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ELECTION OF GUARDIANS.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD, DUBLIN,
12*th January*, 1894.

SIR,

1. The Local Government Board for Ireland desire to call your attention to the General Order dated the 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 dated the 16th of that month.

2. That Order rescinds the Order of the 26th January, 1852, as well as all previous Orders, except such portions thereof as may have appointed the Clerk for the time being to be the Returning Officer and may not have been rescinded by any subsequent Order, and except such portions thereof as may have fixed the value of the Qualification for the Office of Guardian and may not have been rescinded or altered by any subsequent Order. Under Article 1 of the Order of the 2nd January, 1863, the Clerk for the time being (except in cases where the Order appointing the Clerk may have been rescinded) will continue to be the Returning Officer, and the same Article, it will be seen, provides for the performance of the duties of Returning Officer in case of Vacancy in the Office of Clerk, or in case of the Clerk being prevented by sickness or accident, or other sufficient cause, from the performance of his duties, the Guardians being empowered, in either of those events, to appoint some person to perform such of the duties imposed by the Order upon the Returning Officer as shall then remain to be performed.

You will be so good as to read carefully and attend to the following observations :—

COLLECTORS.

3. Under Articles 3, 12, 14, 22, and 34, of the General Order the Collectors of Poor Rate in the Union are to assist the Returning Officer as heretofore in the Election, at the times and for the purposes therein indicated. These Regulations impose no fresh duties on the Collectors, but it will be proper for you to call the attention of each of them to those Regulations before the next Election takes place.

DISTRIBUTION AND COLLECTION OF VOTING PAPERS.

4. The Police who may be employed, as heretofore, in posting the Notices of the Election and in distributing and collecting Voting Papers will receive their instructions from their own superior Officers, but in case their services in any instance should not be available in sufficient number for the latter duty the Returning Officer should take care to furnish any other persons who may be employed by him, in pursuance of Article 2 of the General Order, for the distribution and collection of the Voting Papers with proper lists and instructions for their guidance, in accordance with Articles 18, 19, 21, 23, 24, and 28, of the Order.

5. Where it has happened in previous Elections that the assistance of the Police has not been available, or has not been available to sufficient extent, for the distribution and collection of Voting Papers within the prescribed period, applications have, in some instances, been received for sanction to the employment of the Collectors of Poor Rates and of Relieving Officers in this service where it may be necessary to issue Voting Papers. It is desirable that, where practicable, this duty should be performed by responsible officers; and as it will, according to the regulations, occupy only two or at most four days, and will therefore not cause any materjal interruption of the ordinary duties of the Union Officers referred to, the Local Government Board are prepared to sanction their being employed to assist in performing the duty in question, provided the Board of Guardians permit them to be so employed, for which permission it will be your duty, where necessary, to apply. If the services of the Police and Union Officers should not be available or sufficient, you will have to employ other trustworthy persons acquainted with the respective localities, as far as practicable, in accordance with the regulation contained in Article 2 of the General Order. But you will take care to ascertain whether you can obtain the services of the Police in sufficient number or not before you employ any other persons, and you will only resort to the employment of the Officers of the Union or other persons in case you cannot obtain the assistance of the Police in sufficient number.

PREPARATION OF LISTS OF VOTERS.

6. Should some additional assistance be necessary for enabling you, in case of contests, to prepare the requisite Lists of Voters and complete the proceedings in the Election at the times prescribed by the General Order, the Local Government Board will be prepared to sanction such assistance for so long as may be absolutely requisite, on receiving a communication from you setting forth the *circumstances which render the application necessary*, the *particular purposes* for which assistance is required, and the *extent* of assistance required.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION.

7. One of your first duties will be to issue the Notice of the Election, which is to be posted on the 26th of February. The Notice is to set forth the Names of the Electoral Divisions, the qualification and number of Guardians to be elected for each, with other particulars prescribed in the General Order. You should, in due time before the 26th February, give notice of application to the Constabulary for their assistance in posting the Notices, as heretofore, and you will afterwards forward the copies of the Notices to the proper Constabulary Stations. Due notice should likewise be given to the Constabulary when it becomes necessary to apply for their services in the distribution and collection of Voting Papers, apprising them of the probable extent of the duty to be performed.

DATES FOR VARIOUS PROCEEDINGS.

8. The following are the days upon which the several proceedings in the ensuing Election are to be taken, in pursuance of the Order:—

26th February—Issue of Notice of Election. (Art. 9.)

5th March—Last day for receiving Nomination Papers, which can be received up to 5 o'clock, p.m., on that day. (Art. 11.)

8th March—List of Candidates to be prepared and forwarded. (Arts. 15 and 16.)—List of Voters to be prepared in case of contest.

The last day for receiving Statements of Claim to Vote and Appointments of Proxies, (6 & 7 Vic., c. 92, § 24, and 25 & 26 Vic., c. 83, § 15)—so as to be available in this Election, will be the 21st February; and, in case of contests, the Lists of Rate-payers making Statements are to be made up to that day. (Art. 18.)

12th March—Application to be made to Constabulary for assistance in distributing Voting Papers, where necessary, which should afterwards be transmitted to them, with the List of Voters, in due time for distribution on the day prescribed for the purpose.

17th March—List of occupying Tenants who are entitled to Vote, having paid Rates required to be paid, is to be made up to this day (Art. 22.)

19th March—Day for issuing Voting Papers, and 20th of March, if needful. (Art. 21.)

21st March—Day for collecting Voting Papers, and following day, if necessary. (Art. 28.)

22nd March—Time for applying for Voting Papers where not duly received by persons entitled expires. (Art. 29, 30.)

24th March—Time for delivering to Returning Officer Voting Papers that may not have been duly collected expires. (Art. 31.)

26th March—Return of Guardians to be made, (Art. 35), or within 14 days after the 25th of March. (Art. 36.)

FORMS.

9. Previously to the commencement of the Election, you should procure the requisite supply of the Forms prescribed for use in the Election. With regard to the Notice of the Election (Form E,) the Board have thought it advisable to direct that the copies of that Notice should be printed and transmitted to you from this Office, as usual, and the same number of copies as was forwarded to you last year will accordingly be transmitted to you, in due time, for posting and distribution according to Article 9 of the General Order. If, however, you should be of opinion that the number of copies printed last year was greater or less than will be required for the present year, *you will be good enough to report the fact immediately, stating the number which you consider necessary.* In the absence of any communication from you before the 25th instant, the same number as was furnished last year will be provided.

10. With regard to the other Forms, steps should be taken in due time to provide a sufficient supply of those which may be required for carrying on the Election, as prescribed by the General Order. The Forms can be procured from Messrs. A. Thom & Co. (Limited), Abbey-street, Dublin, but should you employ any other Printer it will be necessary for you to compare the several Forms carefully with those prescribed in the General Order as you will be responsible for their accuracy, and it is advisable that you should ascertain and compare the prices at which they are procurable before you order them.

PLACARD.

11. A Placard containing a description of the Electoral Divisions in the Union as at present constituted, to be posted in case of contest, as heretofore, should be prepared, and a sufficient number of copies thereof, for posting, obtained when necessary, in like manner with the Voting Papers.

STATEMENTS OF CLAIMS TO VOTE, &c.

12. The Forms (A 1, A 2, B 1 and 2, C 1, and C 2 and 3,) for Statements of Claims to Vote, and Appointments of Proxies with their Applications, and the Statements of Corporations and Joint-Stock Companies, are to be supplied, free of charge, (on application made to you,) to any Persons, or Corporations, or Companies, respectively, who may require them for their own statements or applications. It would not be expedient to make a more general distribution of these Forms.

REGISTRY OF SUCH CLAIMS.

13. With regard to the Registry of such Statements and Appointments in the proper Books, (Forms D 1, 2, 3, 4, 5,) the Board request the special attention of the Clerk

and Returning Officer to Articles 4 and 5 of the General Order, and to the duties assigned to those officers in respect to the same under the provisions of the Statutes and under Articles 6 and 8 of the Order.

14. The provisions of the Acts relating to such Statements and Registers are contained in § 84 of 1 & 2 Vic., c. 56, as amended by § 24 of 6 & 7 Vic., c. 92, and § 15 of the 25 & 26 Vic., c. 83, to which your attention is requested, as well as to § 26 of the 6 & 7 Vic., c. 92. The 15th sec. of the 25 and 26 Vic., c. 83, sets forth the particulars required to be given in such Statements, which must be lodged one calendar month before the Owner or Immediate Lessor, or his Proxy, can vote as such; and the 84th sec. of the 1 & 2 Vic., c. 56, requires that the Guardians, or the person acting as Returning Officer, should register such Statements in the manner therein provided. If at any Election the Returning Officer have reasonable cause to doubt the correctness of a Claim to vote made by any person in respect of net rent, the Returning Officer is required by the 26th sec. of the 6 & 7 Vic., c. 92 not to admit such person to vote until he shall have produced evidence to the satisfaction of the Returning Officer of the amount of such rent.

15. Inconvenience and irregularity, it is believed, have occurred in some instances from the discovery, at the time of an Election, of errors or defects in the Registry prescribed, from omission of Statements, or from retaining on record the Statements of persons deceased, or from other causes, where the original Statements, owing to changes of Officers or other circumstances, are not themselves forthcoming, and the Board request that you will at once see whether the Forms of Register have been duly entered up, and that you will duly enter therein all the new Statements and Appointments which you may have received, or may receive, before the time of the Election, so that they may be perfected before the approaching Election takes place. Care should also be taken to revise the entries in the Registers with a view to their proper correction where the original Claimants have died, or other changes affecting the validity or continuance of the claims have taken place.

16. The Local Government Board take this opportunity to observe that although an Owner or Proxy is not entitled to vote until one calendar month after he shall have made the prescribed statement or appointment, it is not necessary that he should make or renew such statement, &c., a month before *each* Election, as they continue in force for five years from the date on which they have been given, provided the persons remain in possession of the interests described therein, and provided, in the case of a Proxy, that the appointment is not sooner revoked, or that the Owner does not himself resume the exercise of his right to vote, or that neither of the persons dies.

17. Any such statements, &c., should be duly preserved, and, in case there be reason to believe that any that may have been already lodged have not been handed over to you by any previous Officer, or not registered, you should make inquiry of such Officer, or otherwise endeavour to obtain them, and forthwith see that they be recorded in the proper form of Register Book, and that the directions in the above-mentioned Articles of the Election Order be duly complied with.

DELIVERY OF VOTING PAPERS.

18. The Returning Officer is not bound, under Article 23 of the Election Regulations, to cause any Voting Papers to be delivered out of the Electoral Division or Ward for which it may be necessary to issue Voting Papers; and if the places named for the reception of Voting Papers, by the Owners or Proxies who have made Statements, be not in any case within the respective Divisions or Wards in which the properties are situate, you should immediately communicate with such persons, and request them to name a place within the Division or Ward, and point out to them that otherwise they can only vote in the manner provided in Article 29 of the Election Regulations; and you should apprise the persons concerned as above of the substance of the Regulation contained in that Article.

MARKING VOTING PAPERS.

