	72	64	7	7	27	8	19	277	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 107	In separate Wards 127	18
Admitted during the Week			36	6	2	1	—	—	—	1	2	48	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 27	In Wards with other inmates 11	
TOTAL			71	44	74	65	7	7	27	9	21	325	TOTAL 134	TOTAL 38	
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS															
Discharged during the Week			23	4	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	30			
Died			—	—	1	3	—	—	—	1	—	5			
Total Discharged and Dead			23	4	1	3	—	—	—	2	2	35			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			48	40	73	62	7	7	27	8	19	290	No. Relieved during week 27	2	1
													No. in Workhouse at date 13	—	1
													No. at corresponding period last year, 267		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of March 1894 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		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	59	126	John D. Edge
No. II.	70	100	John Manley
No. III.	191	255	Joseph Livingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	92	142	Richard Ellison L. Murphy
TOTALS,	412	623	= 766

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ Friday

the 16th day of March 1894

PRESENT: In the Chair—Mr. John Byrne

Other Guardians:—

Mr. R. W. Byrne FF
 " J. P. Graham
 " Edw. Ellison
 " Edw. Robinson
 " Pat. E. Keely
 " J. Funnell
 Major Crofton

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2037 to No. 2120 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ✓ to No. ✓ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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 *in Fmt* 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.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altadore									
	Kilcoole									
	Killiskey									
	Newcastle Lower									
	„ Upper									
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen									
	Brockagh									
	Calary									
	Glendalough									
	Moneystown									
	Oldtown									
	Togher									
THOMAS DOWLING	Glenealy									
	Wicklow									
THOMAS DOUGLAS	Dunganstown East									
	„ South									
	„ West									
GEORGE EVANS	Ennereilly									
	Kilbride									
JAMES McANANAMA	Arklow									
JOHN BRENNAN	Ballyarthur									
	Cronebane									
	Ovoca									
WILLIAM SMYTH	Aughrim									
	Ballinaclash									
	Ballinacor									
	Ballinderry									
	Knockrath									
	Rathdrum									
	Trooperstown									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	42	11	2
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	53	5	10
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	7½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	2½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		3	8

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

1150 ⁰ Loaves Bread
 300 Galls Newmilk
 65 " Buttermilk
 25 lbs Butter
 535 " Meat
 36 Hens
 4 cwt Sugar
 2 " Salt
 32 doz Eggs
 2 galls Whiskey

Order -

The master to provide the usual Breakfast, Dinner and Supper on Easter Day

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 10th day of March 1894 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money ...	35	18	2
In Kind ...		9	6
Total ...	£ 36	8	8

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOHN H. LEVINGTON <i>S. Johnson</i>	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON <i>R. Ellimphy</i>	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
<i>E. M. Linnick</i>	<i>Ment</i>	139	5	4
<i>M. Byrne</i>	<i>Acad</i>	46	66	3
<i>C. Wilson</i>	<i>Per</i>	8	6	10
<i>D. O'Brien</i>	<i>Maintenance Dr</i>	7	10	-
<i>W. J. Fitzgibbon</i>	<i>Carl Newlinke</i>	5	69	-
<i>C. Eversum</i>	<i>Super Plc to pass</i>			
<i>M. Lavelle</i>	<i>Repts Anghim</i>	1	16	-
<i>M. New</i>	<i>Pumping Dr</i>	1	-	-
<i>D. Byrne</i>	<i>Repts</i>		10	9
<i>L. Balfe</i>	<i>Fencing & W</i>		5	-
<i>S. Johnson</i>	<i>Br. L. Linnick</i>		3	-
<i>P. Linnick</i>	<i>Fencing</i>		1	10
	<i>Linn</i>		1	6
		3	18	1

£ s. d.

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:—

Gentlemen— It will be necessary to take stock of clothing and Provisions at the close of the half year, ending 25th instant & clothing on Friday the 23rd at 11 o'clock Provisions on Saturday " 24th " 3 "

Order—

That the following Committee be appointed

Mr. John Byrne

" Edw^d. Ellison

" Miles Byrne

" Wm Grant

" H. & Dumble P

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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):—

Read Letter Dated the 15th instant, from the Local Government Board requesting to be informed of the rate of remuneration which it is proposed to allow to the temporary assistant to the Master of the Workhouse.

Order — The rate of remuneration is to be the same as on his first appointment on the 15th December last viz. £1. a week.

Read Letter from same date transmitting a form of Queries to be answered respecting Mr. A. Byrne late Schoolmaster of the Workhouse to whom the Guardians propose to grant a superannuation allowance.

Read Letter Dated the 15th instant from

Mr Andrew Byrne, late Schoolmaster of the Workhouse, asking the Guardians to reconsider the amount of Superannuation allowance proposed to be given to him £23-6-8, with a view to increasing this amount.

The following notice of motion was served:

Thereby give notice that I will move on this day fortnight that the resolution proposing to only give Mr Byrne, late Schoolmaster two thirds of thirty five pounds per annum be rescinded, and his Superannuation allowance be reconsidered.

Edward Robinson
March 16th 94

Resd March
J D Chris

Read Letter Dated the 16th inst. from Mrs A. Fitzgerald, Fever Hospital Nurse, asking for an increase in her Salary.

Order - Postponed to the first meeting of the next Board

A Tender was accepted from Mr J Ryan proposing to pay £2-5-0 for the stop and refuse of the Workhouse Kitchen for three months from 25th inst.

The following claims to be rated were allowed being adequately vouched:

Ballinacorney I.D.

