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Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 50,398. 14. 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 21 day of November 1896

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 8 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	88	133													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Additional Workhouse ..	50	2													
Permanent Fever Hospital															
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL	138	135													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			14	33	26	24	4	8	5		19	133	52	In separate Wards 13	
Admitted during the Week			4	1	1	1	1					11	2	In Wards with other inmates	
Born												1			
TOTAL			21	34	27	25	5	8	5		20	145	54	TOTAL	13
Discharged during the Week			5	1	2		1					9			
Died															
Total Discharged and Dead			5	1	2		1					10			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	33	26	23	5	7	5		20	135			No. at corresponding period last year, 160

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21 day of November 1896 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 4)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	40	98					Bt. forward						
No. II.	48	59					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. fwd.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 24th day of November 1896.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Frank Brooke Esq. R.D.H. &c.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. William Speares,
Thomas Dowling, and Abraham D. Symes.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4921 to No. 4932 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 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 ^{since} during the week 5th Nov. '96 £ 128 - 0 - 0

Paid during the week same period £ 161 - 9 - 9

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 458 - 9 - 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - 13[£] : 14^s : 1^d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 24[£] : 14^s : 3^d.

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 3[£] : 2^s :

Average Cost in Infirmary - 3[£] : 6^s :

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:—

240 lb. Hoaves Bread
16 Dozen Eggs
25 lb. Butter
8 cwt Sugar
18 gallons Buttermilk
14 lb Sweetmilk
180 lb Beef
35 " Boneless Beef

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 21 day of November 1896 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	...	...	...	...	...	10. 19. 3
In Kind ...	...	...	...	...	...	10. 19. 3
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	10. 19. 3

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

8. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

The Board having read Mr. R. O. Gole's recommendation in visiting report book unanimously disapprove of his suggestion relative to omitting the shower baths during the winter months & request the members of the Committee in future, in accordance with rule 16, to state the names of any inmates who make any complaints."

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):—

Copy of a resolution adopted by the Union's Board of Guardians suggesting alterations in the Poor Law system was received and marked read.

The Clerk submitted lists of Tenements requiring Revision of valuation, as furnished by the several Rate Collectors of the Union.

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Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and
Dispensary Houses Act.

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at
a Meeting held on Friday the 24 day of November 1886

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Frank Brooke Esq M.D. &c.
Messrs William Speares,
Thomas Bowling and Abraham D. Symes

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

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

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

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 12

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 118

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered 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.)

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 Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District

in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 18____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18____.

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

[This 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 vacancy 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 30 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).

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority,
under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 24th
day of November 1896.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Frank Brooke Esq. D.P.H. & C.

Other Members:—

Messrs William Speares,
Thomas Dowling and Abraham D. Symes.

No. 946

26 Nov. '96

The accountant to the Board
of Public Works, Dublin, wrote to acknowledge
receipt of communication applying for £145
the 1st instalment on a loan of £842
which, he stated, would be attended to.

22 Nov. '96

Writing in connection with the Labourers
order of 1896 Mr. Brown, Solicitor, stated that he
was giving the necessary directions to the
Engineers for plans, schedules and estimates.

Re his costs he mentioned that Mr.
Johnson, Solicitor, had the copy made for the
guardians.

25 Nov. '96

Read letter from Mr. Brown as follows:—
"The deed from Mr. Bauston has now been
perfected and he has written for the amount of
the compensation money £12.10.0 and also for £5.8.0
the amount of the enclosed costs to which he is
entitled but I shall probably be able to get him
to accept £5. Will you therefore kindly procure

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day of December 1896.

(Signed)

W. P. R. M.
Clerk of the Union.

cheque for £17. 10. 0 next Board Day. You might also kindly let me know if possible the date of the guardians taking possession so as to fix the date for the abatement of rent."

The Board being of opinion that they were not liable to pay Mr. Keston's costs directed the clerk to write Mr. Brown, Solicitor, on the subject.

Messrs Malcomson, Solicitors, wrote asking for a tracing of the labourers plot (as set out on the deposited map) taken by the guardians on the farm of Mr. Hugh Gillespie at Brownhof.

The clerk stated that Mr. Gillespie interviewed him on Thursday when he showed him the site as originally marked on Ordnance sheet with which he was satisfied.

The clerk reported that the period allowed to Contractors Doyle & Hopan for the completion of their contracts has expired.

It was ordered that the contractors in question be requested to attend the next meeting of the Board.

Applications for sanction to loans required to carry out Improvement Schemes authorised by the Labourers Order of 1876 were signed by the Chairman.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 50,398-14-0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 28 day of November 1896

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, 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	887	1140													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Additional Workhouse ..	50	2													
Permanent Fever Hospital															
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL	937	1142													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	33	26	23	5	4	5		20	135	56	113	
Admitted during the Week			5	2	4	3	1			1	1	14	2	9	
TOTAL			21	35	30	26	6	4	5	1	21	152	58	122	
Discharged during the Week			5	1	1		1			1	1	10			
Died															
Total Discharged and Dead			5	1	1		1			1	1	10			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	34	29	26	5	4	5		20	142			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28 day of November 1896 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	40	98					Bk. forward						
No. II.	49	60					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 4th day of December 1896

PRESENT: In the Chair— Frank Brooke Esq. M.P. D.C.
Other Guardians:— The Honble H.R.D. Boscawen Esq. M.P.

Edward Byrne M.P., Richd. James, Wm. Speares, Maurice Roche, Thos. Dowling, Nicholas O'Keefe, John Lyons, Alice Butler, Patrick Byrne, Michael O'Keefe, Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

Next Meeting to be held on FRIDAY, the 4th day of December 1896.

Signed,

Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4933 to No. 4946 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 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:—

[illegible]

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 20 : 4 : 3
 Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 25 : 2 : 8
 Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.
 And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - £ 3 : 2
 Average Cost in Infirmary - £ 3 : 6
 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:—

240 lb. Hoares Bread
 18 Dozen Eggs
 35 lb. Butter
 18 gallons Buttermilk
 14 lb. Sweetmilk
 180 lb. Beef
 35 " Boneless
 1 Chest of Tea
 4 cwt. Oatmeal
 2 " Indian Meal
 5 gallons Whiskey

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

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

The 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 28 day of November 1896 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	...	...	...	...	£ 10 : 15 : 9
In Kind ...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	...	...	£ 10 : 15 : 9

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

2 s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

Mr. Nicholas O'Keefe handed in the following notice of motion: - I hereby give notice that on this day fortnight I will move to rescind the order of the Board for giving cold baths in winter to pauper tramps and should the medical officers deem it necessary to bathe them that warm baths be substituted, and whether bathed or not that they be given warm bath water with a little vaseline with which to bathe their feet at bed time."

Mary Blaney. Inmate, was granted
an outfit of clothing on leaving the Workhouse.

A notice received by R.D. Ellis previous to execution of Exemption Decree in the case of M. Parnell, Plaintiff, and James Sheill, Carrigrohewell, Defendant was submitted to the Board.

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):—

No. 46,491

3rd Decr. 1896.

Read letter from the Local Govt. Board to acquaint the Board of Guardians that they had received the half-yearly report of their Inspector, Mr. Burke, on the Union, which was of a satisfactory character as regards its financial state, the general management and condition of the Workhouses and the performance of their duties by the several officers.

Extracts from the Report were forwarded therewith; and the Local Govt. Board requested that the Guardians would be so good as to give their consideration to the several matters referred to therein.

The extracts from Mr. Burke's report were

as follows:—

"New Blankets ordered last August have not yet been supplied. The contractor should be compelled to provide them without further delay.

The Male Probationary Ward has no grate in it. This defect should be remedied at once.

No steps have yet been taken to obtain the services of a night nurse.

Modern beds with wire mattresses are badly required in the Infirmary. The Guardians would do well to provide a certain number every year so as to gradually dispense with the old-fashioned wooden bedsteads now in use. The wards for epileptics &c. are well equipped in this respect but the other wards in the Infirmary are not. The bells in the Infirmary require looking to.

The rendering on the inside of the slates in several wards of the Workhouse appears to be in a bad state.

The Guardians should provide a washing machine and mangle for the Workhouse Laundry, particularly as the washing for the Infirmary has to be done there in addition to the washing for the rest of the Workhouse. A meat safe is badly needed; the attention of the Guardians has been already drawn to this on several occasions.

The walls of the wards in the Infirmary are plastered. It would be a great improvement if instead of always white washing them they were coloured with Duero's Lysolone, or some other of the cheap colouring materials now so much used. The additional expense would be very trifling and the walls would remain cleaner considerably longer.

The Master informed the Board that the Blankets had since been received, also that he had a new grate

and meat safe erected.

The Guardians directed that six iron Bedsteads with flock and wire mattresses be ordered for the Infirmary, and that the other matters ^{mentioned} in the Inspector's report be referred to the Workhouse Visiting Committee.

Francis Griffiths Esq. Treasr. wrote for a return in reference to the contribution in lieu of Rates upon Government Property.

28 Nov 96

Read circular letter from the Commissioner of Valuation to acknowledge the receipt of lists of Tenements requiring revision in the Union.

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	...	...	...	114
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	...	...	...	119
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	...	1
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered 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.)

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Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68). Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 14th day of December 1896.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Frank Brooke Esq
The Hon^{ble} H. L. D. Roscaun Esq
Messrs E. Byrne Esq, Richd. James, Wm. Spears, M. Roche,
Thos. Howling, W. O'Bole, J. Lyons, P. Butler, P. Byrne, M. O'Bole,
Joseph Hopkins and G. D. Symes.

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

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the

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

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

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 Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 18____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18____.

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

[This 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 vacancy 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 30 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).

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority,
under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 11th
day of December 1896.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Frank R. Brooke Esq. D.K. & C.
Other Members:—

The Honble. A.H. D. Boscawen Esq.
Messrs. E. Byrne Esq., R. James, Wm. Spears,
Maurice Roche, Thos. Dowling, N. O'Toole, J. Lyons,
Curce Butler, Pat. Byrne, M. Toole, Joseph Hopkins
and Abraham D. Symes.

No. 14429

30th November 96

The Local Government Board wrote to
acknowledge the receipt of the applications
of the Board of Guardians of Shillelagh Union for
sanction to the loans required by them to carry
out the Improvement Scheme authorised by 'The
Shillelagh Union Labourers Order 1896.'