19. A practice appears to have been adopted by the Returning Officer, in some instances, of marking on each of the Voting Papers, in addition to the *number* directed by Article 19 of the Election Regulations, the *name* of the person for whom it is issued, or his name and address; and in the case of a Proxy, the name of the Proxy, as well as that of the person for whom he is Proxy. The Board think it right to point out that the Returning Officer is not required by the Regulations to endorse the name of any person on the Voting Paper, and the practice has been found in some instances to lead to error. It seems advisable, therefore, that the Returning Officer should not, in this respect, do more than he is required to do by the 19th Article of the Election Order, viz.:—to prepare Lists containing the number of each paper and the name of the place at which it is to be left, and to endorse each paper with its proper number corresponding to that in the List.

RETURNING OFFICER'S DUTIES GENERALLY.

20. The Returning Officer should take care to make himself well acquainted with the Regulations contained in the General Order, before the Election commences. With a view to general convenience and economy, the business of the Election is to be transacted, as far as

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possible, at the Board-room of the Guardians, and within the hours of ten and five o'clock in the day. The Returning Officer is to attend daily (except on Sundays,) at the place appointed, from the date for the issue of the Notice to the last day for receiving Nomination Papers, inclusive, to afford information to persons requiring it; and likewise during the period from the first day for the collection of Voting Papers until the Examination of the Votes and the Return of the Guardians elected shall have been completed, (see Articles 29, 30, 31, 34, 35, and 36;) and also at all such other times, during the progress of the Election, as may be necessary for the due performance of his duties, as directed in Article 32. In reference to the examination and casting up of the Votes, (Article 34,) the Local Government Board are not prepared to deprive the Returning Officer of a discretion in regard to the admission or exclusion of strangers, inasmuch as the exercise of such a discretion may, on some occasions, be necessary to the proper discharge of his duty, but on the other hand the Board think that if the Returning Officer excludes from the examination of the Voting Papers for a particular Electoral Division either the Candidates for that Electoral Division or those who proposed them, or the Legal Advisers of the Candidates, he should be prepared to shew some urgent reason for a step which, generally speaking, would seem to be unnecessary and unreasonable; but the Board do not think it desirable that the privilege of being present during the examination of the votes should be extended to Rate-payers generally.

DUTIES OF CLERK OF UNION.

21. Your special attention is requested to your duties as Clerk of the Union under the Regulations contained in Articles 37 and 38 of the General Order. Under the former of those Articles you are, immediately on the Return of the new Election of Guardians being completed, to transmit to *each Member of the Board of Guardians for the previous year*, including Ex-Officio Guardians and out-going Guardians, as well as any who may be re-elected, a Notice in the Form L, apprising them of the Names of the several Guardians elected for the ensuing year. The object of this regulation being chiefly to obviate the inconvenience of any Guardian attending at any Meeting of the Board after his year of office has expired, you should take care that this Notice is transmitted without any delay, on the completion of the Return. Under Article 38, you are likewise to transmit to every Guardian *elected for the ensuing year*, whether previously a Guardian or not, a Notice in the form marked M in the General Order, and to every Guardian who may continue in Office, under the 24th section of the 25 and 26 Vic., c. 83, in consequence of no Nomination having been made for the Electoral Division, a Notice in the form marked N in that Order. Under the 20th section of the Irish Poor Relief Act, 1 & 2 Vic., c. 56, the Annual Election of the Guardians is to be completed on the 25th March, or if that day should fall on Sunday or Good Friday, then on the day next following, or within fourteen days next after such 25th day of March; and the section further declares that immediately upon the Election of the Guardians for the ensuing year, "the Guardians previously elected by the Rate-payers of any Union shall go out of office." You should therefore issue the Notices L, M, and N, according to the regulations, immediately on the return being made, so that the first meeting thereafter may consist of the members of the new Board, in accordance with the Act. The issue of these notices is not to be delayed until a meeting of the Board of Guardians shall have been held, but a certified copy of the return is to be laid before the Board at the first meeting after such return is made.

ACCOUNT OF EXPENSES.

22. Immediately on the close of the Election, an Account of the Expenses of the same is to be transmitted to the Local Government Board for examination and sanction, in a Form which will be forwarded to you for the purpose.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Thos. Morgan

Secretary.

To

The Clerk of the Shillelagh *Union.*

Returning Officer of the said Union.

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Shillelagh UNION. 1

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value,* £ 50376=17=0

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	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
Workhouse	881	141										
Temporary Buildings ..												
Additional Workhouse ..												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	2										
Fever Sheds												
TOTAL	931	143										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			20	33	31	26	8	6	4	7	6	141
Admitted during the Week -			14	5			1	1	2	1	2	26
TOTAL,			34	38	31	26	9	7	6	8	8	167
Discharged during the Week -			14	5	1			1	1	1	1	24
Died - - - - - -												
Total Discharged and Dead -			14	5	1			1	1	1	1	24
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			20	33	30	26	9	6	5	7	7	143

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	58	In separate Wards	13	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates	"	
TOTAL,	60	TOTAL,	13	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	12	17	4	21
No. in Workhouse at date	1	2	"	3

No. at corresponding period last year, 135

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9th day of Sept. 1893 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) Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Persons	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Persons
No. I.	65	128					Bt. forward						
No. II.	54	74					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* 15th *day of* September 1893

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Frank Brooke Esq Dh. V.C. & Sub. E. Byrne Esq Dr.

Other Guardians:— Major Newton Dr. Messrs. E. Hunter Dr., R. D. Lawrenson Dr., Thos. F. Haskins, A. Wolahan, W. Spears, P. Doyle, W. Kennedy, E. J. Ferris, T. Dowling, Peter Foley, J. Lyons, P. Butler, P. Byrne, E. J. Byrne and Abraham D. Symes

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1920 *to No.* 1942 *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 - - - - - £

The Treasurer a/c was not received this week *Paid during the week - - - - - £*

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot 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.

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

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

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

	£	s.	d
~~By which it appeared that~~ the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	22	3	5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	24	13	
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -		3	
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - -		3	4½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -		4	10

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

276, 4 lb. Loaves Bread
2 cwt Indian Meal
30 lbs Butter
140 " Beef
100 " Mutton
20 " Bacon
160 Gallons Sweetmilk
36 " Buttermilk

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 9th day of September 189 3 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	10	0	6
In Kind	"	"	"
Total	£10	0	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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.*

			£	s.	d.
120	John Hopkins	Postage &c	2	4	9
"	Jane Doyle	Cooperage	1	6	6
121	Edward Boulger	Exp. Labs Cottage	32	2	"

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

4 *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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 Clerk applied for and was granted leave of absence on Monday next.

Michael Lyons, Inmate, applied for a pair of Boots, which were allowed provided he leaves the Workhouse.

The following Inmates having taken their discharge from the Workhouse yesterday (Thursday) and who are, in the opinion of the Board, able to support themselves it was directed that they be not admitted to the Workhouse viz:— Mary Dunne and one child, Margaret Gilbert and two children, Margaret Doyle and three children Mary Saunders, Mary Byrne and Mary Farrell.

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

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

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

No 36,582 11th Sept. 1893.

Read letter from the Local Government Board acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the appointment of Miss Annie Bolger as Infirmary Nurse of the Workhouse stating that they would not object to Miss Bolger being permitted to undertake the duties of the post in question for a period of three months and requested that at the expiration of that time the Medical Officer might be asked to report as to her fitness for the Office.

A claim to be rated was received from John Davis of Coolmoss and deferred for a fortnight.

In reply to a letter from the Workhouse Master James Murphy of Hacketstown wrote denying that he was the father of Mary Kenny's child and stated that her affidavit respecting him was absolutely false.

A committee consisting of Messrs W. Spears, J. Lyons and E. J. Byrne were appointed to inquire into this case.

On the motion of Major Newton D.L. seconded by Mr. Dowling it was resolved:— "That Daniel Brennan of Barnew be paid the sum of £1-14-0 for executing certain repairs to cottage occupied by the caretaker on Workhouse farm in pursuance of the order of the Board on the 26th of May last."

It was proposed by Mr. Spears seconded by Major Newton and passed unanimously the following:- "That in future all applicants for out door relief must attend before this Board (except in the case of parties physically unable to do so) and should a Guardian of the Division to which the party belongs not be present the party must then produce a letter of recommendation from such Guardian."

The case of Mary Heffernan, a recipient of out door relief in the Union, was adjourned for one week in consequence of her non-attendance, and the Clerk was directed to request her to attend before the Board at their next meeting.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 23

Ditto disallowed 1

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 4

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 0

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 0

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).

Shillelagh *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 15th day of September 1893.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq D.L. J.P. & Sub. E. Byrne Esq J.P.

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Major Newton J.P. Messrs. E. Hunter J.P. R.D. Laurenson J.P. J. H. Haskins, A. Nolahan, W. Speares, P. Doyle, W. Kennedy, E. J. Ferris, J. Dowling, P. Foley, John Lyons, Pierce Butler, S. Byrne, E. J. Byrne and Abraham D. Lyons.

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

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

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

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

_____Dispensary District.

Account of Mr._____for_____Amount, £

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of 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, - - - £

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

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders 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 22nd day of September 1893.

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

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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 September 1893.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq D.L. V.C. & sub. E. Byrne Esq J.P.

OTHER GUARDIANS— Major Newton J.P., Messrs E. Hunter J.P., R. D. Lawrenson J.P., T. F. Haskins, A. Wolahan, W. Spears, P. Doyle, W. Kennedy, E. J. Ferris, T. Dowling, P. Foley, J. Lyons, P. Butler, P. Byrne, E. J. Byrne & A. D. Symes.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

A communication was read from Mr. Ramsay returning the specification & estimate for Clonegall Water Works amended in accordance with the requirements of the local Government Board; and stated that he and the local Guardians were unable to make any terms with Mr. Henry Ryan for land and water rights in connection with the scheme. Mr. Ryan however attended before the Meeting of the Board and agreed to accept the sum of £15 for same which was approved of, and it was directed that the Clerk instruct Mr. Brown, Solr., to prepare the necessary deed of assignment and also ascertain from the landlord, Colonel Wyndham, what he is prepared to accept for his rights, and inform him that the plans of the works for which he applied, are lodged in the office here should he wish to inspect them.

The Guardians proceeded to consider tenders for the construction of Waterworks at Clonegall as adjourned from this day fortnight, when the following were read:— Mr. William Baird proposed to execute the work as per plan & specification for the sum of £342-16-0 and Mr. John Finn for £390.

It was moved by Mr. Speares seconded by Mr. R. Hunter P. and unanimously resolved:— "That Mr. Baird's tender be accepted on condition the extra for larger pipe does not exceed £10."

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

(Signed) John Hoppers
Clerk of the Union.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 15th day of September 1893.

PRESENT: In the Chair—Frank Brooke Esq D.L. V.C. & sub. E Byrne Esq J.P.

Other Members:—

Major Newton J.P. Messrs E Hunter J.P. R. D. Lawrenson J.P. J. F. Haskins, A. Nolahan, W. Spares, P. Doyle, W. Kennedy, E. J. Harris, J. Dowling, A. Foley, J. Lyons, A. Butler, P. Byrne, E. J. Byrne, and Abraham D. Symes.

No. 35,592/93 - Miscellaneous 12th Sept. 93

The Local Government Board wrote enclosing copy of an order of the House of Commons, dated the 22nd ult. and requested that the Clerk furnish them with a return respecting the erection of cottages under the Labourers (I) acts in the Union, up to the 31st of August last.