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| ✓ John Kelly, Ballinacorney | ✓ James McDermott |
| ✓ John Leeson, " " | ✓ Mary Farrell |
| ✓ John Moran, Ballinacorney | ✓ Mrs Blunkett |
| ✓ Frank Davis, Ballinacorney | ✓ Richard Davis |
| Ballycullen I.D. | |
| ✓ Martha Smith, Ballycullen | ✓ William Smith |

Calany E D

✓ Thomas Hunter, Clapnamullen ✓ Susan Hunter
✓ Ellen Fooley, Ballinastoe ✓ Thomas Fooley
Rathdrum ED

✓ John Morris, Ballinacorney	✓ Mary Johnson
✓ Jas Fitzgerald	✓ Patrick Breen
✓ Mary H Edge, Caballus	✓ Richard Edge
✓ John Galvin, Meetings	✓ John Duck
✓ Owen Jamesford, Ballinskillo	✓ Wm Jamesford
✓ Mary Farrell, Glapenaght	✓ John Cullen
✓ Mary ^t Alpine, Barnbarn	✓ Denis Alpine
✓ Edward Giff, Rattodrum	✓ John Byrne
✓ Jane Leeson	✓ George Leeson
✓ Mrs Henderson	✓ Mrs Saml
✓ Mary Waddell	✓ Michael Waddell
✓ Elizabeth Saml	✓ Thomas Saml
✓ Anne Belton	✓ Andrew Belton
✓ Winifred Byrne	✓ James Byrne
✓ Lillie Little	✓ Lillie Jondell
✓ Charlotte Leeson	✓ William Leeson
✓ Thomas Cullen	✓ James Cullen
✓ Charles Cullen	✓
✓ Mary ^t Doyle	✓ John Doyle
✓ Thomas Murtagh, Farballs	✓ Pat ^r Butler

Proper town ED

x	Joseph Byrne, Ballyluz	v	Thomaslin Byrne
x	Dora Johnson Bullard	v	Miss Johnson
e	James Doyle, Mangston	v	Rev. Pat Doyle
n	Mary A. Murphy - Lather	v	Patrick Murphy

The following notice of auction was served —

I beg to give notice that at the first meeting of the new Board, the Guardians consider the Puters Claims for increase in his salary in proportion to increased duties and long service.

Patrick Lee

May 16th 94

Res. JB chu

23/3/94 = Reading. Tottenham
Choir

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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 ... 6

Ditto disallowed ... -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... 6

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... 1

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ... 1

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was ... 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 Tuesday, the 23rd day of March 1894

(Signed)

J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on *Friday* ~~Wednesday~~,
the *16th* day of *March* 189 *4*

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, *Mr. John Byrne*

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 541

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 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 _____ 189 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 Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

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

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

Roundwood Dispr

Read Letter from Mrs. M. A. Murphy of Roundwood, informing the Guardians that she is about taking up possession from a tenant of hers in Roundwood who has part of his house let to the Guardians as a Dispensary, but has no wish to disturb the working of the Dispensary - and would ask the Guardians to name some person who would act for them in surrendering the Dispensary and retaking the possession from her again.

Order - Mrs. L. Murphy R.O. to attend and act for the Guardians in this matter.

J. Byrne Secy

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from Local Government Board dated the 15th instant
~~stating that~~ sanctioning the rate of remuneration £3:3:0, a
week proposed to be paid to Dr. Ryan for his services as
temporary substitute for Dr. Hudson M.D. Off. of Newbridge
Dispensary District

Read the following resolution passed by the
Wicklow Dispensary Committee at their meeting on
the 13th instant,

Resolved — That the Nurse be
 paid the sum of 10/- being her fee for attending the
 two following ~~and~~ midwifery cases
Ms. Connor, Strand Street, Wicklow —
in Cullen, Ballynash.

Approved by the Guardians
J. B. Chm.

These Reports are
 to be made up and
 forwarded by the
 Medical Officers to
 the Board of Guar-
 dians quarterly, viz.,
 on the 31st March,
 30th June, 30th Sep-
 tember and 31st De-
 cember.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three 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
Wicklow	S. Halpin	Reporting on outbreak of Scarlatina at Bally Killen. : Name in the General ED	

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read Letter Dated the 15th instant from the Local Government Board in reference to the Guardians' resolution of the 9th instant respecting the area of charge for expenses about to be incurred in improving the water supply of the town of Rathdrum.

The L.G. Board state that while they would be prepared to give their best attention to any well considered modification of the area of charge as set forth in their letter of the 15th ultimo they are unable to entertain the proposal of the Guardians in July last.

The Local Government Board further point out the powers conferred on them and the duties devolving on the Guardians under the Public Health Act in regard to providing a proper supply of pure water to communities; and the responsibility the Guardians will incur if they neglect to discharge their duty as a Sanitary Authority.

Order - The consideration of this letter adjourned to the Guardians special meeting on the 30th instant.

Read Letter dated the 12th instant from Mr W Kaye Parry C.E., stating that he will undertake to prepare a Scheme of Drainage for the village of Killepedder in accordance with the wishes of the Guardians.

Order - Dr Leverock to be written to and asked to let the Dispensary Committee know the day on which Mr Parry will attend at Killepedder to make his inspection.

Read report from Mr A Murphy SSO in reference to the public pump at the Police Bk in Newtown Mount Kennedy which requires some

improvement so as to prevent the dirty water getting back into the pump well. He estimates the cost of the necessary work at about £3.

Order - Mr. Murphy to get this work done at a cost not exceeding £3.

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Charles J. R. Thomas
Chairman

23/3/94

Friday

23rd

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ the 23rd day of March 1894

Signed,

J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

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