30 November 96

In reply to the Board's letter of 25th inst
Mr. Brown, Solicitor, stated that there was no doubt
whatever to pay the costs of any person from whom
they had taken lands by virtue of a Provisional order
and he enclosed abstract from Section 82 of the Act of
Parliament. In the cases of most of the occupiers the
(Mr. Brown) had succeeded in getting them to refrain from
employing separate Solicitors but in any case in which
a Solicitor had been engaged by the party there was
no escape from the payment of his costs.

The Board of Guardians therefore decided to

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day of December 1896.

(Signed)

Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

pay Mr. Bauston £5 in settlement of his costs.

Contractor ^{Cogan} wrote to say that he was ill and unable to attend the Board as requested, but he would finish his contract for erection of two cottages in a few weeks.

Mr. Ramsay C.B. writing under date 2nd Dec. 96, stated that the new cottages would soon be all ready for occupation. With regard to the disputed item of £2-12-6 in his a/c he said the work was done nearly a year before his agreement was entered into & Mr. Brown had told him that the agreement was not retrospective, and further there was no more work to be done for the plot at Knockanaura for which these altered plans were prepared as it was requested.

It was agreed to allow the item in question.

Pursuant to notice Mr. Butler proposed, Mr. James seconded and it was passed unanimously:—
"That the appointment of ^{John} ~~John~~ ^{John} Pahan, as tenant for Labourer's cottage in Ballysilluff, be rescinded, and that no tenant be appointed until the contractor has the cottage finished."

On the recommendation of Messrs. O'Keefe and Lyons Thos. Patrick McFrath and Lawrence Brennan were accepted as tenants for labourer's cottages at Brownbog and Constablehill, respectively, at the monthly rent of 3/- each.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 50398.14.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5 day of December 1896

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		881	144														
Temporary Buildings ..																	
Additional Workhouse ..		50	2														
Permanent Fever Hospital																	
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL		931	146														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return				16	34	29	26	5	4	5		20	142	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	53	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates	13
Admitted during the Week				9	3	2						1	15	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2		5
TOTAL,				25	37	31	26	5	4	5		21	157	TOTAL,	55	TOTAL,	18
Discharged during the Week				5	3	1						1	10	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Died															Males	Females	Children under 15
Total Discharged and Dead				5	3	1	1					1	11				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE				20	34	30	25	5	4	5		20	146	No. Relieved during week	4	2	0
														No. in Workhouse at date	2		0
																No. at corresponding period last year, 140	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5 day of December 1896 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	40	98					Bt. forward						
No. II.	50	62					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 11th day of December 1896.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Edward Byrne Esq. M.P.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. Wm. Sprares, R. M. Dowse,

Edward Byrne, Abraham D. Symes and Joseph Hopkiss.

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Signed,

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	25	14	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	25	8	9
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	2
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	6
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:—

240 lb. Loaves Bread
12 Dozen Eggs
35 lb. Butter
18 gallons Buttermilk
144 Sweetmilk
180 lb. Beef
25 (Bones)
50 yards Barragon
50 Corduroy

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 5 day of December 1896 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£	10	18	9
In Kind ...				
Total ...	£	10	18	9

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

25	J. Fortune Blankets	20	-	-
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Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

2. Establishment Account.

28	Edward Boulger on 1/2 Bawdrip est.	45	-	-
"	Ditto " Constablehill	20	-	-
29	James Doyle " Corballintest.	20	-	-
30	J. S. B. Vanston Law Cost Lab. acts	5	-	-
31	Geo. Prescott Cateract Speck.	11	14	-
"	C. D. Jenner Kent Ret. photo	1	4	11
"	Stewart Duckett	5	5	-
"	Allen Morton	4	8	-
"	Geo. J. B. Vanston	5	5	-
"	Byrne Ramors	5	4	-
"	R. M. Dowse	2	8	-
"	Wm. Dick R	2	-	-
"	Wm. Petty	7	2	-
"	Journshend	11	15	-
"	Frances Byrne	3	5	-
"	J. J. Whelan	2	-	-
"	John B. B. B.	2	-	-
"	Humacy fee	2	-	-
"		2	-	-

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

p s d.

24 Thomas Kenny Bread &c 38 3 -

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

26 Michael O Toole on app 30 - -

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

Patrick R Harte, van-driver, wrote to apply for an overcoat which the guardians decided to allow.

Mr. Spares mentioned that Carl Fitzwilliam would give the sum of £5 to the inmate, Mary Blagney, who was about to emigrate.

It was agreed that the Master purchase six 8 arm chairs in addition to the six already ordered.

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

The Master applied for and obtained one days leave of absence, the Matron to do his duty.

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):—

It was decided to pay Mr. L. Corriott $\frac{1}{4}$ for a pair of cataract spectacles ordered by the National Eye & Ear Infirmary for John Dyland a patient from this Union.

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Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and
Dispensary Houses Act.

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at
a Meeting held on Friday the 11th day of Decr. 1896.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Edward Byrne Esq. M.P.

Messrs William Speares.

Richd. M. Douse. E. J. Byrne. A. D. Symes

and Joseph Hopkins.

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

*That the Requisitions be forwarded 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 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 ... 13

Ditto disallowed ... 4

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

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... 4

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ... 120

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)

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):

Collatten Va Dispensary District.
 249 Account of Mr. *D. Donohoe* for _____ Amount, £ *4-11-8*

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 18____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18____.

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

[This 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 vacancy 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 30 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).

A letter was read from Mr. Geo. Willoughby, Donnybrook, complaining that there was no fence round Kelpipe old grave-yard to keep off cattle which had trampled on and disfigured the marks of the graves.

The Guardians resolved that a special meeting of the Board be convened for this day three weeks to consider the areas of charge for expenses to be incurred in the fencing of this and the other graveyards at hiscolman, Knockoe & Ardoyne.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 18th day of December 1896.

(Signed)

J. Hopkin
Clerk of the Union.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 11th day of December 1896

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Members:—

Edward Byrne D.V.C.

*Messrs. William Speares,
Richd. M. Down, E. J. Byrne, A. D. Symes,
and Joseph Hopkin.*

No. 141034

10th December 1896

The local port Board wrote to call attention to their letter of the 26th of October last returning the plan, specification, & estimate of the repairs proposed to be executed in an existing cottage authorized to be acquired by the Board of Guardians in the townland of Carrigermuerk and to request that the certified copies of the plan &c therein asked for might be furnished without further delay.

The clerk was directed to again request Mr. Ramsay to forward the documents forthwith.

No. 14429

10th Decr. 1896

A letter was also read from the local port Board stating that they had before them the applications of the Guardians for sanction to the loans required by them to carry out Improvement Schemes under the Labourers Acts authorized by Provisional order dated 28th Sept. 1896; and to express the Board's sanction to the loans in question the amounts to be issued by instalments as shown in the following table, and repayment to be spread

spread over a period of fifty years.

Electoral Divisions (areas of charge)	No. of Houses	amt of houses £	Instalments			
			1 st £	2 nd £	3 rd £	4 th £
Clonegal	1	145	30	45	45	25
Clonmore	1	125	25	40	40	20
Coolballintaft	1 (30 to rep.)	110	40	35	35	-
Hacketstown	1	130	25	40	40	25
Moyacomb	1	130	20	45	45	20
	5	640	140	205	205	90

Mr. Rannay C.P. having certified that the sums of £45 and £20 were due to Contractor Boulger, and £20 to Contractor Doyle, the amounts were ordered to be paid.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 50398-14-0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12 day of Decr. 1896

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 3 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	887	1145																
Temporary Buildings . .																		
Additional Workhouse . .	10	2																
Permanent Fever Hospital																		
Fever Sheds																		
TOTAL	931	1147																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			20	34	30	25	5	4	5			20	14	6				
Admitted during the Week			5	6	1				3			1	16					
TOTAL,			25	40	31	25	5	4	8			21	30					
Discharged during the Week			4	3	1				2			1	18					
Died																		
Total Discharged and Dead			4	3	1				2			1	18					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			18	37	30	24	5	4	6			20	14					
													Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards		In separate Wards with other inmates			
													53					
													2	TOTAL, 53				
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		OBSERVATIONS			
													No. Relieved during week	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
													6	4	4	14		
													No. in Workhouse at date	1	1	1	3	
													No. at corresponding period last year, 166					

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12 day of December 1896 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
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COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 18 day of December 1896.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Frank R. Brooke Esq. M.P. D.C.

Other Guardians:— The Honble. N.H. D. Morcawen Esq. Messrs

G. G. Newton Esq., R. Byrne Esq., W. B. Jones Esq., A. Laurence Esq., Thos. Swan Esq., R. Taylor Esq., J. H. Haskins, R. Laurence, R. James, R. M. Dwyer, Wm. Speares, Thos. Dowling, Jas. Byrne, G. A. Haskins, R. O'Keefe, J. Kavanagh, Pat. Byrne, Wm. Hopkins, Joseph Hopkins and A. D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting to be held on FRIDAY, the 18 day of December 1896

Signed,

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 28: 14: 4
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 25: 14: 3
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And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - £ 3: 2

Average Cost in Infirmary - £ 3: 6

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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:—

240 lb Hoares Bread
12 Dozen Eggs
40 lb Butter
18 gallons Buttermilk
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1. The several Clothing Accounts.
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In Money ...	...	...	...	...	...	10: 19: 9
In Kind ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	10: 19: 9

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors Article and Quantity Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors Article and Quantity Value £ s. d.
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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:—

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

65	Patrick Kiernan to Wages	4	"	"
66	Thomas Hickey	4	"	"

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

2. Establishment Account.

31 st Rev. H. P. Ellison	6-5-0	44 Geo. Newson	12-10-
33 Rev. H. S. Sinnott	12-10-0	45 Benj. Hopkins	23-16-4
34 J. H. King	22-10-0	46 Michl. Bowyer	9-1-10
35 John Hopkins	25-19-2	47 Michl. O'Boyle	4-
36 P. M. Furlong	16-5-0	48 Robert Ellis	6-
37 Anne Corrigan	8-15-0	49 J. Bernard	1-6-3
38 S. A. Bolger	10-0-0	50 J. Nichols	12-
39 Annie Bolger	5-0-0	51 J. Doyle	14-
40 Margt. E. Deegan	5-0-0	52 P. M. Furlong	1-8-4
41 Pat. Fox	3-15-0	53 Wm. Hughes	16-
42 James Gray	4-0-0	54 J. G. O'Rourke	10-19-10
43 Pat. Harte	3-18-0	55 David O'Hara	1-4-6

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

8. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
68	Olga M. Smith	meat	14	3	4
69	Ellen O. Hard	firewood	2	8	-
70	James. Condell	onions	1	2	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

77	Michael O'Hole	on 9/2	12	4	6
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Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases: 7.