Mr. Brown, Solicitor, transmitted schemes for Clonegall, Clonmore, Coolballintaggart, Hacketstown & Haroldstown E. Divisions, for signature by the Guardians, but pointed out that certificates were required from the Medical Officers of Health in five cases, before same could be adopted. consequently the Board further adjourned the making of the schemes for a fortnight and directed that the Medical Officers of the Districts make the necessary inspection and report as to the correctness of

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of the statements contained in the Representation referred to by Mr. Brown.

In response to advertisement for the erection of a labourers cottage at Clongall Mr. Daniel Brennan tendered to do the work, in accordance with new design of cottage plan & specification, for the sum of £12 5s and Mr. Edward Boulger proposed to do same for £110.

Mr. Boulgers tender was unanimously accepted.

The Board next took into consideration tenders for the erection of a boundary wall to three cottages recently erected in the town of Hacketstown when that of Mr. James Shannon at £28. being the lowest, was accepted on conditions that he erect and fix three iron Gates which are to be supplied by ~~Contractor~~ Finn.

The Guardians having received a further complaint with respect to Patrick Byrne, tenant of Labourers Cottage at Raheen, ordered that a notice to Quit be served upon him for breach of agreement in sub-letting the cottage.

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Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 5037 6 - 17 = 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of Sept. 1883

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
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	881	138										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	2										
Fever Sheds												
Total	931	140										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			20	33	30	26	9	6	5	4	4	143
Admitted during the Week			21	11	1		1	2	2	2	2	42
Total,			41	44	31	26	10	8	4	9	9	185
Discharged during the Week			23	12	1		1	2	2	2	2	45
Died												
Total Discharged and Dead			23	12	1		1	2	2	2	2	45
Remaining on the above date			18	32	30	26	9	6	5	4	4	140

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	55	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates	"
Total,	57	Total,	13

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	22	8	4	34
No. in Workhouse at date	3	2	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 16th day of Sept. 1883 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.	65	128					Bt. forward						
No. II.	54	94					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 22nd day of September 1883.

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

Other Guardians:— Messrs. Richard James. Wm Spears. Nicholas O Toole. Edward J. Byrne. Joseph Hopkins. and Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 22nd day of September 1883.

Signed, John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1943 *to No.* 1993 *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 - - - - - £

The Treasurer's a/c was not received this week *Paid during the week - - - - - £*

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot 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.

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

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

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

	£	s.	d
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	19	13	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	24	14	11
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	=
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	4½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	10

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

340. 4 lb Loaves Bread
29. lbs Butter
150 " Beef
110 " Mutton
20 " Bacon
36 Gallons Buttermilk
161 " Sweetmilk
2 Boxes Dipt Candles

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 ~~22nd~~ *day of* Sept 1893 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money			
In Kind			
Total ... ... £			

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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.

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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.*

£	s.	d.

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 :—

An Inmate named Essie Byrne was granted an exchange of Boots on leaving the Workhouse.

Mary Heffernan, a recipient of out door relief in the Union came before the Board, as requested, and stated she had lived the whole of her life in Coolballintaggart, except when she was at service, but that she had lived continuously for the last 8 or 9 years within the Coolballintaggart Electoral Division. This statement was corroborated by a ratepayer named Mr. John Byrne of Coolballintaggart, who was present.

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

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

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

No. 38508 21st Sept. 93.

Read letter from the Local Government Board transmitting a letter which they had recd. from the Revd. Chas. L. M. Jones calling attention to the case of two women, residing in his gate lodge who had been in receipt of out-door relief for the last year and a half, and requested that the Relieving Officer might be called upon to furnish an explanation in writing, showing what steps he took from time to time to satisfy himself that those persons were fit subjects for out door relief.

~~The Guardians of the Division who was in attendance It was directed that Mr Collis, R.O. furnish stated that he was unaware of there being any money available an explanation on this subject by next Board day.~~

for the maintenance of the women refered to in Mr. Jones' letter

till Mr. Jones himself revealed the matter, he believed they were destitute & therefore he applied for and obtained relief for them from the Board. He believes the same still. Moreover he considers the parties are now destitute as tho' there appears to be some money in Mr. Jones' hands, it seems to be according to Mr. Jones' letter, unavailable for their use until they leave their present abode. The Relieving officer stated also that he was unaware of there being any money available for the support of the women & considered that they were quite suitable cases for out door relief.

No. 27025 21st Sept. 1893.

With reference to the minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 11th ult. the local Government Board wrote enquiring whether the Pumps in the men's yard of the Workhouse had since been put in proper order as recommended by the Medical Officer

The Master informed the Guardians that the Pumps in question had been partially repaired, but was not in working order yet; when they directed him to report on this day week if same had been completed.

No. 28131 21st Sept 93

The local Government Board also wrote adverting to the Guardians minutes on the 14th of July last, containing an entry relating to the plans &c of the proposed alterations in the sewerage of the Workhouse & requested that they might be informed how the matter at present stood

With regard to the aforesaid subject the Guardians desire to inform the local Government Board that in accordance with their letter, dated 12th July last, they submitted Mr. Cotton's report to their Engineer & that as soon as they received his replies to the various

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points raised in said report that a special Board would be convened to consider the matter.

The Sureties of John Allen, late Poor Rate Collector for the Glonegall & Moyacomb E. Divisions, Messrs. Abraham Leybourne, Patrick Allen & Patrick Nolan waited upon the Board and paid over the balance of Rates due in said District – namely £31-9-11.

With respect to an application from Mr. Healy of Imahely, National School Teacher, for School Fees & Books, &c. for three orphan children out at Nurse; the Board decided to pay the amount claimed for Books, &c. supplied, but declined to allow any School Fees.

Patrick Harte, caretaker on Workhouse Farm, applied for the refuse of Potatoes, at usual rate 2/6 per Barrel, which the Board granted.

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	81
Ditto disallowed	2
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	15
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	11

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

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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 Sept. 1893.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mark Brooke Esq D.L. & J.P.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

Messrs. R. James, Wm. Speares, Nicholas O Toole, Edward J. Byrne, Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of 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).

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

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(*Signed*), John Stopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh *Union.*

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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

OTHER GUARDIANS— Messrs Richard James, W. Speares, Nicholas Poole, Edward J. Byrne, J. Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

No. 83. M 93. Miscellaneous 18th Sept 93

The Local Government Board forwarded for the information of the Sanitary Authority a copy of the Rivers Pollution Prevention act 1893 which received the Royal assent on the 27th of July last.

No. 99 - M/93 - Miscellaneous 28th Sept. 1893

A circular letter was read from the Local Government Board, adverting to their previous correspondence on the subject of Precautions against Cholera. They desired to be informed whether the Sanitary Authority were fully satisfied as to the condition of their District, especially with regard to the character of the water; the sufficiency and suitability of Hospital accommodation for the isolation and treatment of Cholera cases; the condition of the sewerage and drainage; the absence of nuisances; and the cleanliness of the dwellings of the poorer classes.

The Board expressed the opinion that the Sanitary condition of the Union was satisfactory.

Mr. William Baird acknowledged receipt of letter accepting his tender for the construction of Water Works at Clonegall and agreeing to the condition that £10 should cover the extra cost of the pipes being all 3 inches.

W. Ramsay, architect, wrote enclosing a letter from Mr. Sinnott relative to compensation for laying the water main over his lands at Clonegall, asking

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to be allowed a sum of £50 for same

The clerk was directed to have the usual fourteen days notice served upon the several parties as to the laying of the main through their lands

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(Signed) John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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Other Members:—

Messrs Richard James, W. Speares, Nicholas O'Toole, E. J. Bynne, Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

Mr William Moody, Poor Rate Collector & Collector of Rents of labourers cottages submitted the names of George Willoughby, Clonmore, Edward Proctor, Croneskeagh and Thomas Brien of Minvaird Upr as his Sureties to replace the three former who withdrew:

The Board agreed to accept the parties named.

Mr Kehoe, contractor for the erection of two cottages at Ballyshane, Clonmore E.D. forwarded the keys of the houses which he stated, were completed.

Mr J. Furlong of Ballinakill recommended a labourer named Patrick Doyle as a suitable tenant for a cottage; the consideration of same was deferred for a week

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The Clerk submitted a contract Bond duly executed by Edward Boulger & Sureties: when he was authorised to transmit it to Mr. Brown, Solicitor, for stamping.

The following resolution was, on the motion of Mr Speares seconded by Mr. E. J Byrne unanimously adopted:- "That this Board begs to ask the Local Government Board to request the Commissioners of Public Works to issue the third instalment of loan due to the Guardians under the Labourers Acts. viz:- £.1510. Application for same has been made already"

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Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 29th day of September 189 3.

Signed, John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 10376-17-0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of Sept 189 3

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse	887	141
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	1
Fever Sheds		
TOTAL	93	142

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	18	32	30	26	9	6	5	7	7	140
Admitted during the Week	22	7	1		1			1	1	34
TOTAL,	40	39	31	26	10	7	5	8	8	174
Discharged during the Week - Died	21	6			1	1		1	2	32
Total Discharged and Dead	21	6			1	1		1	2	32
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	19	33	31	26	9	6	5	7	6	142

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	54	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates	"
TOTAL,	55	TOTAL,	13

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	22	6	4	32
No. in Workhouse at date	3	"	"	3

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 23 day of Sept. 189 3 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	
	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.	65	128				
No. II.	54	94				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
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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
Bt. forward						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 29 *day of* September 189 3

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Major G.G. Newton D.L.

Other Guardians:— Messrs. Edwd. Hunter D.L., J.H. Kee D.L., Wm Speares, Wm Kennedy, Thos. Dowling, Peter Foley, Jas Kavanagh, Edward J. Byrne, Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1994 *to No.* 2012 *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 Treasurer's a/c was not received this week

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

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

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

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot 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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - 23 : 6 : 3
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 25:16:4
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Overage Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 3 :

Average Cost in Infirmary - 3:7 1/2

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

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

252 4 lb. Loaves Bread

31 M. Butter

268 Beef & Mutton

32 Gallons Buttermulk

162 " Sweetmulk

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 Clothy Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relerving 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 Sept. 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£. s. d.
In Money...	
In Kind	
Total	

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
158	Samuel Weir	Washing Soda		16	6
159	Samuel Correll	Pepper	1	5	.
165	Ellen O'Hara	Firewood		12	.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

152	Michael O'Toole	Nurses	17	15	.

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 W. Kpr. Porter, Patrick Fox, the Board granted him four days leave of absence; the assistant to do his duty under the direction of the master

Miss Bolger, Schoolmistress, obtained two days leave; the Schoolmaster to take Charge of the Children.

Mr. Ellis R.O. applied for leave of absence on next Board-day, and stated Mr. O'Toole would perform his duties.
The Board acceded to the application.

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

"I beg to ask the Board to appoint a Committee to take stock this evening, for the half year ending to-day.

"A supply of straw or wood fibre for bedding purposes is required in the Workhouse or shall I get the oats threshed out.

Messrs. Thomas Dowling and Joseph Hopkins, Poor Law Guardians, were constituted as a committe, with the clerk & master, to take stock for current half year; and the master was directed to have the corn grown on Workhouse farm threshed.

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

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

A communication was read from Mr. Ellis, R.O. with reference to two women named Mary and Esther Allen, who had been in receipt of out-door relief in the Union, which was directed to be transmitted to the Local Government Board, as requested by their letter, No. 38,508, dated the 21st instant.

Mr. Brown, Solicitor, wrote enclosing a memorandum of the costs of letters and writ in the case of The Guardians v Allen, late Poor Rate collector and Sureties amounting to £3 = 11 = 8.

The Board unanimously agreed to pay the amount of the costs in this case when taxed:

and directed that the Sureties – Messrs. Cheybourne, P. Allen and P. Nolan – be paid the sum of £15 = 13 = 0 for Poundage fees and Remuneration under Parliamentary Voters and Jurors acts due the ex collector.

On the motion of Mr. E. J. Byrne seconded by Mr. Foley it was resolved:— "That Constable Hannon, admitted for Medical treatment to Workhouse Infirmary, be required to pay the actual cost of his maintenance therein."

Mr. Philip Doyle, Poor Rate Collector, submitted the names of Patrick Lynch, Ballymanus, Henry Berthistle, Monataigne and James Just Sheeana, as his sureties, who were accepted by the Board.

Patrick Harte, Agriculturist, applied for and was granted the usual yearly allowance (£1 = 4 = 0) to purchase fuel.

The new Rate Books, having been certified by the Clerk were signed by the Chairman and two Guardians; and the following claimants admitted viz:— John Jones, Eaglehill, Hacketstown, James Phannon, Hacketstown, Ambrose Nolan, Rathnagrew, Thomas Harman Porchavodda and John Davis Coolruss.

The Clerk was directed to apply to the Treasurer for a further overdraft of £500 for three weeks.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 19

Ditto disallowed ... ... "

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 2

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 "

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 29 day of Sept 1893

PRESENT—In the Chair, Major G. G. Newton D.L.

OTHER GUARDIANS, Messrs. Edward Hunter D.L., Jas. H. Kerr D.L., Wm. Speares, Wm. Kennedy, Thomas Dowling, Peter Foley, James Kavanagh, Edward J. Byrne, Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

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

That the clerk transmit same to the Contractors.

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

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

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

Coollattin &c Dispensary District.

	Account of Mr.	for	Amount, £
139	Dr. T. F. Brady	¼ Salary	30 - 0 - 0
140	Eliza Taylor	"	1 - 15 - 0
141	Jane Morton	"	1 - 15 - 0
142	Thomas Byrne	¼ Rent	1 - 15 - 0
143	Martha Waterhouse	¼ Salary	5 - 0 - 0
	Hacketstown Dist.		
144	Dr. J. B. Jackson	¼ Salary	30 - 0 - 0
145	Jane Hinch	¼ Rent	2 - 0 - 0
146	Anne Cooper	"	1 - 10 - 0
	Tinahely Dist		
147	Dr. J. Bolster	¼ Salary & Rent	31 - 10 - 0
148	Charles Byrne	¼ Rent	1 - 10 - 0
149	Fanny Dowse	¼ Salary	1 - 5 - 0
150	Mary White	"	5 - 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).

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

Read Letter from Mrs Waterhouse dated 28th Sept 93 stating that

she would resign the office of Midwife to the coollattin & Clonegall Dispensary District in one month from this date.

The Communication was referred to the Committee of Management of the District.

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

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

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

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Coollattin &	Dr Brady	Houses	Roofs, windows &c
Clonegall			out of repair

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

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

	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
124		Dr. Y. J.G. King ¼ Salary	2	10	.
125		John Hopkins "	2	10	.
130		Michael O'Toole "	1	15	.
"		Ditto Carnew W.W.	1	5	"
131		Robert Ellis ¼ Salary	1	10	.
139	Coollattin	Dr. Y. J. Brady "	3	15	.
146	Hacketstown	Dr. J.B. Jackson "	3	15	"
147	Tinahely	Dr. J. Bolster "	3	15	.
151		Edward Healy Tinahely WW	1	5	.

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

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

No. 13,555 22nd Sept. 1893.

In reply to a letter from the clerk ~~Board~~ the Irish Land Commissioners wrote informing the Guardians that the burial-ground of Ardoyne which was attached to the Parish Church & not separated therefrom by a carriage highway was vested by the Church Commissioners in the Representative Body of the Church of Ireland. The Burial grounds of Knocklow in the parish of Aghowle & Kiscolman in the parish of Kiscolman appeared by a report of W. Benjamin Hopkins, clerk, dated 30th January 1874 to have been exclusively used by Roman Catholics and as they did not seem to have been vested in the Church Commissioners, no order was made with respect to the same.

The clerk was directed to reply to the Land Commissioners stating that they were under a misapprehension with regard to the burial-ground at Ardoyne, as the burial-ground referred to by the Guardians was never annexed to the Church.

A letter was read from W. Ramsay, Engineer, enclosing a note received from the County Surveyor with respect to the laying of water main over Clonegall Bridge, when it was mentioned that the contractor was willing to lay the pipes in bed of river without extra charge; and this the Board approved of.

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Clerk of the Union.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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No. 29,640 28th Sept. 1893

The Local Government Board wrote acknowledging receipt of the Guardians resolution of the 22nd inst. relative to the issue of further instalments of the loans granted to them to carry out Improvement Schemes under the Labs. acts and stated that, pending an inspection of the works executed, they would recommend the Commissioners of Public Works to issue the following instalments of the loans, viz:—

Clonegall Electoral Division	£	350
Clonmore	"	450
Coolballintaggart	"	90
Hacketstown	"	270
Total	£	1,160

A letter was read from Mr. Winn, Contractor, declining to supply three iron gates for Hacketstown Cottages, as requested by the Board, which he stated was not in accordance

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with the terms of the specification

The Board decided that Mr. Ramsay architect be requested to state definitely, whether he considered that Firm was liable under the terms of the specification, to erect the three gates at these cottages. It was also directed that the architect visit and inspect the cottages erected by Contractor O'Brien at Rathmajorhoge and Knockananna.

The Guardians next took into consideration the making of Improvement Schemes, as adjourned from the 15th inst., in respect of the Electoral Divisions of Clonegall, Clonmore, Coolballintaggart, Hacketstown & Haroldstown. Mr. Hunter having pointed out that the site selected for a cottage at Coolballintaggart was objectionable, the Board, after some discussion, resolved, on the motion of Mr. Hopkins seconded by Mr. Kerr to appoint a committee consisting of Messrs. E. Hunter Dr. A. D. Symes, P. Foley and A. Holahan to select an alternative site

On the proposition of Mr. Speares sec. by Mr. Dowling the site already chosen was disapproved of. It was also agreed on the motion of Mr. Speares that the Schemes stand adjourned for a fortnight.

The tenant of Coolballintaggart Labourers cottage, Patrick Byrne, wrote complaining that the floor of the cottage was breaking up and that the boards of the loft were separating.

The matter was referred to the Board's Architect

Mr. E. J. Byrne proposed, Mr. Dowling seconded and passed unanimously the following:—

"That Thomas McCall and Andrew Clinch be nominated tenants of Ballyshane Cottages Nos. 6 and 7 on ordnance sheet of Co. Carlow."

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E. Byrne Chairman

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Signed, John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value,* £ 50376=17=0

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	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
Workhouse	881	137										
Temporary Buildings ..												
Additional Workhouse ..												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	1										
Fever Sheds												
Total	931	138										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			19	33	31	26	9	6	5	7	6	142
Admitted during the Week -			6	4	2					1	1	14
Total,			25	37	33	26	9	6	5	8	7	156
Discharged during the Week -			9	5	1					1	0	16
Died - - - - -					1	1						2
Total Discharged and Dead -			9	5	2	1				1		18
Remaining on the above date			16	32	31	25	9	6	5	7	7	138

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	55	In separate Wards	13	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates		
Total,	56	Total,	13	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	7	2	2	11
No. in Workhouse at date	.	1	.	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 139

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of Sept. 1893 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) Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Persons	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Persons
No. I.	65	128					Bt. forward						
No. II.	54	74					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* 6th *day of* October 1893.

Present: *In the Chair*— Edward Byrne Esq J.P. D.V.C.

Other Guardians:— William Spears and Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2013 *to No.* 2028 *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 - - - - - £

The Treasurers *Paid during the week* - - - - - £

a/c was not *And that the Balance on the Account* ..... *the Guardians was* £

received *The Book was signed by the Chairman.*

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

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

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

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot 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.

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

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

1. *The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.*
2. *The Provision Check 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 -	21	: =	9
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	24	: 15 :	3
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		: 3 : =	
Average Cost in Infirmary		: 3 :	4½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		: 4 :	10

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

314. 4 lb Loaves Bread
31 lbs Butter
270 " Beef & Mutton
20 " Bacon
34 Gallons Buttermilk
160 " Sweetmilk
13 Bedsteads & Mattresses
& certain articles (special) for Workhouse Medical officer.

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

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

The 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 30th *day of* September *189*3 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money ...	9	17	6
In Kind ...			
Total ... £			

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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.
174	Christopher O'Neill & Nephew	Calico	5	10	-

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

				£	s.	d.
174	C. O'Neill & Nephew	Burial a/c			9	4
"	Ditto	Estate "		10	14	5
176	J. J. Ellison	Delf &c		5	2	5
177	M. Walsh	advertising		18	17	9
178	P. J. Conlan	"		5	6	8
179	Geo. Langrall	"		4	3	4
180	Wm Hughes	Car hire		2	"	"
181	John Hoppins	Rem. Par. Voters acts		31	6	9
182	Joseph Dollard	Books & Stationery		16	15	11½
183	The Treasurer National	Eye & Ear Infirmary		1	14	4
184	Edward Boulger	Coffins		1	14	"
185	Michael O'Brien	Ironware			16	3
186	Joseph Bramley	Hats			3	4
187	Michael Dowyer	Law costs etc.			16	6
186	Patrick Kehoe	Dispensaries cottages	6.0.0	40	"	"
188	Edward Boulger	"	3:0:0	12	"	"
			3:0:0			

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
167	Richard McGuinness	Bread &c	38	8	1
168	Stephen Geraty	Butter	34	6	8
169	Eliza McGuirk	Meat	31	6	5
170	Michael Neill	Milk	39	2	"
171	Elizabeth Hopkins	"	34	6	1
172	Laurence Mulligan	Whiskey &c	29	9	4
173	James Sammon	Tea	30	10	"
174	C. O'Neill & nephew	Sugar &c	21	13	"
175	Ellen Kenny	Soap &c	5	16	4
176	J. J. Ellison	Tobacco	2	16	3
185	James Condell	onions		10	8
"	Ellen O'Hara	Firewood		6	"

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

184	Michael O'Toole	on/c	10	"	"

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 Schoolmaster Mr. Furlong, the Board granted him leave of absence for one week; the Schoolmistress taking charge of the boys during that period.

The Porter applied for an order for the annual suit of clothing appertaining to the Office, to the value of £5-12-0, which was allowed.

Mr. O'Toole, R.D. submitted to the Board a notice ~~of intended Eviction~~ previous to execution of an Ejectment Decree served upon him in the case of Edward K.B. Tighe complainant and Michael Kavanagh, Ballycredmond, defendant

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

The Master reported that an inmate named Mary Weir, who got a days leave of absence from the Board had not returned yet to the Workhouse altho' absent since the 29th September.

The Chimney in Nurses room at Fever Hospital was in a very unsatisfactory condition owing to the draught blowing upon down the chimney; & suggested that a registered grate be procured.