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

I visited the House with Mr. A. D. Symes & Mr. J. P. Byrne & find the oak Beam supporting the front wall of male Infirmary ward has sunk and that the wall & roof are in a dangerous state & suggest that a metal column be immediately put in. We also observe two chimneys on front wing are split & will require to be taken down to granite course & rebuilt. We also recommend that two small sheds with corr. iron roof about 10x8 be erected to afford shelter for the women when washing at the male and female Infirmary wards. — Approved.

The Board authorised Messrs. Speares and Symes to procure a metal column & have it constructed as recommended by the Committee.

A proposal was accepted from James Gray to take down and re-build the two chimneys referred to in Committee's report at £16.

Gray also tendered to erect two sheds in the Infirmary yards for £9 which the Board considered too high.

The Fever Hospital nurse, Miss Deegan, applied for five days leave of absence there being only two patients in the Hospital who were now convalescent.

The Board granted the leave subject to the approval of the Medical Officer. The pauper assistant to do his duty.

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

I beg to ask the Board for an order for the usual Xmas Dinner for the inmates.

Some Chambers (about 5 dozen) are required for Infirmary and other parts of the Establishment.

On the motion of Major Hewton seconded by Mr. Tho. Swan &c the Board ordered that the usual Tea Breakfast & Meat Dinner be allowed the inmates on Xmas Day: and the Master was directed to purchase 5 dozen chambers.

Patrick Kivan, Tailor, applied for & obtained three days leave of absence.

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):—

Mr. Michael Reilly jun. inquired, claimed to be rated for a plot of ground lately held by Thomas Lawlor at Ballykilduff, which he stated he had acquired. Ordered to be referred to Rating Officer.

R.D. Ellis submitted two notices served upon him previous to execution of District Decrees in the cases of Joseph S.N. Roche & John Doyle, Anne Doyle Wm Doyle and Michael Doyle Coolmanagh.

In accordance with notice Mr. Nicholas O'Keefe proposed that the order of the Board for giving cold baths

in winter to pauper tramps be rescinded & should the Medical Officer deem it necessary to bathe them that warm baths be substituted & whether bathed or not, that they be given warm water with a little Vaseline with which to bathe their feet at bedtime.

The motion was not seconded and was accordingly declared lost.

The Committee appointed to take stock of Provisions & clothing &c for the half year ended 29 Sept. '96 recommended the undermentioned articles of clothing to be condemned as unfit for future clothing use:—

Bedding	Men's clothing	Women's clothing	Boys clothing	Girls clothing
44 Sheets	15 Coats	22 gowns	1 Coat	31 Gowns
19 Blankets	12 Waistcoats	40 Petticoats	8 Waistcoats	33 Petticoats
33 Rugs	9 Trowsers	38 Shifts	5 Trowsers	30 Shifts
11 Bedticks	9 Shirts	93 Aprons	20 Shirts	19 Shoes
16 Bolsters	4 Shoes	35 Handkerchiefs	13 Shoes	37 Stockings
		23 Shoes		
		21 Stockings	38 Stockings	13 Stockings
		2 Caps		2 Bonnets
		6 Flannel vests		35 Bibs

The committee also recommended that the following utensils used up in the Workhouse be struck off the Workhouse Books viz:—64 Bureaus, 9 Tables, 5 chairs, 3 Stoves, 19 Beds, 3 Coal Boxes, 2 Basins & Jugs, 20 Knives & Forks, 2 Tying pans, 2 Table Covers, 3 Kettles, 4 Spades, 2 Shovels, 1 Wheelbarrow, 87 Tins, 48 Spoons, 1 Carpet, 15 Dishes & Plates, 1 garden Chair, 3 fallows, 1 Bucket, 5 hampers, 4 Cans, 6 Rakes, 5 Hay forks, 1 Scythe, 3 Basins.

On the motion of Mr. Symes seconded by Mr. Thomas Swan &c the recommendations of the Committee were unanimously adopted.

An inmate named Andrew Livingstone was allowed an exchange of clothes on leaving the Workhouse, also Mr. Whelan, inmate, an exchange of Boots.

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Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and
Dispensary Houses Act.

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at
a Meeting held on Friday the 18th day of Decr 1896.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Frank Brooke Esq M.D. &c.
The Hon. A.H.D. Boscawen Esq.

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

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

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

The 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 ... 23

Ditto disallowed ...

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

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ...

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ... 120

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

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

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

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):

Collington & Clonfall Dispensary District.

49	Account of Mr. <u>J. H. Brady</u> for <u>Salary</u>	Amount, £	30 - 0 - 0
50	<u>Elena Taylor</u>	"	1 - 15 - 0
51	<u>Mary A. Coburn</u>	"	1 - 15 - 0
52	<u>Thomas White</u> $\frac{1}{2}$ Rent	"	1 - 15 - 0
53	<u>Kate Rawless</u> $\frac{1}{2}$ Salary	"	6 - 5 - 0
<u>Hacketstown Dist.</u>			
54	<u>L. J. Whelan</u>	"	23 - 15 - 0
55	<u>Jane Hinch</u> $\frac{1}{2}$ Rent	"	2 - 0 - 0
56	<u>Anne Cooper</u>	"	1 - 10 - 0
57	<u>Mary Joyce</u> $\frac{1}{2}$ Salary	"	6 - 5 - 0
58	<u>Board of Guardians</u> $\frac{1}{2}$ Rent <u>Mummaud</u>	"	6 - 5 - 0
59	<u>Carter H. Howard</u> $\frac{1}{2}$	"	12 - 10 - 0
<u>Imahely Dist.</u>			
54	<u>Jno. Bohster</u> $\frac{1}{2}$ Salary & Rent	"	31 - 10 - 0
58	<u>Matthew Byrne</u> $\frac{1}{2}$ Rent	"	1 - 10 - 0
59	<u>Sammy Bowse</u> $\frac{1}{2}$ Salary	"	1 - 5 - 0
60	<u>Mary White</u>	"	6 - 5 - 0

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.] An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 18, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18.

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

[This 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 vacancy 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 30 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 Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz.:—

	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
34		J. G. Rung $\frac{1}{2}$ Salary	2	10	=
35		John Hopkins "	2	10	=
44		Michael O'Keefe "	1	15	.
"		Ditto Carnew M.	1	5	.
48		Robert Ellis $\frac{1}{2}$ Salary	1	10	.
49	Collattin	J. J. Brady "	3	15	.
54	Hacketstown	L. J. Whelan "	3	15	.
54	Inahely	Jno. Bolster "	3	15	=
61		Edward Healy Inahely M.	1	5	=
62		Lance Byrne Clonsilla M.	=	15	=

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 were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority,
under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 18
day of December 1896.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Frank Brooke Esq. D.D. &c.

Other Members:—

The Hon. A. H. D. Boscawen Esq.
Major Hewton Esq. Messrs. E. Byrne Esq., W. B. Jones Esq.,
A. Lawrence Esq., Tho. Swan Esq., R. Taylor Esq., J. J. Haskins,
R. Lawrence Esq., James R. McDowse, W. Speares, J. Bowling,
J. Byrne, J. J. Haskins, N. O'Boyle, Kavanagh, P. Byrne,
W. Haskins, Joseph Haskins and A. D. Symes.

12th Dec. '96
Read letter from the Board of Works
to state that the Commissioners having met the
recommendation of the R.D. Board for a loan of
£87.2 to the Guardians for the purpose of carrying
out Improvement Schemes & having brought the case
before the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury
their Lordships were pleased to sanction same.

The loan to be repaid in fifty years with interest
at the rate of 3½ % per annum.

The Board's Solicitor would make the necessary
inquiries & complete the transaction and a Receivable
Order for £1-7-6 to meet expenses was enclosed.

Payment of the amount was
ordered.

15th Dec. '96

Mr. Brown, Solicitor, wrote to say he would
feel obliged if the Board would kindly let him have
a cheque for balance of taxed costs amount £30 6. 17. 9.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 1stday of January 1897.

(Signed)

J. Haskins
Clerk of the Union.

The Board deferred payment of the amount.

The guardians decided to adjourn the making of an improvement scheme in respect of the Clonelfall Electoral Division for four weeks.

A Representation for a labourers cottage was received from the Aghowle Electoral Division

The Board resolved to accept Simon Mathers as tenant of new cottage in Blackhill, Clonmore P.D. the guardians of the Division to see the old cottage now occupied by Mathers unroofed.

Peter Keogh was accepted as tenant for labourers cottage at Coolballintaggart with permission to take in his father Michael Keogh possession to be given as soon as complete. In the meantime Mr. Byrne P.D. was authorised to let in Peter Kehoe as caretaker his old house having fallen.

Messrs O'Keefe & Hyams were asked to inspect and report on the drainage of Constablehill cottage plot.

The Board resolved to pay Mr. Ramsay C.B. the sum of £10. 19. 10 in discharge (of balance) of a/c rendered.

Mr. W. D. Jones P.D. presented the following notice of motion:— I give notice that I (or some person on my behalf) will move on this day fortnight to have the resolution accepting Patrick McFarlane as tenant

of Brownhof Cottage rescinded."

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £10,398.14.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19 day of Dec 1896

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 8 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	887	141													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Additional Workhouse ..	50	2													
Permanent Fever Hospital															
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL	937	143													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			18	34	30	24	5	4	6		20	144	53	13	
Admitted during the Week			6	5	1	3					2	18	2		
TOTAL			24	42	31	27	5	8	6		22	162	55	13	
Discharged during the Week			6	6	2	1		1	1		2	20			
Died												2			
Total Discharged and Dead			6	6	2	1		1	1		2	22			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			18	35	29	25	4	4	5		20	143			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
													Males	Females	
													No. Relieved during week	5	1
													No. in Workhouse at date		
													No. at corresponding period last year, 1895		

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There was no meeting of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday

the 25 day of December 1896

PRESENT In the Chair— being Christmas Day.

Other Guardians:—

Next Meeting to be held on FRIDAY, the 1st day of January 1897

Signed,

D. J. O'Rourke
Chairman

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£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

8. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

L. s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

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

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a Meeting held on *Friday* the *25* day of *Decr.* 18*96*

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Being Christmas Day.