A new down pipe was required at Kitchen door the present one apparently being cracked and something wrong with hopper head, as the water usually ran down outside the pipe.

The Report, with regard to the Inmate absenting herself, was deferred for a week; and the other matters mentioned were referred to the Workhouse Visiting Committee.

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

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

No. 39.022–1893 – Miscellaneous 3rd October 1893

Read circular letter from the Local Government Board enclosing copy of an order revoking their order of the 10th of February 1891, and fixing a scale according to which the clerks and Poor Rate Collectors shall henceforward be paid for their duties under the Representation of the People Acts

No. 89 – M/93 – Miscellaneous 2nd Oct 93

The Local Government Board wrote requesting that the Clerk furnish them with the annual Return of Offices of the Union (in duplicate) as soon as possible.

No. 88 – M/93 – Miscellaneous 4th October 93

The Local Government Board also wrote requesting that a return be furnished them respecting the Rates made or agreed upon in the Union during the three months ended the 30th Ultimo.

No. 4916 29th Sept 1893

Adverting to the Report of the Inspector of Registration the Registrar-General wrote suggesting that a bar handle be provided for the door of the strong closet of the Register Office which is difficult to open. The Board authorized the Clerk to have this remedied.

The Treasurer wrote intimating that the Directors of the National Bank had sanctioned a further overdraft of £500 to the Guardians as applied for.

Mr. Wm Driver, Poor Rate Collector, reported that one of his sureties had died recently and submitted the names of Messrs John Fitzlong Ballymultagh, Thomas Bishop, Stranakelly, and Jacob Brownrigg of Cronyhorn as parties willing to join him in a new Bond, whom the Board unanimously agreed to accept.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 16

Ditto disallowed ... ... "

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

The number of cases of provisional 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 "

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).

Shillelagh *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 6th day of October 1893

PRESENT—In the Chair, Edward Byrne Esq P.L.G.

OTHER GUARDIANS, Messrs William Spears and Abraham D. Symes.

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

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

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

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

_____Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of 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).

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

Coolkenno and Hacketstown

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

That the Relieving Officer make inquiries and report result to the Board.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 13th day of October 1893.

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

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh *Union.*

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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 6 day of October 189 3.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Edward Byrne Esq D.L. & V.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS—

Messrs. William Spears and Abraham D. Symes.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Coolattin & Clonegall	D. Brady	Scarlet Fever	Case to be isolated & whole house disinfected

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

Wm Ramsay, Engineer, wrote returning the original Specification, estimate, & drawings of Clonegall Water Works amended as required by the Local Government Board; and made tracing of alteration in pipe main, to pass under river instead of over.

The Board directed that the documents be transmitted to the Local Government Board and their sanction requested to same

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 13th
day of October 189 3.

(Signed) John Hoplkins
Clerk of the Union.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 6th day of September (October) 189 3.

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

Other Members:— Messrs William Speares and Abraham D. Symes.

No. 200 2nd October 1893

An order was received from the (local) Board of Public Works authorising payment of the sum of £1160 to the Guardians for 3rd Instalment of loan under the Labourers acts.

The following letter was read from Mr J.K. Toomey, Solicitor - viz:-

"I am instructed by Mr John Finn of Rathaleer, Baltinglass, to apply to the Guardians of the Shillelagh Union for the sum of £8-10-3 balance due on foot of a contract performed by him certified for by the Boards architect and the cheque actually drawn and lying in your hands. I am instructed the Guardians have on some absurd plea of non-performance of an old contract actually completed and paid for held back the amount now applied for. I shall therefore unless the amount is paid on or before this day week with 10/2 costs of application take proceedings without further notice."

The clerk was directed to reply to Mr Toomey stating that the payment to Finn was deferred for one week

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week in order to get an explanation or report from the Board's architect. Mr. Finn was informed of this and the Board declines to pay any costs in the case. If Finn was ready to accept payment of the balance due it could now be paid.

With reference to contractor Finn's work at Hacketstown cottages and as to whether he should supply the gates, W. Ramsay, architect, wrote that in his opinion it was not definitely settled in Mr. Berry's specification and estimate & consequently it would be only fair to let off Finn with the one gate already erected there.
Mr. Ramsay mentioned that he gave possession of cottage plot on Miss Finn's land, at Clonegall to contractor Boulger on 29th Sept. 1893.

Mr. Denis O'Brien, contractor, notified that he intended proceeding against the Guardians for balance due him on foot of a contract for the erection of two Labourers cottages at Knockanamna and Rathmajorhoe.
The architect not having furnished the final certificates to O'Brien the Board took no action in this matter.

Mr. Brown Solicitor, returned T. Boulger's Contract Bond duly stamped.

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Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 13th day of October 1893

Signed, John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £* 50376 = 17 = 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th 30th day of ~~Sept~~ October 1893

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse	887	141
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse	50	3
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds		
TOTAL	931	144

	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	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
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	16	32	31	25	9	6	5	7	7	138
Admitted during the Week	8	8	3	1	1	1		2	1	25
TOTAL,	24	40	34	26	10	7	5	9	8	163
Discharged during the Week	9	5	2		1	1		1		19
Died										
Total Discharged and Dead	9	5	2		1	1		1		19
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	15	35	32	26	9	6	5	8	8	144

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	58	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates	"
TOTAL,	61	TOTAL,	13

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	7	5	3	15
No. in Workhouse at date	1	"	"	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 144

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7th day of October 1893 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) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
No. I.	65	128				
No. II.	52	72				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.						

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
Bt. forward						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 13th *day of* October 1893.

PRESENT: *In the Chair—* Frank Brooke Esq. J.P. V.C. & Sub. E. Byrne Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians:— Hon.l Hh D. Boscawen D.L. Major Newton J.P., Mess.rs E. Hunter J.P., Wm E. Jones J.P., ~~Ralph Lawrence~~ Rich.d James. William Spears, Peter Doyle, Edmund J. Ferris, Thos. Dowling. N. O'Toole Edward J. Byrne. Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2029 *to No.* 2045 *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*~~ since *the* ~~*week*~~ 11th August 93. . . . £ 347 = 11 = 7

Paid during the ~~*week*~~ same period . . . . £ 1309 = 8 = 7

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £ 834 " 2 " 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot 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.

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	19	6	5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	26	3	9
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	=
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	7½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	10

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

251 4 lb Loaves Bread
30 lbs Butter
200 " Beef
100 " Mutton
17 " Bacon
36 Gallons Buttermilk
158 " Sweetmilk
also Drugs & Surgical Instruments for Workhouse Medical Officer.

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

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

The 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 17th *day of* October 1893 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money	9	17	6
In Kind	=	=	=
Total ... ... £	9	17	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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.*

			£	s.	d.
1	William Moody	Remn Franchise acts	4	16	4
2	Luke Kehoe	"	3	13	10
3	Daniel Brennan	Repairs to agriculturist cottage	1	17	"
4	A. Tailyour	Rent Hacketstown cottage plots	1	13	"
5	John Finn	Exp habs cottages Bal. cont.	8	10	3

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

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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.*

£	s.	d.

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:—

A notice, served upon Mr. Ellis, R.O., previous to execution of an ejectment decree was laid before the Board in the case of Rev.d C. L. M. Jones & Esther Allen and Mary Allen. A like notice was submitted by Mr. O'Toole, R.O. in case of Edward Grange complainant and Rich.d Cousins defendant.

Mr. Thos. Dagg of Coolkenno asked to be released from his obligation as surety for the Matron of the Workhouse.

The Board acceded to the request, and the Matron substituted Mr. Francis Norris of Cronesreagh, along with the old Surety Mr. Peter Tomkins of Coolkenno, who were accepted by the Guardians.

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

The Master reported that on Monday last, on a requisition of Mr. O'Toole R.O., he supplied a coffin & cart car for a dead woman named Catherine Walsh & had her brought in from Mrs. Kidd's of Ballingate and buried in the Workhouse graveyard. The Inmate Mary Weir returned on Monday. Received £1-10-4 from James Roche (Inmate) being total amount of his pension for last quarter, he being a short service pensioner.

That he sent the Infirmary Van to Moyne for the two Allen's on ~~Monday~~ Wednesday but they had left their place of abode and were not to be found. The Pump in men's yard was now in good working order.

The Report was approved of by the Board.

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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 14

Ditto disallowed 0

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 0

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 0

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 11

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 0

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).

Shillelagh *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 October 1893

PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq D.L. & J.P. Chr. Byrne Esq D.L.

OTHER GUARDIANS, The Hon.ble Hugh L. D. Boscawen D.L. Major Newton D.L. Jno.s P. Hunter D.L. Wm. P. Jones D.L. Richard James, Wm. Speares, Peter Doyle, P. J. Ferris, Thos. Dowling, A. O'Toole, P. J. Byrne, J. Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of 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).

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

Read Letter from the Hony Secty Hacketstown ~~dated~~ Dispy. Committee stating that

at an extraordinary meeting of that body, held on the 12th inst, which was convened for the purpose of considering a proposal from the Landlord of Minvaird House, Clonmore, offering to let to the Board of Guardians the house and 5 acres of land at £25 a year (on lease for a term of 10 years) as a residence for the Medical Officer of the District; it was proposed by Mr. Dowling seconded by Mr. Byrne & passed unanimously that the Committee recommend the Board of Guardians to accept the offer.

The Board approved of the resolution of the Dispensary Committee relative to the taking of Minvaird House & five acres of land on the terms above-mentioned, as a residence for the Dispy Medical Officer & desire the sanction of the Local Govt. Board to this arrangement.

A letter was read from Dr. Jackson agreeing to become tenant of the house at the sum of £25 per annum, so long as he held the office of Medical Officer of the Hacketstown district.

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 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 20th day of October 1893

(Signed), John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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 13 day of October 1893

PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq D.L. & Sub E. Byrne Esq P.P.

OTHER GUARDIANS—The Honble. H.L. D. Boscawen D.L., Major Newton P.P., Messrs. E. Hunter P.P. W.E. Jones P.P. R. James, W. Spears, P. Doyle, E.J. Ferris, T. Dowling, N. O'Toole, E.J. Byrne, J. Hopkins & A.D. Symes

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

No. 960 11th October '93

An order was received from the Local Government Board authorising the payment of the sum of £19-10-0 as proportion of the expenses incurred by the Guardians for Salaries of Officers under Public Health act during the half-year ended 25th March last.

Chq. 13942 12th October 1893

A letter was read from the Church Property Department of the Land Commission, relative to the Burial ground at Ardoyne, stating that the provisions of the statute were perfectly clear and that acting under section 26 of 32 and 33 Vic. Cap 42 the Church Commissioners vested this Burial ground in the Representative Church Body as it was not separated from the Church by a carriage highway.

The Clerk was directed to draw the attention of the Commissioners to the fact that there are two Burial grounds in Ardoyne, and the graveyard which the Guardians desire vested in them is entirely detached from the Church, being situate over half a mile from it.

On the motion of Mr Speares it was resolved:— "That the opinion of the Solicitor of the Board be obtained as to powers of this Board Board, as Sanitary authority, to compel the owners or occupiers of houses and premises to erect Privies or other sanitary improvements or additions where the houses have been erected many years ago.

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

(Signed) John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 13th day of October 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—Frank Brooke Esq D.L. V.L. Sub. E. Byrne Esq D.L.