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

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the

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

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

The 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)

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 Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 18____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18____.

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

[This 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 vacancy 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 30 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 from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the

12th day of January 1894

(Signed),

Clerk of the Union.

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Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

4/ There was no meeting
Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary
Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on *4/* Friday the
25 day of *December* 1896.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.—

Being Christmas Day

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

[illegible]

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

There was no meeting
 MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority,
 under the above-mentioned Acts, ~~at a Meeting~~ held on *Friday* the *25th*
 day of *December* 1896.

Present In the Chair—

Being Christmas Day.
 Other Members:—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the *1st*
 day of *January* 189*7*.

(Signed)

D. H. P. Rivers
 Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £50,398.14.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of December 1896

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in such buildings 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 2 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	887	142													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Additional Workhouse ..															
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	1													
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL	937	143													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			18	35	29	25	4	4	5			20	143		
Admitted during the Week			13	2								15			
TOTAL			31	37	29	25	4	4	5			20	158		
Discharged during the Week			12	2								15			
Died															
Total Discharged and Dead			12	2								15			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			19	35	29	25	3	4	5			20	143		
													Under Medical treatment in Infirmary		In separate Wards
													54	13	
													Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital		In Wards with other inmates
													1	1	
													TOTAL, 55	TOTAL, 13	
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
													Males	Females	Children under 15
													No. Relieved during week	13	2
													No. in Workhouse at date	1	1
													No. at corresponding period last year, 158		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26 day of December 1896, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	40	98					Bk. forward						
No. II.	51	63					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday

the 1st day of January 1897.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Frank Brooke Esq. M.P. D.C.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. V. Byrne M.P. M. Byrne M.P.

Robt. Taylor M.P. R. James, R. M. Bowse, James Moran, Wm Kennedy, M. Roche, J. A. Hopkins, R. O'Toole, J. Lyons, E. J. Byrne, A. Lyburn, M. Toole, J. Hopkins & A. D. Symes.

Next Meeting to be held on FRIDAY, the 1st day of January 1897.

Signed,

J. Hopkins

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 26 : 11 : 4
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 30 : 15 : 5
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary - £ 3 : 6

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:—

240 lb. Loaves Bread
18 fallons Buttermilk
14 1/2 doz Eggs Sweetmilk
180 lb. Beef
25 " (Boneless)
30 " Butter
4 cwt Oatmeal
2 " Indian meal
also appliances for Workhouse Hospitals

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 Decr 1896 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	...	...	...	...	...	£	10	19	9
In Kind	...	...	...	...	...	£			
Total	...	...	...	...	...	£			

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account: £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
44	Thomas Bishop	milk	28	2	4
45	Susan Hopkins	"	28	12	5

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

44	Michael O'Goole	on d/c	30	.	.
48	Robert Ellis	"	30	.	.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

The Workhouse Medical Officer reported that twelve pounds of Carbolic tow was required for dressing large ~~wounds~~ ^{abscess} (Mary Doyle) in Infirmary, also that 6 boxes of Keatings insect powder was required.
ordered - to be procured.

R.O. Ellis applied for and obtained leave of absence on Friday next Mr. O'Goole R.O. to discharge his duty.

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

By the kind invitation of Lady Alice Fitzwilliam the Workhouse Children enjoyed a very pleasant evening at a conjuring entertainment at Town Hall, Phillelagh, on the 28th Dec.

The same good Lady accompanied by Lord Fitzwilliam and the Misses Boyne visited the Workhouse on the 30th Dec. and distributed a great variety of toys and sweets among the children.

They to inform the Board that an inmate named Mary Curry used abusive language & was insubordinate on the 28th Dec. also on following day the same woman was very disorderly & created a great noise & used abusive & offensive language to the Master. A letter was read from Mary Curry relative to the offence referred to. The inmate, Mary Curry, was brought before the Board & severely reprimanded & informed that if brought before the Board again she would be severely dealt with.

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

No. 141

18 Decr '96

A notification was recd from the Chief Secretary's Office to state that the Governor & Company of the Bank of Ireland had been authorised to pay the Union Treasurer the sum of £145.1.9 in respect of the Estate (formerly Probate) Duty paid for the year ending the 31st of March next.

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

No. 50.892

31st Decr '96

With reference to the ^{entry on the} subject contained in the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians on the 18th inst. the L.G. Board requested that they might be informed whether it was the practice in the Workhouse to insist on the casuals taking cold baths and if this was so that it should be at once discontinued and that the water used in the baths should be warmed during the winter months.

The Master informed the Board that during the winter or severe weather that the casuals were not given ^{cold} baths.

No. 149. M. 96 - Misc.

31 Decr '96

Read circular letter from the Local Govt. Board in which they requested to be informed whether for the purpose of increasing the remuneration of the Teachers of National Schools within the Union, the Guardians were willing to become a contributory Union within the meaning of "The National School Teachers (N) Act."

It was resolved:— That this Board declines to become contributory.

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Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and
Dispensary Houses Act.Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at
a Meeting held on Friday the 1st day of January 1894.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Frank Brooke Esq. M.D. R.C.
Messrs. E. Byrne Esq., M. Byrne Esq.,
Robt. Taylor Esq., R. James, R. M. House, Jas. Moran,
Wm. Kennedy, M. Roche, J. A. Tomkins, W. O. Toole,
John Lyons, E. J. Byrne, A. Heyburn, Michl. Toole,
Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

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

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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 24

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 1

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 121

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)

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 Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.] An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 18____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18____.

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

[This 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 vacancy 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 30 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).

upon owner to fence the old graveyard at
Whitfield, it not being vested in the Board of
Guardians.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 9th
day of January 1894.
(Signed) J. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority,
under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 1st
day of January 1894.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Frank Brooke Esq. M.D.L. & C.

Other Members:—

Messrs: E. Byrne Esq., M. Byrne Esq.,
R. Taylor Esq., R. James, R. M. Dowse, Jas. Moran,
Wm. Kennedy, M. Roche, J. D. Tomkins, W. O'Boyle,
John Lyons, D. J. Byrne, A. Heyburn, Michael Gook,
Joseph Hopkins and A. D. Symes.

No. 10.248

29th Decr. 1896.

The local Govt. Board wrote to
acknowledge the receipt of copies of the Plan
Specification & Estimate in relation to the existing
house which the Board of Guardians had been
authorised to acquire at Carrignamuck under
the Labourers Act.

31st Decr. '96

A letter was read from the Solicitor
of Public Works, Dublin, enclosing therewith four
draft deeds of mortgage for approval by the
Board.

The drafts were approved of and endorsed
by the chairman.

M. Edward Boulger, Building Contractor,

Unahely, wrote to apply for compensation for the loss and damage he had sustained through reason of the Board giving him the plot at Brown's for building purposes (of which they had not got proper permission) and Mr. Gillespie asserting his right having knocked down the fence erected by him ~~for~~ (Boulger) on the 8th Sept. last. He had been deputed at the Hacketstown Petty Sessions for the cost of re-making the fence and had been at considerable expense and loss of time to the worse.

After due consideration the Board agreed to allow Boulger compensation to the amount of £3.

A Representation for a labourers cottage was received from the Electoral Division of Hacketstown.

In accordance with notice Mr. James (in the absence of Mr. Jones) proposed and Mr. J. D. Tomkins seconded:— That the resolution accepting Patrick Mc. Grath, as tenant of Brown's cottage, be rescinded.

On the motion being put to the Board it was declared negatived by the chairman.

Messrs. Dowling & Roche, G.R. were authorised to have fence made at Andrew Clinch's cottage, at Ballyshane, and any necessary small repairs carried out.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 50398.14.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd 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, 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	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	881	144												
Temporary Buildings ..														
Additional Workhouse ..														
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	1												
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	931	145												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			19	38	29	25	3	4	5	20	14	52	13	
Admitted during the Week			5	3			1		2			1		
TOTAL			24	38	29	25	4	4		20	14	53	13	
Discharged during the Week			5	2	2									
Died														
Total Discharged and Dead			5	2	2									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			19	36	27	25	4	4		20	14	52	13	
No. at corresponding period last year, 161														

RETURN of DESTITUTE Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of January 1894, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	40	98					Bt. forward						
No. II.	51	63					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8th day of January 1894.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

Frank Brooke Esq. M.P. &c.
Messrs Thomas Dowling.
Edward J. Byrne and Abraham D. Symes.

Next Meeting to be held on FRIDAY, the 8th day of January 1894.

Signed,

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	14	10	0
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	25	16	3
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -		3	2
Average Cost in Infirmary -		3	6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital -		4	0

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:—

240. 14 lb. Loaves of Bread
 18 fallons Buttermilk
 14 1/2 Sweetmilk
 190 lb. Beef
 20 Boneless Beef
 14 Dozen Eggs
 30 lb. Butter

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 January 1894, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money ...	11	10	3
In Kind ...			
Total ...	11	10	3

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

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

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

No. 151-M'96-Misc.

4th Jan'y. 97

Read circular letter from the Local Govt. Board requesting to be furnished with a return respecting the persons of unsound mind in the Workhouse of the Union on the 31st of December, 1896.

The following copy of a resolution passed by the Londonderry Board of Guardians was read and adopted by the Board:— "That we express our cordial sympathy with the aims of the Keess Committee, and welcome as an omen of bright promise for the future of our country, the fact that proposals for legislation of such importance should have been worked out and unanimously adopted by a body of Irishmen, representative of all shades of political opinion and religious belief, and of the leading interests of the Country, both in the North and South of Ireland; as Guardians for the relief of the poor representing the Ratepayers, and keenly feeling as we do the stress of foreign competition we feel that there is special necessity for Parliament to take into early consideration the great questions of the development and extension of technical education in Ireland, in relation to industry as well as to agriculture. We accordingly respectfully lay before her Majesty's Government the expression of our strong desire that they should make the recommendations of this Committee the basis of legislation in the coming Session of Parliament. That a demand be made on her Majesty's Govt. asking them to adjust the financial relations between Great Britain and Ireland on a just and equitable basis, and to refund to Ireland as a just the amount she has been unjustly deprived of."

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	...	19
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	"
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	"
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	"
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	121
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.)

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Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68). Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8 day of July 1897.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Mr. Frank Brooke Esq. M.B.H.V.C.
Messrs Thomas Dowling.

Edward J. Byrne and Abraham D. Symes.

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

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

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

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, £

D. Whelan, Medical Officer of the Hackestown Dispensary District, reported that he successfully vaccinated 43 persons between the dates 1st January '96 and 31st December 1896.

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 18____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18____.

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

[This 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 vacancy 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 30 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).

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority,

under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8thday of January 1894.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Frank Brooke Esq. M.D.L.D.C.

Other Members—

Messrs Thomas Bowling
Edward J. Byrne and Abraham D. Symes.The following letter was read from Mr.
Hugh Gillespie:— 6th Jan'y 94The fence in connection with the cottage
on my holding of Brownbog has not been made.
I wish to put stock on my land and hereby
give you notice that I will not be responsible
for trespass.It was directed that a copy of this
communication be forwarded to Contractor Boulger.The clerk was instructed to write
Mr. Ramsay, architect, to take up possession
of the new cottage at Blackhill.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

FRIDAY,

the

15th

day of

January 1894.

(Signed)

J. Hopkin
Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £56,398.14.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 9 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	881	141													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Additional Workhouse ..															
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	1													
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL	931	142													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			19	36	24	25	4	4	4		20	145	50	13	
Admitted during the Week			16	1	2						1	20	1	1	
TOTAL,			35	37	26	25	4	4	4		21	165	51	14	
Discharged during the Week			16	2	1		1		2		1	23			
Died															
Total Discharged and Dead			16	2	1		1		2		1	23			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			19	35	28	25	3	4	5		20	142			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
													Males	Fe. males	Children under 15
													No. Relieved during week	16	0
													No. in Workhouse as date	3	0
													No. at corresponding period last year, 164		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9 day of January 1894 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	40	98					Bt. forward						
No. II.	51	63					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 15th day of January 1894.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Frank Brooke Esq. M.P. D.L.B.C.

Other Guardians:—

The Hon^{ble} H.L.D. Rosewell D.L.

Messrs Andrew Holahan, Edward J. Byrne,

Joseph Hopkiss, A.D. Symes and John O'Sullivan

Next Meeting to be held on FRIDAY, the 15th day of January 1894.

Signed,

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 15 : 2 : 6
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 25 : = : 5
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary - £ : 3 : 6

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:—

250 lb. Loaves Bread
18 fallows Buttermilk
14 lb. Sweetmilk
190 lb. Beef
25 Bonkers Beef
16 Dozen Eggs
30 lb. Butter
40 yds. Twine

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 9 day of January 1894, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	...	...	...	...	...	£ 11 - 10 - 3
In Kind ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	£ 11 - 10 - 3

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

81 James Hay extra work executed 2 9 6

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

49	Richard M ^r Sumner Bread	38	1	10
80	Bliza M ^r furk Meat	15	2	4

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

"Mr. William Browne, National Board Inspector, examined the Workhouse School Children on yesterday 14th inst. all passed."

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

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

No. 3. In 94. Misc.

8th Jan'y 94

Read circular letter from the Local Govt. Board forwarding copy of a statement showing the receipts and expenditure of all the Unions, & the number of persons who received indoor and out-door relief in Ireland during the year ended the 29th of Sept. last.

No. 152. In 96. Misc.

8th Jan'y 94

The Local Govt. Board wrote requesting to be furnished with particulars respecting the rates made and any new rates agreed upon in the Unions during the three months ended the 31st Ultimo.

No. 2 In 94. Misc.

12 Jan'y 94

A circular letter addressed to the Returning Officer was also recd from the Local Govt. Board to

Call attention to their general order dated 2nd January, 1863, regulating the conduct of Elections of Guardians in the several Unions in Ireland, a copy of which order was transmitted with the Circular of the Poor Law Commissioners of the 16th of that month.

No. 150. Misc.

14 Jan'y 94

A further circular letter was read from the L.G. Board requesting to be furnished with a statement showing the liabilities and assets of the Unions at the close of the financial year ended on the 29th Sept. last.

It was resolved to allow James Tray, contractor, the sum of £2:9:6 for erecting new flue pipes in Laundry, new grate in probationary ward, three ventilators, ceiling Hospital dead house, etc.

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Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68). Vaccination Acts, and
Dispensary Houses Act.

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at
a Meeting held on Friday the 15 day of January 1894

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Frank Brooke Esq. M.D. &c.
The Honble. Mr. D. K. K. K.
Mr. Andrew Molahan. E. J. Byrne, Joseph Hopkins.

A. D. Symes and John O. Sullivan.

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

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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	...	28
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	2
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	2
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	"
Do: in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	121
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	...	2
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered 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)

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 Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 18____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18____.

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

[This 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 vacancy 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 30 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).

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority,
under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 15th
day of January 1894.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Members:—

Frank Brooke Esq. M.P.
The Hon^{ble} H. D. Borcawen D.L.
Messrs Andrew Molahan, E. J. Byrne, J. Hopkins,
A. D. Symes and John O. Sullivan.

No. 128 M. 96.

An order under Seal dated 26th
November 96, prescribing the scale of maps to
be made by the Sanitary Authority for the
purposes of the Labourers Acts was received from
the Local Port Board.

Contractor Boulger wrote to state that
he had Mr. Ramsay's certificate of the completion
of fences at Brownbog cottage plot to his
satisfaction. He (Boulger) had now inspected the
fences & found them just as they were when
passed by the Engineer last October. There was
not one word of truth in the statement made
by Mr. Gillespie, and he enclosed 7s of his
^{expenses} in going to Brownbog on 11th inst.
The Board made no order on the
letter.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 22nd
day of January 1894.

(Signed)

J. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 50398/17/0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16 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 data	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm 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	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	887	114												
Temporary Buildings ..														
Additional Workhouse ..														
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	1												
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	937	115												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			19	35	28	25	3	4	8	20	142	50	13	
Admitted during the Week			8	8	5			1	3	1	26	1	1	
TOTAL,			27	43	33	25	3	8	8	1	168	51	14	
Discharged during the Week			13	4			1	1	3	1	26			
Died														
Total Discharged and Dead			13	4			1	1	3	1	26			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	36	33	25	2	4	8	20	142			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16 day of January 1894, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	42	100					Bt. forward						
No. II.	51	63					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forw.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 22nd day of January 1894.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Edward Byrne Esq. D.D.C.

Other Guardians:—

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

Messrs: L. Montfort Esq., Robt. Taylor Esq., William Spears, Maurice Roche, Tho. Dowling, Curce Butler, Patrick Byrne, E. J. Byrne, Mr. Hopkins, Mich. Toole and A. D. Symes

Next Meeting to be held on FRIDAY, the 22nd day of January 1894.

Signed,

Essential Sanitary Officer.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 22 : 4 : 4
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 25 : - : 9
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary - £ 3 : 6

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - £ 3 : 9

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:—

250, 4 lb. loaves Bread
18 fallows Buttermilk
140 Sweetmilk
35 lb. Butter
16 Dozen Eggs
8 cwt Sugar
200 lb. Beef & Mutton
20 " Boneless Beef
4 cwt Oatmeal
2 " Indian Meal
60 yards Bengal Stripe
12 Dozn. lb. Candles
2 Pieces linen
1 Piece Flannel
12 lb. Thread

1 Piece Calico
2 Pieces lining Calico

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 16 day of January 1894, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£ 11.	s. 9.	d. 3
In Kind ...			
Total ...	£ 11.	s. 9.	d. 3

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

82	Edward Boulger on a/c Brown's cottage	12	.	.
"	Ditto " Clonmore "	16	.	.
"	Ditto " Constablehill "	12	.	.
83	Hugh Gofan " Ballykilduff "	15	.	.
"	Ditto " Blackhill "	35	.	.
84	J. J. Brady Registration fees	2	9	.
85	R. J. Whelan "	1	19	6
"	John Bolster "	1	5	6
"	John Kelly Kent Coolalaw cottage	1	8	5

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

"Three women, Mary Byrne (Saunders) Kate Darcy, and Julia Kealy of the nursery are constantly quarrelling and I trust the Board will investigate the matter."

The inmates mentioned were called before the Board, interrogated, and cautioned as to their future conduct, and Mary Byrne - whom the guardians considered the instigator - was informed that she would be prosecuted if again reported.

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, in the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

No. 5-M

15 Jan'y 1894

Read circular letter from the Local Govt. Board to state that much inconvenience had been caused in the conduct of correspondence between that Department and Boards of Guardians by the omission of some clerks of Unions to forward to the Board the minutes of Guardians' proceedings in due time; and to request that, in future, the minutes of each meeting of Guardians might, without fail, be forwarded to that Department on the day following that upon which the meeting takes place.

A post card was read from Lord Montagu notifying that the ^{all^d meeting of the} Workhouse conference would be held on 28th January inst and to ask that the Board of Guardians

would depute one or more representatives to attend on their behalf.

The Board made no order thereon.

The clerk was instructed to invite tenders for the usual quarterly supply of provisions to the Workhouse for consideration on 14th proximo.

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Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and
Dispensary Houses Act.

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at
a Meeting held on Friday the 22nd day of January 1874.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Edward Byrne Esq. &c. &c.
The Hon^{ble} H. D. Borcawen D.L.
Messrs. Louis Montfort &c., Robert Taylor &c., William Sprares,
Maurice Roche, Thomas Dowling, Pierce Butler,
Patrick Byrne, Edward J. Byrne, William Hopkins,
Michael Toole and A. D. Symes.

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

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the

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

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

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 ... 21

Ditto disallowed ...

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

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... 125

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ... 3

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

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

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

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 Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District

in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 18____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18____.

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

[This 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 vacancy 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 30 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).

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority,
under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 29th
day of January 1894.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Edward Byrne Esq. M.P.C.

Other Members:—

The Hon^{ble} A.H.D. Boreawen D.L.

Mess^{rs} Louis Montfort M.P., R. Taylor M.P., W^m Speares,
Maurice Roche, Thomas Dowling, Pierce Butler, Cath. Byrne,
E. J. Byrne, Mr. Hopkins, Michael Toole and A. D. Symes.

16th Jan'y. 1894
The Solicitor to the Board of Works wrote
forwarding four engrossed Deeds of Mortgage for
a loan of £842 to the Guardians to enable them
to carry out Improvement Schemes authorized by the
Shillelagh Labourers Order of 1891 which he requested
might be perfected by the Board.