Other Members:—

The Honble Hugh L. D. Boscawen D.L. Major Newton D.L. Messrs P. Hunter D.L. Wm P. Jones D.L. Richard James, Wm Speares, Peter Doyle, D. J. Ferris, Thos Dowling, N. O'Toole, Edward J. Byrne, J. Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

Mr Finn contractor wrote stating he had informed his Solicitor Mr Toomey that he would accept payment (without costs) of the sum of £8-10-3 for erecting wire fence at Curragh cottage plot.

It was directed that a cheque be drawn for the amount as certified by the Engineer.

The Board being specially convened proceeded to consider the making of Improvement Schemes as adjourned from the 29th Ult. in respect of the Clonegall, Clonmore, Coolballintaggart, Hacketstown and Haroldstown Electoral Divisions of the Union.

With regard to the scheme for Clonegall E.D. the Medical Officer of Health having reported that the cottage (in lieu of which it was proposed to erect a new house) was capable of being repaired the Guardians resolved to reject the scheme and ordered that a notice be served upon the Owner to—

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to put the cottage into proper repair.

The Committee appointed to select an alternative site for the Coolballintaggart T.D. recommended that the cottage be erected on the holding of Michael Keogh, Coolballintaggart, and that one Statute acre, and old laneway, be acquired from John Byrne of same place.

The recommendation of the committee was adopted by the Board: and Improvement Schemes for the Electoral Divisions of Clonmore, Coolballintaggart, Hacketstown and Aghaboe were then signed by the Chairman and countersigned by the Executive Sanitary Officer ordered to be published.

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Fitzwilliam - Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 20th day of October 1893.

Signed, John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value,* £ 50376 = 17 = 0

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse	89	141
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	2
Fever Sheds		
TOTAL	93	143

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	15	35	32	26	9	6	5	8	8	144
Admitted during the Week -	6	1	3	1				1	1	13
TOTAL,	21	36	35	27	9	6	5	9	9	157
Discharged during the Week -	4	3						1	1	13
Died - - - - - -				1						1
Total Discharged and Dead -	4	3		1				1	1	14
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	14	33	34	26	9	6	5	8	8	143

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	55	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates	4
TOTAL,	57	TOTAL,	13

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	4	1	2	10
No. in Workhouse at date	1	"	"	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 134

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

Relief 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
No. I.	65	128				
No. II.	52	42				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.						

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

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 20th *day of* October 1893.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— The Right Honble Earl Fitzwilliam K.C.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs Frank Brooke J.P.
Andrew Nolahan, William Spears, Edward J. Byrne,
Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2046 *to No.* 2058 *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 - - - - - £ 119 = 10 = 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 352 = 5 = 0

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was £* 6 = 14 = 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot 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.

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

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

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

	£	s.	d
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	26	9	11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	26	15	9
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	″
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	4½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	10

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

256. 4 lb Loaves Bread
31 lbs. Butter
180 " Beef
100 " Mutton
18 " Bacon
36 Gallons Buttermilk
164 " Sweetmilk
2 Pieces Calico
2 " " Lining
24 lbs Worsted
2 Pieces Linen
1 " Tweed

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money	9	14	6
In Kind	″	″	″
Total	£ 9	14	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors — Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors — Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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.*

			£	s.	d.
6	Peter Shea	Horse-work	2	12	6
4	Patrick Harte	Fuel allowance	1	4	″
8	Daniel Brennan	Balance cont. Workho. alterations	20	″	″

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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 Visiting Committee recommended that a new grate be obtained for the Nurses bed. room at Fever Hospital also a down pipe thopper head for outside of Kitchen door; approved

J Donohoe. Workhouse Schoolboy. was granted an outfit of clothing on going to service with Mr Byrne Ballynakill: and John Doyle was allowed an exchange of clothing on leaving the Workhouse

The Master was authorised by the Board to have the room recently added to Female Infirmary whited with 6½ X 1" wrot deal.

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

The Master reported that the milk turned somewhat sour against night on Monday last the 15th inst: Sent word to the Contractors and it has been all right since.

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

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

No 41-664 17th Oct 93

A circular letter was read from the Local Government Board forwarding a communication to the Guardians which they had received from the Commissioners of National Education relating to their District ~~Inspectors~~ Inspectors last report on the Workhouse (female) School

No 41,460 19th Oct 93

A letter was also read from the Local Government Board transmitting, for the consideration of the Guardians, copy of a letter received from the Commissioners of National Education respecting Mr. Peter Furlong, Schoolmaster of the Workhouse

14th Oct 93

Read circular from the Treasury asking for a Return with respect to contribution in lieu of Rates re Government Property.

18th Oct. 1893

J.G. Barton Esq. Commissioner of Valuation, wrote requesting that the several Rate collectors furnish by the 15th proximo a list of all Tenements in their respective districts requiring Revision of Valuation.

It was directed that the collectors furnish the lists required.

W. Brown, Solicitor, wrote inquiring whether Michael Kavanagh and Joseph Nolan had yet paid the amount of Poor Rates due, as the time had arrived for processing.

The Clerk informed the Board that he had replied in the negative.

The clerk of the North Dublin Union transmitted copy of a resolution adopted by that Board with regard to the unsuitability of lunatics as Inmates of Workhouses and desired the co-operation of the Guardians of this Union. The consideration of this matter was postponed till the 10th prodimo

The Clerk submitted Bond duly executed by Mrs Corrigan, Matron of the Workhouse, and Sureties.

The Board directed the clerk to issue advertisements inviting tenders for the usual yearly

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and Quarterly supplies to be considered on the 10th of November next.

On the motion of Mr. E. J. Byrne it was resolved that a share of the Union advertisements be given to the "Wicklow Star"

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 ... ... "

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 114

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

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

Shillelagh *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 20th day of October 1893.

PRESENT—In the Chair, The Right Honble Earl Fitzwilliam K.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Messrs Frank Brooke P.P.

Andrew Wolahan William Speares, E. J. Byrne, Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of 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).

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

No 91 - M/93 - Miscellaneous — 16th Oct 1893

Read Letter from the Local Government Board dated ____ 1893

stating that

requesting a return be furnished them showing the expenses incurred in the Union for Medical & Educational purposes during the half-year ended the 29th of Sept. last.

No 97 - M/93 - Miscellaneous — 13th Oct 93

The Local Government Board also wrote calling for a Return relating to the expenditure of each Dispensary District during the year ended the 29th ult.

Mr. Speares Hony Secty. reported that at a special meeting of the Coollattin & Clonegall Dispy. committee held on 13th inst the Committee received & accepted the resignation of Mrs. Waterhouse as Midwife & recommended that an advertisement be inserted in the General advertiser & local paper for appointment of a successor

[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.:

on like terms (£20 per annum) the person appointed to reside in the town of Carnew. The recommendation of the Committee was adopted by the Board.

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

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

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

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh *Union.*

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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 20 day of October 1893.

PRESENT—In the Chair, The Right Honble Earl Fitzwilliam K.P.

OTHER GUARDIANS—

Messrs Frank R. Brooke D.L., A. Nolahan, W. Speares, D. J. Byrne, J. Hopkins & A.D. Symes

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

No 92 - M/93 - Miscellaneous 14th Oct 93

A circular letter was received from the Local Government Board requiring a return of the Salaries paid to the Sanitary Officers of the Union for the past half year with a view to a portion thereof being recouped out of the vote of Parliament.

14 Oct 93

In reply to the resolution of the Board Mr Brown, Solicitor wrote stating that the powers of the Sanitary Authority to compel owners or occupiers of houses to erect privies or other Sanitary accommodation were set out in the 45th section of the Public Health act of 1878 & these powers did not depend upon the time that the houses were erected. The want of a privy or other sanitary accommodation might also be treated as a nuisance & be dealt with under sections 110 & 114

No. 11093 14th Oct 93

The Land Commissioners asked to be furnished with an ordnance Map showing the two Burial-grounds at Ardoyne with the one sought to be vested in the Guardians marked thereon.

The clerk was directed to have the ordnance sheet furnished.

No 42502 19th Oct 1893

The Local Government Board forwarded the tracing of the sewers of the Workhouse & requested that it be returned when no longer required.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 24th day of October 1893.

(Signed) John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 20th day of October 1893.

PRESENT: In the Chair—The Right Hon.ble Earl Fitzwilliam K.S.

Other Members:—

Messrs. Frank Brooke D.L. Andrew Nolahan, Wm. Speares, Edward J. Byrne, Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Lymes.

Copy of a resolution adopted by the Drogheda Board of Guardians with respect to the terms of money advanced for the purposes of the Labourers acts, was submitted to the Board & its consideration defered until the 10th proximo.

A Represenation was received from the Ballingdle E.D. recommending the erection of a cottage upon the lands of W. Braddell at Raheengraney.

The Guardians decided to consider this Representation, and also one received from the Clonmore E.D., on the 10th November next.

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Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 9th day of October 1893

Signed, John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value,* £ 5037 6 - 17 - 0

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	881	143										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	1										
Fever Sheds												
TOTAL	931	144										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			14	33	34	26	9	6	5	8	8	143
Admitted during the Week -			3	4					2	1	1	11
TOTAL,			17	37	34	26	9	6	7	9	9	154
Discharged during the Week - Died - - - - -			3	3	1				2	1		10
Total Discharged and Dead -			3	3	1				2	1		10
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	34	33	26	9	6	5	8	9	144

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		
Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards: 59	In separate Wards: 13	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital: 1	In Wards with other Inmates: -	
TOTAL, 60	TOTAL, 13	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	3	2	2	7
No. in Workhouse at date	1	"	"	1

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 21st day of October 1893 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	
	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.	65	128				
No. II.	52	92				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.						

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

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 21st *day of* October 1893.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— William Spears Esq

Other Guardians:— Messrs Edward J. Byrne and Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed. None Guardian having then withdrawn terminated the Board.

W. Spears
Ch

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2059 *to No.* 2064 *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 Treasurer a/c was not received this week

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

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

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot 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.

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

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

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

	£	s.	d
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	14	10	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	26	4	2
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - -		3	"
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - -		3	4½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -		4	10

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

256 4 lb. loaves Bread, 32 lbs Butter,
292 lbs Meat 36 lbs Buttermilk & 166
Sweetmilk. 1 Hyde Butt, 2 Sides Kipp Leather
Lampblack and Pegs

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* October 189 3 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money	10	9	0
In Kind			
Total	£ 10	9	0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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.

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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.*

£	s.	d.

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 :—

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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 9

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 114

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was 8

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).

Shillelagh *Union.*

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

~~No~~ *1st* ~~meeting~~

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on ~~the~~ Friday the 27th day of October 1893.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

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

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

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

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

_____Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of 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).

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders 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 3rd day of November 1893.

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

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh *Union.*

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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 27 day of October 1893.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS—

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

No Meeting

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, ~~at a Meeting~~ held on Friday the 27th day of October 1893.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Members:—

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

(Signed) John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 50376 = 17 = 0

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	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
Workhouse	881	84										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	1										
Fever Sheds												
TOTAL	931	85										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			14	34	33	26	9	6	4	4	8	144
Admitted during the Week			5	2						1		8
TOTAL,			19	36	33	26	9	6	4	8	8	152
Discharged during the Week - Died			4	2						1		8
Total Discharged and Dead			4	2	1					1		8
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	34	32	26	9	6	4	4	8	144

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	59	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates	"
TOTAL,	60	TOTAL,	13

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

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

No. at corresponding period last year, 137

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28 day of October 1893 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) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
No. I.	65	128				
No. II.	52	42				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No.VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.						