It was moved by Mr. Speares seconded by
the Hon^{ble} A.H.D. Boreawen D.L. and resolved:— "that
our Corporate Seal be affixed to the four Deeds of
Mortgage of this date now read, whereby security is given
to the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland for the
repayment of the sum of Eight Hundred and forty two
Pounds, proposed to be advanced by them to us under
"the Labourers' (Ireland) Acts 1883-1892."

The Deeds were then signed by the Chairman
and two Guardians and countersigned by the clerk.

Mr. Speares proposed Mr. R. Taylor M.P. seconded
and

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

FRIDAY,

the

29th

day of

January

1894.

(Signed)

Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

and it was resolved:— That inasmuch as this Board does not immediately require from the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland the total amount of the sums mentioned in the four deeds of mortgage to them this day executed by this Board, but prefer to receive the same by instalments as occasion may require it is resolved that the requisitions for each advance shall be intimated to said Commissioners by the Chairman of this Board for the time being, countersigned by the Clerk of the Union. And that each such requisition shall be forwarded to the accountant of the said Commissioners and that all such advances shall be lodged to our account as the guardians of the Poor in the Corey Branch of the National Bank.

A Requisition for the first instalment, £175. of the loan was signed by the chairman and directed to be forwarded to the accountant of the Board of Works.

19th Jan'y 1894

A communication was read from the Secretary to the Board of Works to acquaint the guardians that the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury had sanctioned a loan of £640 to them for the purpose of carrying out Improvements authorized by the Labourers Order of 1876. The loan to be repaid in fifty years with interest at 3½ per cent per annum. A Receivable order for £1.4.0 was therewith enclosed to meet expenses.

Payment of the amount was ordered.

Mr. Ramsay, architect, wrote stating that Ballykilduff Constabulary & Mount of (new cottages) were ready for occupation: the old fence of the latter plot was in need of facing up at Gillespie's (occupier's) side & he believed the Board

had no authority to enter upon Gillespie's land to do this work. A part of Constabulary fence had slipped down to the pipe, the subsoil having turned out unstable (being a mixture of sand & clay). The fence was very well made, so it was not the contractor's fault. He (Mr Ramsay) suggested that a wire fence be put up.

The Board decided to refer the question of the fencing of the two plots mentioned to the Guardians of the Electoral Division and to ask them to give their opinion thereon.

It was unanimously resolved that Doctors Brady, Whelan, and Bolster—Medical Officers of Health—be allowed £2-2-0 and 5/- expenses each, for their services in attending and giving evidence at the local Inquiry under Labourers Acts, held at the Workhouse on the 4th of July last, to which the sanction of the local Government Board is desired.

Mr. Dowling proposed and Mr. E. J. Byrne seconded that Peter Cahane be accepted as tenant of new cottage at Ballykilduff Upper at the monthly rent of 5/-.

An amendment was moved by Mr. Butler and seconded by Mr. Michael Toole—that Michael Abbey be selected as tenant of the cottage.

A poll was taken when 5 guardians voted for Abbey and 4 for Cahane, who was accordingly declared accepted.

On the motion of Mr. Spares it was ordered that three representations for Labourers cottages, recently received, be considered on the 14th proximo.

Mr. Ramsay C.B. having certified that the sums of £40 and £50 were due to Messrs. Boulger & Hogan, respectively, on the 23rd day of January 1894, for erection of labourers cottages, payment of the amounts was ordered.

Next Meeting to be held on FRIDAY, the 29 day of January 1894.

Signed,

Executive Sanitary Officer.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £50398.19.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 23 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 2 and under 9 years of age	Children 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	881	139												
Temporary Buildings ..														
Additional Workhouse ..	50	3												
Permanent Fever Hospital														
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	931	142												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			14	36	33	25	2	4	5	20	142	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary	49	In separate Wards
Admitted during the Week			14	3	1	1				1	21	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other inmates
TOTAL			28	39	34	26	2	8	5	21	163	TOTAL	52	TOTAL
Discharged during the Week - Died			15	3	1			1		1	21			
Total Discharged and Dead			15	3	1			1		1	21			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			13	36	33	26	2	4	5	20	142			
												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
												Males	Females	Children under 15
												No. Relieved during week	14	2
												No. in Workhouse at date	6	1
												No. at corresponding period last year, 159		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23 day of January 1894 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	42	100					Bt. forward						
No. II.	51	63					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday

the 29 day of January 1894.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Frank Brooke Esq. D.C.

Other Guardians:—

The Hon. A.H. D. Borcawen Esq.

Major Hewton Esq., Messrs. Michl. Byrne Esq., William Speares, J. Byrne, Nicholas O'Boole, and W. Molahan, J. Karanagh, P. Byrne, Michael Toole, A. D. Symes and John O'Sullivan.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 45 to No. 94 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. 4 to No. 4, 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 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:—

[illegible]

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 26 : 2 : 5
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 25 : 11 : 8
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary - £ 3 : 6

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - £ 3 : 9

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:—

250. 4 lb. Hooves Bread
18 fallows Buttermilk
140 Sweetmilk
35 lb. Butter
18 Dozen Eggs
200 lb. Beef
20 Dozers Beef
1 chest Tea
15,000 Shoe nails
5,000 Steel Do.
Drugs for Workho. (Medical Officer.) Hospitals

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 23 day of January 1894 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	...	...	...	...	...	£ 11 : 4 : 9
In Kind ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	£ 11 : 4 : 9

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

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

2. Establishment Account.

86 Royal Bank for Stewart Instr., Maint. Hennessy	6	10	=
pay Dr. J. P. Brady Kenner Labr acts	2	4	=
" Dr. L. Y. Whelan	2	4	=
" Dr. John Bobster	2	4	=
" National Eye & Ear Infy. Maint. Dylaud	1	14	8
" Boardg Works Exp-hoan h. d.	1	11	=
for Dr. Cooney			

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

2 s. d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

R.D. Ellis applied for and obtained leave of absence on Friday next - R.D. O'Gole to do his duty.

On the application of Thomas Hickup,
Workhouse Shoemaker the Board granted him three
days leave of absence.

A Schoolboy named Daniel Keogh was allowed an outfit of clothing on leaving the Workhouse to go to service with Mr. James Keogh of Drumderry.

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

I beg to inform the Board that Mr Brooke, on Tuesday last, left L^o. the gift of Paul Fitzwilliam, with the notation for Mary Blayney who is emigrating to America.

"The contractor, James Gray, while taking down chimney stack was obliged to break the cap stone and wall, with the approval of the Board, put on a concrete cap instead."

The Board approved.

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

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

no. 2620

28th Jan'y 1894

Read letter from the Local Govt. Board to state they had received the abstracts of Rate collected and lodged to the credit of the Union for the period ended the 16th inst. from which it appeared that although nearly one half of the time allowed for the completion of the collection had then expired the lodgments amounted to less than one fourth of the total included in the collectors warrants.

In view of the fact that there was a balance of £691 against the Union at foot of the Treasurers Ac. the Local Govt. Board had to request that the Guardians would be so good as to direct the collectors to proceed with increased activity in the discharge of their duties.

It was ordered that a copy of the communication be forwarded to each collector.

25 Jan'y 94

James W. Drury Esq. Local Govt. Board Auditor, wrote notifying that he would attend on Thursday the 4th proximo at 10.30 O'Clock am. to audit the Ac. of the Union for the last half-year.

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 20

Ditto disallowed 2

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 2

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 123

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 6

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 6

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

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Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 29 day of January 1897.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Frank Brooke Esq. M.B. & C.

The Hon^{ble} A. L. D. Boreawen Esq.

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

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the

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

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

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

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

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 18____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18____.

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

[This 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 vacancy 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 30 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).

Board of Guardians would consent, pursuant to the provisions of section 2 of the Public Health (I) Act, 1876, to contribute to the expenses of fencing the Burial grounds at Knockloe and Ardoyne, the bodies of persons from these District being frequently interred in these graveyards.

The Board agreed to pay James De Courcy, plumber, the sum of $12\frac{1}{6}$ for repairing five fountains at Carnew waterworks.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 5th
day of February 1894.

(Signed)

D. P. R. R.
Clerk of the Union.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 27th day of January 1894.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Frank Brooke Esq. M.P. D.L. &c.

Other Members:—

The Honble. N. L. D. MacCawen D.L.

Major Hewton M.P., Messrs. Michael Byrne M.P., Mr. Spears, J. Byrne, Nicholas O'Keefe, And. Molahan, J. Kavanagh, P. J. Byrne, Michael O'Keefe, A. D. Symes and John O'Sullivan.

No. 2954

28th January '94

The local for^t Board wrote to acknowledge the receipt of the returns (A & B) relative to the cottages in course of erection by the Board of Guardians in pursuance of the Improvement Schemes under the Labourers Acts authorised by Provisional Order dated 24th October, 1894, and to state that, pending an inspection of the works executed, the Board would recommend the Commissioners of Public Works to issue to the Guardians (on their making the necessary application therefor) the 2nd and 3rd instalments of the loans granted for the purposes of the Schemes.

Requisitions for the amounts of the two instalments were signed by the chairman and clerk.

No. 3214

28th Jan'y 1894

With reference to the minutes of Proceedings of

of the guardians on the 22nd inst. the Local Govt. Board wrote to express their sanction to the proposed payment of a sum of £2.2.0 (together with 3% expenses) each to Doctors Brady, Whelan, and Bolster as remuneration for attending and giving evidence at the Local Inquiry into the Guardians Improvement Schemes under the Labourers Acts.

no 946

26th Jan'y 94

The accountant to the Board of Works acknowledged the receipt of the application of the Guardians for £175 the 1st instalment on account of a loan of £872 which he stated would receive attention.

28 Jan'y 1894

Mr. Moody, collector of cottage rents, reported that Michael Kehoe, tenant of Ballyedmond cottage, left on 25th inst. having paid rent up to 1st Jan'y 94.

The question of selecting a tenant for the cottage was deferred for a week.

Writing with reference to the fences at Brownbog & Constablehill cottage plots Messrs O'Keefe & Hyams (Ch. Esq.) stated that it appeared somewhat strange that the Contractor was not leable to make the whole fence round the Brownbog plot, and it was not treating the occupier fair to leave it as it was, & the fence at Constablehill plot was badly made.