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
Bt. forward						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No.XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 3 *day of* November 1893

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Frank Brooke Esq D.L. & Sub. Major Newton D.L.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Edward Hunter D.L., A. Wolahan, Wm Speares, Geo A. Tomkins, John Lyons, E. J. Byrne, Joseph Hopkins and A. D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Frank Brooke
Chairman

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

Signed, John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Dollard Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2068 *to No.* 2076 *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 Treasurer's a/c was not received this week

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

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

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot 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.

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	33	=	6
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	26	4	1
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	3
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	4½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	10

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

25 ¼ lb Loaves Bread
32 lbs Butter
180 " Beef
92 " Mutton
20 " Bacon
36 Gallons Buttermilk
166 " Sweetmilk

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

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

The 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* October 1893 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money ...	"	"	
In Kind ...	"	"	"
Total ... £	"	"	

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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.*

				£	s.	d.
~~2 ¼~~ 9	Thomas Gilbert	Cattle Plague home		4	16	"
10	Dr. J Dormer	Fee Lunacy Act		2	"	"
11	Susan Hopkins	Mowing & sand		3	9	"
12	The Board of Public Works	Repymt. loan P.H. act		58	15	5
13	Ditto	" labrs acts		84	1	6
14	Robert Ellis	Conveyance Paupers		1	9	3
"	Ditto	Remn. labrs acts		1	"	"
15	George Griffin	Threshing corn		1	10	"
~~16~~	Wm Duckett	Exp labrs cottages Rent		2	10	"
"	Lord Rathdonnell	"			6	6
"	J.S. B. Vanston	"			5	6
"	Ditto	"			5	6

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
18	Eliza McGuirk	meat	23	5	11

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

16	Michael O Toole	on a/c	30	"	"
17	Robert Ellis	"	25	"	"

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 Patrick Harte, Agriculturist, the Board granted him a new overcoat.

Margaret Dempsey, Inmate, was allowed an outfit of clothing for her infant child on leaving the Workhouse.

Messrs. D. Symes and Andrew Kolahan were nominated as a committee to receive samples of articles for yearly supplies on the 9th. inst.

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

The Master reported that Thomas Shaw, a patient in the Infirmary, complained of the conduct of Anne Redmond, the Wards-maid there, and stated that She sells the patients Tea.

The Workhouse Visiting Committee were ~~requested~~ asked to inquire into this matter, when they subsequently reported that they considered Shaw's complaint was without foundation.

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

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

No. 94 - M 93 - Miscellaneous 26th October 93

The Local Government Board wrote requesting to be furnished with returns showing (I) the receipts and expenditure of the Union during the half year ended the 25th of March & 29th Sept 93. respectively; and (II) the number of persons who received out-door relief during the same period.

No. 43766 30th October 93

A letter was read from the Local Government Board transmitting a communication which they had received from a man named Patrick Byrne, Hacketstown with reference to the resolution of the Guardians giving a share of the Union advertisements to the Wicklow Star, and requested that they might be furnished with the

Guardians observations on the subject.

With regard to the aforesaid letter the Guardians desire to observe that their reason for giving the advertisements to the three Wicklow papers was that there might be greater publicity and that the greater number of contractors would be able to tender.

No. 36847 31 October 93

The Local Government Board wrote signifying whether Mr. Wm Moody, Poor Rate Collector and Collector of Rents of Labourers Cottages in the Union had provided fresh sureties as directed by the Guardians on the 1st Ultimo.

The Clerk stated that Collector Moody had now executed his Bonds, which he submitted to the Board, and that Collectors Druce and Doyle had also perfected new Bonds.

No. 65 - M/93 - Miscellaneous 2nd Nov. 1893

The Local Government Board called for a statement showing the liabilities and assets of the Union at the close of the financial year ended on the 29th Sept. last. together with the balances of loans remaining due to the Commissioners of Public Works or others, on that date.

An application was read from the Miss Bolger, Workhouse School Teacher, for Results Fees: when the Guardians resolved to ask the Local Govt. Board to be good enough to obtain a certificate from the National Board of Education as to the amount of Fees to which she is entitled for the recent examination.

The Board appointed a Committee consisting

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of Major Newton, Messrs. E. J. Byrne & J. Lyons to inquire into the matter of cost of advertising in the local papers.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 9

Ditto disallowed ... ... "

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 2

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 114

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

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

Phillelagh *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 3rd day of November 1893

PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq D.L. V.C. & Sub. Major Newton V.P.

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Messrs. Edward Hunter Jr., A. Wolahan, William Speares, Gore A. Tomkins, John Lyons, E. J. Byrne, Joseph Hopkins 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:

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

_____Dispensary District.

Account of Mr._____for_____Amount, £

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of 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).

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

No 42626 Read Letter from the Local Govt. Board dated 26th Oct 1893 ~~stating that~~ requesting that they might be furnished with an Ordnance Map showing the lands proposed to ~~provide~~ be taken on lease by the Guardians in connexion with their proposal to provide a Residence for the Medical Officer of the Hacketstown Dispensary District under the Dispensary Houses Act.

It was directed that the Board's Engineer furnish the Map required.

Dr. Jackson Medical Officer of the Hacketstown District, reported that he successfully vaccinated 29 persons between the dates 20th July & Oct 93

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly viz., on the 31st March, 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 10th day of November 1893.

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

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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 3rd day of November 1893

PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq Dh. V.C. & Sub. Major Newton Jr.

OTHER GUARDIANS— Messrs Edward Hunter Jr. John Lyons, Wm Spears, Gore A. Tomkins, A. Wolahan, E. J. Byrne, Joseph Hopkins & A. D. Symes

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Hacketstown & Coolkenno	Dr. Jackson	Sewers	Pipe drain required to cross Roadway at Hacketstown Labrs cottages

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

"That Mr Ramsay be directed to have a pipe drain constructed."

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

No 42353 30th Oct. 93

The Local Government Board expressed their sanction to a loan of £360 for the construction of Water Works at Clongall, repayment to be spread over a period of 35 years. and the loan to be issued in two instalments of £260 and £100 respectively. They requested that certified copies of the Plans, &c, be furnished them

It was ordered that the Engineer prepare copies of the documents referred to and that the clerk make the necessary application to the Board of Works for the loan

The Board agreed to pay Mr. O'Toole, RD. the sum of 6/- for serving notice in connection with Clonegall Water Scheme

On the motion of Mr. Spears it was resolved that the clerk be directed to write to the Local Government Board, calling their attention to the fact that the name of John Byrne was omitted from the list of names of ratepayers under their sealed order, who were exempt from the payment of water-rate in the town of Carnew, for the Carnew Water supply. and that this Board respectfully request that the order be amended in this respect. See Minutes of 22nd May 1891.

Mr. Ramsay C.E. telegraphed as following:- "Carlow County Surveyor asks Boards authority for laying pipes and advises Board to apply for presentment for fountains tomorrow last day for applying to Grand Jury Secretary I will see

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see you tomorow."

The Board decided that it was not necessary to apply for a presentment in this case; but directed that Mr. Ramsay write to the County Surveyor giving an undertaking that the surface of the road would be made good again.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 10th day of November 1893.

(Signed) John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

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 3rd day of November 1893.

PRESENT: In the Chair—Frank R. Brooke Esq D.L. & Lieut Major Newton D.L.

Other Members:—

Messrs Edward Hunter D.L. A. Wolahan, Wm Spaves, Core A. Tomkins, John Lyons, P. J. Byrne, Joseph Hopkins and A. D. Symes.

In reply to a letter from the clerk Mr. Brown, Solicitor, wrote that he would require Copy Schemes and reference sheets to enable him to serve the necessary notices this month.

A letter was read from Mr. Ramsay, Engineer, stating he saw the defects in Philip Doyle's (1) and Denis O'Brien's (2) cottages and would have them put right. The latter had still some small defects to remedy.

The clerk was directed to instruct Mr. Ramsay to lay out allotments for cottages at Carradea Nos. 4 & 5 Ord. sheet 9 County Carlow.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value,* £ 50376 - 17 - 0

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	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
Workhouse	881	145										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	1										
Fever Sheds												
TOTAL	931	146										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			15	34	32	26	9	6	4	4	8	146
Admitted during the Week			10	3	1						1	15
TOTAL,			25	37	33	26	9	6	4	4	9	159
Discharged during the Week			4	3					1		1	13
Died							1					
Total Discharged and Dead			4	5			1		1		1	13
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			18	34	33	26	8	6	6	4	8	146

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	59	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates	1
TOTAL,	60	TOTAL,	14

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	9	1	"	10
No. in Workhouse at date	2	"	"	2

No. at corresponding period last year, 139

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4 day of November 1893 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) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
No. I.	65	128				
No. II.	82	92				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.						

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
Bt. forward						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 10th *day of* November 1893.

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

Other Guardians:— Major Newton D.L. Revd P. Hunter D.L., Edward Byrne D.L. James H. Kerr D.L. R. Laurenson, Wm Speare, Thos. Dowling, Edwd Grange, G. A. Tomkins, M. O'Toole, P. Butler, Jas Kavanagh, Patk Byrne, P. J. Byrne, J. Hopkins, Abraham D. Symes and John O'Sullivan.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 10th day of November 1893.

Signed, John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2047 *to No.* 2089 *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 Treasurer was not received this week

The Guardians agreed that the Rate Collectors close their accounts as following:—

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	~~Collected and Lodged during the Week~~ £	s.	d.	~~Total Rate and Arrears~~ Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining Uncollected £	s.	d.
Philip Doyle	Coolballintaggart	157	2	8	152	8	2	4	14	6
	Imahely	161	14	6	160	3	.	1	14	6
	Ballyboy	112	11	3	112	11	3	"	"	"
	Ballinglen	65	5	.	65	5	.	"	"	"
	Kilballyowen	93	10	9	93	10	9	"	"	"
	Kilpipe	164	.	4	163	19	6			10
		1054	7	6	1047	17	8	6	9	10
Thomas Tobin	Carnew	533	19	6	533	19	6	"	"	"
	Ballingate	167	"	8	167	"	8	"	"	"
	Shillelagh	163	10	6	163	10	6	"	"	"
	Coolboy	212	3	9	212	3	9	"	"	"
	Coollattin	153	7	8	153	7	8	"	"	"
		1230	2	1	1230	2	1	"	"	"
William Dwyer	Imoney	111	17	6	111	17	6			
	Rath	168	12	4	168	12	4			
	Cronelea	85	17	.	85	17	.			
	Killinure	185	11	11	185	11	11			
	Aghowle	172	6	8	172	6	8			
		724	5	5	724	5	5	"	"	"
William Moody	Clonmore	423	3	3	423	-	-	-	-	-
	(Irrecoverable Houses down)	-	-	-	-	-	-		3	3
	Hacketstown	350	11	3	346	1	6	"	"	"
	(Irrecoverable Houses down)							4	9	9
	Haroldstown	164	19	4	164	19	4	"	"	-
		938	14	1	934	1	1	4	13	.
Luke Kehoe	Clonegall	294	11	11	293	8	8	4	3	3
	Moyacomb	218	2	3	214	4	3		15	.
		512	14	2	507	15	11	4	18	3
	Total	4460	3	3	4454	2	2	16	11	

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.