It was directed that the letter be forwarded to the Engineer & be requested to call on the Contractor to carry out the terms of the specification relative to those fences: the guardians of the Division to interview Mr. Gillespie as to permitting them to fence his side of Brownbog plot.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 50,398 14 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20 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 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	887	146													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Additional Workhouse ..															
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	1													
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL	937	147													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			13	36	33	26	2	4	5		20	142	52	13	
Admitted during the Week			13	5	3	2					1	34	1		
TOTAL			26	41	36	28	2	4	5		21	166	53	13	
Discharged during the Week			11	5		2					1	19			
Died															
Total Discharged and Dead			11	5		2					1	19			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	36	36	26	2	4	5		20	144			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20 day of January 1894, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	43	103					Bk. forward						
No. II.	53	66					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. fwd.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 5th day of February 1894.

PRESENT: In the Chair—Edward Byrne Esq. J.P. &c.

Other Guardians:—

The Hon^{ble} H.H. D. Roscawen D.R.
Messrs Wm. Speares, Jore A. Tomkins, Edward J. Byrne
and Abraham D. Symes.

Next Meeting to be held on FRIDAY, the 5th day of February 1894.

Signed,

J. J. O'Riordan
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 30 : s. 0 : d. 6
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 26 : s. 8 : d. 1
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - £ 3 : s. 2 : d. 0

Average Cost in Infirmary - £ 2 : s. 6 : d. 0

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - £ 2 : s. 9 : d. 0

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:—

260 lb. Hoaves Bread
18 fallons Buttermilk
14 lb. Sweetmilk
35 lb. Butter
20 dozen Eggs
200 lbs. Beef
25 " Boneless Beef
4 cwt. Soap

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

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

The 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 10 day of January 1894 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£ 11 : s. 14 : d. 9
In Kind ...	
Total ...	£ 11 : s. 14 : d. 9

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
88	Eliza McFurk	meat	11	4	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

89	Michael O'Loole	on ap	30	-	-
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Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

Patrick Doyle, Inmate, was allowed an exchange of a pair of Boots on leaving the Workhouse.

The Master was authorized to have alterations made to desk in Clerk's office.

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

"A load of lime is required for hime-washing purposes" - approved.

"The Infirmary ambulance requires general overhauling" - ordered to be repaired.

"A new plough is required for Workhouse farm."

It was ordered that a new plough be purchased and the old one disposed of.

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

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

no. 151

The Local Govt Board wrote to call the Clerk's attention to the fact that the return of persons of unsound mind in the Workhouse on the 31st ultimo, applied for by the Board's letter of the 4th inst. had not yet been received and requested that same would be forwarded forthwith.

no. 48943

With reference to the minutes of Guardians on the 4th Decem^r last the Local Govt Board requested to be informed whether the Guardians had yet carried out all the suggestions made by the Board's Inspector, Mr. Bourke, in his last Half-yearly Report on the Union.

20th Jan^y 97

2nd Feb^y 1897

The Guardians decided that the L.G. Board be informed that they considered a mangle washing machine was not required in Laundry as the washing of the clothing only afforded employment for the able-bodied women, the suggestion as to coloring of walls in Infirmary wards would be attended to. The question of the appointment of a night nurse they decided to defer for a week; all the other recommendations of the Inspector had been carried out.

Copy of a resolution adopted by the Athlone Board of Guardians recommending the Government to bring in a bill to extend the provisions of the Agricultural Rating Act of last Session to Ireland, was read, and the Clerk was requested to procure a copy of the Act referred to.

The Clerk reported that James W. Drury Esq. Local Govt Board auditor, attended at the Board room on 4th Feb^y inst. and audited the accounts of the Union for the 1896 year ended 29 Sept. last, and had surcharged a sum of £16/9 to Dr. Whelan, with reference to which he had written as follows:— "I am unable to pass the amount of £16/9 paid to James P. Kealy on account of rent of stable for the Med. Officer of Hacketstown Dispensary. It practically amounts to increase of salary and is quite irregular paid in this way. I disallow the sum & surcharge it to and certify it to be due by the Medical Officer Dr. H. J. Whelan."

In the clothing a/c the following entry was made by Mr. Drury:— "There appears to be an account due to Mr. Warr, Clothing Contractor Ennabally, for goods supplied previous to 29 Sept. which is not included in above & is not yet paid. He should be required to furnish his a/c without further delay. The amount should have been included in the unpaid bills account so as to enable the items to be properly brought to charge."

Mr. Drury also drew attention to the fact that none

of the Rate Collectors Bonds were registered in Court, and that the Master required a new Surety.

The Board directed that the clerk request Mr. New to furnish his o/c forthwith, and that the Master submit a Surety instead of Mr. Wm. Frandy. The Guardians also ordered that the collectors Bonds be registered in Court.

Abstracts of the accounts were signed by the Chairman and fifty copies directed to be printed.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	...	24
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	4
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	0
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	126
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	...	...	...	1
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	...	...	...	0

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).

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Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 5 day of February 1894.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Edward Byrne Esq. R. D. O'Connell

The Hon^{ble} H. H. D. Borcauven Esq.

Messrs. Wm. Speares, J. A. Tomkins, E. J. Byrne and

A. D. Symes.

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

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the

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

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

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 Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District

in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 18____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18____.

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

[This 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 vacancy 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 30 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).

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority,
under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 24th
day of February 1894.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Members:—

Edward Byrne Esq. B.V.C.
The Hon^{ble} H. L. D. Boreawen Esq.
Messrs William Spears, F. C. Tomkins, E. J. Byrne
and Abraham D. Symes.

no. 2954 2nd Feby. 1894
Read letter from the Local Govt.
Board adverting to the loans amounting to
£842 granted to the Board of Guardians for
the purposes of the Improvement Schemes under
the Labourers Acts authorised by Provisional
order dated 24 October, 1891, and to request that
they might be furnished with the particulars
indicated by the headings of a form which was
enclosed.

It was directed that the architect be
requested to furnish the Returns.

2nd Feby. 94.
The accountant to the Board of Works
wrote to acknowledge receipt of the Guardians application
for £480. the 2nd and 3rd instalments on account of
a loan of £842. which he stated would receive
attention.

3rd Feby. 1894
W. Ramsay Esq. writing in reference to

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 12th
day of February 1894.

(Signed)

D. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

the fences at Brownhof and Constablehill cottage plots stated that he had no authority to tell Boulger to go on Mr. Gillespie's land to repair his side of the old fence, although he would have done so without thinking twice about it, had Gillespie not been so pugnacious about the new fence. He (Mr. Ramsay) had written Boulger to complete the old fence and quit it as soon as Gillespie's permission was obtained.

A Representation for the erection of a Labourers cottage was secured from the Electoral Division of Cronela.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 50398.14.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 6 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	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	887	144										TOTAL		
Temporary Buildings ..														
Additional Workhouse ..	50	2												
Permanent Fever Hospital														
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	937	146												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			15	36	36	26	2	4	12	8	8	144	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward: 53	In separate Wards In Workhouse with other inmates: 13
Admitted during the Week			14	5			1		3	1	3	24	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital: 2	TOTAL: 13
TOTAL,			29	41	36	26	3	4	15	9	11	168		
Discharged during the Week			13	4			2		2	1	3	25		
Died														
Total Discharged and Dead			13	4			2		2	1	3	25	No. Relieved during week: 14	3
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	34	36	26	1	4	13	8	8	140	No. in Work-house at date: 2	1
													No. at corresponding period last year, 156	

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6 day of February 1894 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	4 1/4	10 1/4					Et. forward						
No. II.	53	66					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday
the 12th day of February 1894

PRESENT: In the Chair— 6 Penns and 89. Asst. Frank Brooke and Dr. VC

Other Guardians:— The Honble. Mr. D. Borawen Esq. Mayor

James H. Kerr Esq. Andrew Molahan, Wm. Speares, Maurice Roche
Thomas Dowling, James Byrne, Nicholas O'Loole, John Lyons,
Patrick Byrne, E. Byrne, Michael Oole, Joseph Hopkiss and
Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting to be held on FRIDAY, the 12th day of February, 1894

Signed, [Signature]
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 14 : 6 : 10
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 25 : 14 : 11
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary - £ 3 : 6

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - £ 3 : 9

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:—

240 4 lb. Loaves Bread also medical appliances
18 gallons Buttermilk for Northam Hospitals.
14 1/2 " Sweetmilk
35 lbs Butter
20 Dozen Eggs
200 lbs Beef
25 " Boneless Beef
2 cwt oatmeal
10 Dozen Lins (Quart)
5 " " (Quart)

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 6 day of February 1897, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	...	...	...	...	...	£ 11 : 14 : 0
In Kind ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	£ 11 : 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.	By Order on Contractors Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Carried forward,					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

		£	s.	d.
99	Matthew Murray Shoehairs	2	14	2

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

2. Establishment Account.

90	Thomas Hinchaw & Co Ventilators	3	19	3
91	Edmundsons Furnishing & Eng. Co Chairs	4	18	
92	Pat Murphy Plough & Co	4	11	8
93	Thos. D. Lawrenson Tent	20	10	
94	John M. Walsh advertising	16	9	4
95	James Gray Rebuilding Chimney Stacks	16		

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

8. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

96 Robert Ellis on a/c

30 = 2

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

On the application of the Workhouse Medical officer the Board ordered that the following articles be procured from the Contractors viz:— 1 yard waterproof, 1 largest size Ice Bag and 1 Petits tourniquet.

A girl named Hannah Dempsey was admitted to the Workhouse for her confinement. She stated that the father of the child was a labourer named John Rawlor of Ballykilduff.

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

"Four foot mats are required: also a carpet and a few yards of oilcloth for Master's Room." Ordered - To be procured.

They to inform the Board that an inmate named Mary Curry complained of another inmate using abusive language to her during the past week and as they assaulted each other on several occasions I would be glad if the Board would investigate the matter."

The inmates in question were called before the Board and severely reprimanded, and the master was requested to report in a fortnight how they conducted themselves in the meantime.

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

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

The Board had under consideration the question of appointing a night nurse for the Workhouse Infirmary when after some discussion it was moved by Mr. Spears seconded by Mr. Dowling and passed unanimously:— "That this Board after careful consideration and of opinion that under present circumstances it is not necessary to appoint a night nurse as in all cases requiring constant attention the Medical Officer has the instructions of this Board to employ the services of a qualified nurse forthwith, but should occasion arise this Board are quite prepared to reconsider the matter."

The Guardians pursuant to advertisement next proceeded to consider tenders for the usual supply of Provisions to the Workhouse for three months from 14th inst. when the following, being the lowest, were unanimously accepted viz:—

Thomas Kenny	best White Bread	@	7 ¹ / ₄ ¹ / ₂ per 4 lb. loaf
ditto	Butter Eggs	@	7 ¹ / ₈ per Dozen
Eliza M. J. J. R.	Beef & Mutton	@	7 ¹ / ₄ ¹ / ₂ per lb.
ditto	Beef without bone or fat.	@	7 ¹ / ₆ "
Joseph Swamley	Oatmeal	@	9 ¹ / ₆ per cwt.
ditto	Indian Meal	@	4 ¹ / ₄ ¹ / ₂ "
Mary Murphy	Dish Bacon	@	7 ¹ / ₄ per lb.
Robert Shepherd	Butter	@	7 ¹ / ₁₀ "

It was resolved to pay James Gray the sum of £16 amount of his contract for taking down and re-building 2 Chimney Stacks at Workhouse.

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Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and
Dispensary Houses Act.

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at
a Meeting held on Friday the 12th day of February 1894.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

The Hon^{ble} A. H. D. Boscawen D. L.
Messrs J. H. Newell, A. Molahan, W. M. Spears,
Maurice Roche, Tho. Dowling, Jas. Byrne, Nicholas O'Keefe,
John Lyons, Pat^r Byrne, P. J. Byrne, Michael Toole,
Joseph Hopkiss and Abraham D. Symes.

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

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

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

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 21

Ditto disallowed 6

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 9

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 124

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

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

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

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):

Collatten & Clongall Dispensary District.

93 Account of Mr. W. Lawrence for Rent Amount, £ 6:0:0

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 18 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 18 .

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

[This 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 vacancy 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 30 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).

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority,
under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 12th
day of February 1894.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

E. Byrne Esq. M. P. Sub. H. Brooke Esq. B. & C.
Other Members:—The Honble A. H. D. Roscaire B. & C.

Messrs J. K. Kest B. & C. Andrew Molahan. William Spares,
Maurice Roche, Thos. Bowling, Jas. Byrne, Michael Gole,
John Lyons, Nicholas O'Gole, Patrick Byrne, D. J. Byrne,
Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

An order was received from the Board
of Works authorising the Bank of Ireland to pay
the guardians the sum of £600 for 1st, 2nd, and
3rd instalments of loan.

A communication was read from
Mr. John Byrne, occupier, calling attention to the
fences at Coolballintaggart Cottage plots, which he
stated were not properly made, & to notify that he
would hold the Board responsible for any
damages to his stock occasioned thereby.
No order was made on the letter.

The Board was convened to consider three
Representations for erection of labourers cottages
one from the Electoral Division of Aghowle and two
from Hacketstown D.D.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 19th
day of February 1894.

(Signed)

J. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

On the motion of Mr. Lyons it was decided to offer William Mulron (applicant for a cottage in the Hacketstown Division) the vacant house at Ballyedmond, and the consideration of the other two Representations was adjourned for a month.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 50,398 = 14 - 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th 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 5 and under 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	881	1124													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Additional Workhouse ..	50	2													
Permanent Fever Hospital															
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL	931	1149													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	34	36	26	1	4	13	8	8	149	53	13	
Admitted during the Week ..			10	6	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	23	2		
TOTAL			26	40	37	28	2	6	14	9	9	172	55	13	
Discharged during the Week -			11	4	3				1	1	1	23			
Died															
Total Discharged and Dead			11	4	3		1		1	1	1	23			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	36	34	28	1	6	13	8	8	149			
													No. at corresponding period last year, 149		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13th day of February 1894, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	44	103					Bt. forward						
No. II.	53	66					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwarded.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 19th day of February 1894.

PRESENT: In the Chair— William Spears Esq.
 Other Guardians:— The Hon. A. H. D. Boreawen D.L.
 Messrs Robert Taylor Esq., Patrick Byrne D.J. Byrne
 and Abraham D. Symes.

Next Meeting to be held on FRIDAY, the 19th day of February 1894.

Signed, *W. Spears*
 Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 143 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. 1 to No. 1 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 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 since 2nd Feb. 1844 £ 826. 4. 1

Paid during the same period £ 145. 19. 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 113. 14. 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ s. d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. 14 : 2 : 10

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - 26 : 4 : 2
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - : 3 : 2

Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - : 3 : 6

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - : 3 : 9

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:—

240. 4 lb. Hoares Bread
20 Dozen Eggs
18 gallons Buttermilk
14 1/2 " Sweetmilk
35 lb. Butter
200 " Beef
20 " Do. Bones
5 gallons Whiskey

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

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

The 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 13 day of February 1894, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money £ 11 - 16 - 3
In Kind
Total £ 11 - 16 - 3

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

98 Michael O'Brien Mis to 2 14 8
99 P.D. Leslie & Co Drugs 1 12 6
" Do " 3 3 8
" Do " 2 6 6
" Do " 3 4 4
" Do " 3 12 6
" Do " 4 11 6
100 Patrick R. Doan hime 18 -
" John Bolster hurracy fee 2 - -
" Joshua Mellis Co. cers habs cot. 14 1
101 James Doyle on 4/6 cont. col. repairs 10 - -
102 Thomas A. Mooney hats & hio. order 14 4 - 8

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£ s. d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

"The oats grown on Norkhouse farm is now cleaned and I beg to ask the Board for an order to sell."

ordered - To be sold at not less than 12/-
per Barrel.

Gentlemen, regret to have to inform you of the death of Dean Allison (which occurred on Friday night last) who was chaplain to the Workhouse during the past 25 years."

The Board directed that the Master secure the services of the Clergyman doing temporary duty at Shillbush to attend to the Chaplain's duty until a permanent appointment is made.

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

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

No. 2 M/94

16 Feb 94

The Local Government Board wrote to inform the Returning Officer that copies of the election of guardians (Form B.) had been forwarded that day.

Copies of resolutions adopted by the Kesh, Magherafelt, and Timony Board of guardians were received and marked read by the chairman

It was proposed by the Hon^{ble} H. D. Roscawen Esq. seconded by Mr. D. J. Byrne and passed unanimously:— That we the members of this Board have heard with deep regret of the death of Sean Ellison, who has been for the last 25 years one of the Chaplains of this Institution, and we beg to tender to Mr. Ellison and family our most sincere sympathy in their sad bereavement.

The Clerk drew attention to the fact that he had examined Collector Rehes Books on 9th Feb^y inst. when he ^{found the collector} had £1.5 on hands, which amt. he did not lodge until 14th inst. The collector had, however, written him stating that he had been ill and confined to bed which prevented him depositing the money sooner.

The Board directed that the collector be warned that serious notice would be taken in the event of a similar occurrence.

The Master submitted the name of Mr. John Lulong, Farmer, Ballynultagh, as a Supt. instead of Mr. William Prandy.

The Board accepted Mr. Lulong, & the Clerk subsequently presented the Bond duly executed.

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Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68). Vaccination Acts, and
Dispensary Houses Act.

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at
a Meeting held on Friday the 19th day of February 1894.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

William Spears Esq
The Hon^{ble} A. H. D. Borcawen Esq

Messrs Robert Taylor Esq, Patrick Byrne, E. J. Byrne,
and Abraham D. Symes.

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

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the

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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	...	...	35
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	...	124
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	...	...	...	...	124
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).

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):

Coollattin & Clonefall Dispensary District.

99 Account of Mr. P. A. Leslie & Co for Drugs Amount, £10 - 5 - 11

" " Do. " " 4 - 16 - 11

" " Do. " " 6 - 12 - 5

Hacketstown Drury Dist.

99 P. A. Leslie & Co " " 8 - 1 - 1

" Do. " " 4 - 8 - 4

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District

in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 18____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18____.

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

[This 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 vacancy 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 30 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).

returned him when executed.

It was resolved that a cheque for the sum of £15 be drawn in favor of Mr. Hill as compensation for the right agreed to be conveyed.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 26th
day of February 1894.

(Signed)

J. P. P. R. S.
Clerk of the Union.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 19th day of February 1894.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Members:—

William Speares Esq
The Honble. H. H. D. Boscawen Esq.
Messrs Robert Taylor Esq. Patrick Byrne. E. J. Byrne
and Abraham D. Symes.

No. 14 M. Misc.

15th Feb. 1894

The local Govt. Board wrote to draw attention to the provisional order obtained by the Guardians under the Labourers Acts on the 28th of Sept. 96 and to state that the Board had made payments amounting to £14.4.0 in relation thereto, which they requested might be refunded.

A cheque for the amount was ordered to be drawn.

No. 1756 Misc.

18th Feb. 94

A peculiar letter was read from the L.G. Board forwarding copies of tables by means of which the amount of principal & interest outstanding at any time on foot of loans obtained on the terms now in force might be ascertained.

Mr. Ramsay Esq. wrote to say that there were some defects in Brownhof cottage but the contractor had promised to remedy them.

Two letters were read from Mr. Brown, Solicitor, with reference to the title of the landlord (Lord Courtown) of Clonmore cottage plot. He (Mr. Brown) had objected to the title furnished and Lord Courtown's Solicitors had now promised to furnish an amended title.

On the certificate of Mr. Ramsay the guardians agreed to pay James Doyle £10 on acc of his contract for repairs to five cottages in Clonmore P.D.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 50,398. 14. 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th 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 5 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 9 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			881		149																
Temporary Buildings ..																					
Additional Workhouse ..																					
Permanent Fever Hospital			80		1																
Fever Sheds																					
TOTAL			931		150																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			15		36		34	28	1	6	13	8	8	149			Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	60	In separate Wards	13	
Admitted during the Week			18		4			2		1	2	1	3	34			Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other inmates	0	
TOTAL			33		43		34	30	1	7	15	9	11	183			TOTAL	61	TOTAL	13	
Discharged during the Week			16		4		2			1	3	1	3	33			NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died																	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead			16		4		2			1	3	1	3	33			No. Relieved during week	18	5	6	29
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			17		36		32	30	1	6	12	8	8	150			No. in Workhouse at date	14	1	1	6
																	No. at corresponding period last year, 143				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20th day of February 1894 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	44	103					Bt. forward						
No. II.	53	66					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. fwd.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 26th day of February 1894.

PRESENT: In the Chair—Edward Byrne Esq. &c. &c.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. Richd. James, Wm. Spears, Maurice Roche, Tho. Bowling, G. A. Tomkins, P. Byrne, P. Byrne, A. D. Symes and John O. Sullivan.

Next Meeting to be held on FRIDAY, the 26th day of February 1894.

Signed,

Executive Sanitary Officer.