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

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

1. *The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.*
2. *The Provision Check 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 -	22	10	4
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - -	26	12	3
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - -		3	3
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - -		3	4½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -		4	10

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

254 lb Loaves Bread
32 lbs Butter
256 " Beef & Mutton
32 Gallons Buttermilk
158 " Sweetmilk
4 Boxes Dipt Candles

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 1st *day of* November 189 3 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money	9	16	6
In Kind			
Total	£ 9	16	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
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No. II.					No. X.				
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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.*

				£	s.	d.
19	Dr Francis F. Brady	Registration fees		3	11	=
20	Dr J. B. Jackson	"		2	9	"
21	Annie Bolger	Salary		1	11	"
"	Joanna Shepherd	Caretaker Reg			10	6
22	Patrick Kehoe	Disp Labr Cottages on S/C		4	"	"
"	Ditto	"		8	"	"
"	Ditto	"		10	"	"
"	Ditto	"		20	"	"

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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 Guardians proceeded to consider tenders, as invited, for the supply of White Bread Beef, Mutton, Bacon, Oatmeal, Indian Meal & Butter to the Workhouse for three months commencing on 14th inst. when the following, being the lowest, were unanimously accepted :—

Thomas Kenny	White Bread @	7¼d per 4 lb loaf
Stephen Beraly	Oatmeal	£12-7-6 per ton
Ditto	Butter @	7½d per lb.
Eliza McGuark	Beef	7d "
Ditto	Mutton	7½d "
Richard McGuinness	Indian Meal	6/= per cwt.
Mary Murphy	Irish Bacon	7½d per lb.

Mr. Ellis, R.D. was allowed leave of absence on next Friday: Mr O'Toole R.D. to discharge his duties.

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

The Committee appointed to inquire into the matter of cost of advertising recommended that 3d a line be allowed the 'Carlow Papers' and 2½d to the local ones.

A letter was read from the manager of the "Carlow Vindicator" asking for a share of the advertisements at the rate of 3d per line.

The Board decided to invite tenders for the publication of the Union advertisements at a rate per line to be considered on the 1st proximo.

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

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

+ On the motion of Mr. Spears seconded by Major Newton it was unanimously resolved:—
"That the resolution of the North Dublin Union with regard to lunatics in Workhouses be not adopted."

The Guardians proceeded by five Committees to select articles to be supplied for twelve months from the 14th inst. as per advertisement.

It was proposed by Major Newton seconded by Mr. Spears and unanimously resolved:— "That the tenders for the undermentioned articles as selected by the different committees, be accepted to supply the Workhouse

for twelve months
from the 14th November 1893 - as following:—

Invoice

Tea at per lb not to exceed	1/8	James Sammon	1/6 per lb.
Sugar, soft, per cwt & Loaf per lb.		Jas. Sammon	20/- soft. Ditto -/2½ loaf
Whiskey at 18/- per Gallon		Joseph Twamley	18/-
Port Wine per Bottle & Mug each		Stephen Beraty	1/8
Pepper per lb & Soap per cwt		Jas. Sammon	Pepper -/9. C.O'Neill & Nephew 18/-
Candles, Composite per doz lb. & Dips per do.		Ellen Kenny	Composite 4/5. S. Correll Dipt 3/- 3/4
Washing Soda & Salt per cwt		Samuel Correll	W. Soda 4/6½ S. Beraty Salt 3/-
Rice, Starch & Blue at per lb.		Stephen Beraty	Rice -/2 Do Starch -/3 Do -/8

Clothing

Bed Rugs at each		Thomas Barrett	3/3
Blankets per pair		John J. Mc Fortune	20/-
Bed Ticken per yard		Samuel Weir	-/8½
Parragon do.		Thomas Barrett	1/5
Bengal Stripe do.		John Sutton	-/5¾
Calico, per yard, Calico Lining do.		Thomas Barrett	-/5 Thos. Barrett, lining -/3
Cotton Check & Linen do. per yard		S. Correll, cotton	-/6 T. Barrett -/3½ lining
Linsey Brown & Striped per yard		John Sutton, Brown,	-/7½ S. Weir, striped -/7½
Linen Grey at per yard		Thomas Barrett	-/8
Corduroy at per yard		Thomas Barrett	1/5
Flannel do		John Sutton	1/-
Grey Frieze do.		Samuel Correll	4/10½
Grey Tweed do		Thomas Barrett	2/5
Linsey do.		C.O'Neill & Nephew	-/5¾
Woollen & Cotton Handkerchiefs per doz.		Saml. Correll, Woollen,	16/- John Sutton Cotton 10/-
Worsted & Thread at per lb.		Saml. Correll, Worsted	1/2 John Sutton Thread 2/-
Studs, Bone, per Gross & Tapes per piece		C.O'Neill & Nephew. studs	-/5½ S. Correll 3/4 -/2¾
Leather Butt & Rips per lb.		Patrick Maguire, Foreign Butt	1/1, Native do 1/1
Shoe Binding		Black Kips 1/4 & Uncoloured do	1/2
Nails per 1000 & Hemp, per lb.		Matthew Murray	3/4 & 2/6; P. Maguire Hemp 2/2
Two Dozen pairs Childrens Boots		Patrick Maguire	5/- per pair

Establishment

Bass Brooms at each		C.O'Neill & Nephew	1/5

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Sweeping Brushes, per Doz.	C. O'Neill & Nephew 25/-
Scouring Brushes do.	John Sutton 12/=
Whitewash Brushes do.	Samuel Weir 14/=
Blacklead Brushes do.	Joseph Smyth 8/=
Tins, in sizes, per Doz. Platters do.	Michael O'Brien 4/= & 3 D+ 8/=; J. Smyth Platters 16
Combs, Coarse and fine do.	Joseph Smyth Coarse 3/= C. O'Neill, fine, 10½
Spoons per dozen	Joseph Smyth =/9
Books, forms & Stationery as prescribed by the L. G. Board	Joseph Dollard
All other Job Printing	William McPhail

Burial

Shrouding per yard	C. O'Neill & Nephew =/2¾
Coffins, each in sizes	C. O'Neill & Nephew 5/9 and 4/9

Tenders for Medicines & Medical & Surgical appliances for Workho. and three Dispensary Districts	P. A. Leslie & Co. Medicines Corcoran & Co Surgical Ins^ts

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 18

Ditto disallowed ... ... "

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 1

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 117

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).

Shillelagh *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 10th day of November 1893.

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

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Major Newton J.P. Messrs E. Hunter J.P. Edward Byrne J.P. Jas. H. Kerr J.P. Ralph Lawrenson, Wm Speares, Thos. Dowling, Edward Grange, G. A. Tomkins, N. O'Toole, Pierce Butler, James Kavanagh, Patrick Byrne, Edward J. Byrne, Joseph Hopkins, Abraham D. Symes and John O'Sullivan.

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

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

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

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

Coollattin & Clonegall Dispensary District.

21 Account of Mr. M Waterhouse for Bal. Salary Amount, £ 1 = 11 = 9

[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).

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders 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 17th day of November 1893

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

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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 10th day of November 1893

PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq D.L. V.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS— Major Newton D.L., Messrs Edward Hunter D.L., E. Byrne D.L., J. H. Kerr D.L., R. Lawrenson, W. Spears, T. Dowling, E. Grange, G. A. Tomkins, N. O'Toole, P. Butler, J. Kavanagh, P. Byrne, E. J. Byrne, J. Hopkins, A. D. Symes and John O. Sullivan.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

No. 8 8th Nov. 1893

The Secretary to the Board of Public Works acknowledged the receipt of the application of the Guardians for a loan of £760 for construction of Water Works at Clonegall which the said would receive due attention.

W. Ramsay Esq. having written to say that Thomas Byrne, Johnstown, claims compensation for trespass in laying water main across his garden & portion of a pool or hole acting as a receptacle for road drainage; the Board referred the matter to the Local Guardians for a report thereon

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 14th day of November 1893.

(Signed) John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 10th day of November 1893.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Frank Brooke Esq D.L. V.C.

Other Members:—

Major Newton D.L., Messrs. E. Hunter D.L., Edward Byrne D.L., J. H. Kerr D.L., R. Lawrenson, Wm. Spears, Thos. Dowling, Edw. Grange, G. A. Tomkins, N. O'Toole, P. Butler, J. Kavanagh, P. Byrne, E. J. Byrne, J. Hopkins, A. D. Symes and John O'Sullivan.

No. 45,065 8th November '93

The Local Government Board forwarded extracts from the report of their Engineering Inspector, Mr. O'Brien Smyth, relative to his recent inspection of the cottages erected or repaired in pursuance of the Improvement Schemes, and requested the Guardians attention to the matters referred to by the Inspector. A statement of the expenditure and liabilities incurred should be furnished.

It was directed that copies of the reports in question be forwarded to Mr. Ramsay Co. and his attention requested to the several matters mentioned.

With regard to the Clonegall E.D. "Part 3" the Guardians ~~have~~ resolved to abandon the acquisition of the 5 houses & plots, having failed to purchase them by agreement as authorised.

Mr. James Carthy, Ballyduff, wrote asking the Guardians to have the fence at Carrarea cottage plots

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plots breasted with stones, which they refused

Mr. Ramsay stated that the tenants of Carrarea and Rdheen cottages ask for gates in kitchens, which were not in specifications; and that the Tenant of Ballinakill old cottage wanted his gate posts replaced.

The Board declined to accede to this request.

The following copy of a resolution passed by the Drogheda Board of Guardians, was, on the motion of Mr. E. J. Byrne seconded by Mr. Dowling, adopted by this Board, viz:- "That we strongly protest against the present undue Taxation of Irish land in connection with some of the many acts now administered by our Poor Law Boards, and that we do press upon the Government our just claim for free Grants or at least for advances of money on much lower terms than at present for the purposes of the labourers acts, so that its operation may be facilitated, the act administered justly and made the real boon it should be to all sections of the people"

The Board, pursuant to notice next took into consideration 2 Representations from Ballingate and Clonmore Electoral Divisions.

Mr. Brooke, agent to Earl Fitzwilliam, having stated that his Lordship would erect a cottage for a labourer on Mr. Braddell's holding at Raheengraney, the Board resolved to reject the Representation in respect of the Ballingate Electoral Division.

The Representation from Clonmore E.D. was also rejected by the Guardians, in consequence of there

being only ten legitimate signatures thereto.

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Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 14th day of November 1893.

Signed, John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Dollard Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £* 50346-14-0

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse	881	145
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	"
Fever Sheds		
TOTAL	931	145

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	18	34	33	26	8	6	6	4	8	146
Admitted during the Week	4	2	1	1					1	9
TOTAL,	22	36	34	27	8	6	6	4	9	155
Discharged during the Week	4	3					1		1	9
Died				1						1
Total Discharged and Dead	4	3		1			1		1	10
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	18	33	34	26	8	6	5	4	8	145

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	59	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	"	In Wards with other Inmates	"
TOTAL,	59	TOTAL,	13

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	4	1	"	5
No. in Workhouse at date	2	"	"	2

No. at corresponding period last year, 134

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of November 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief 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
No. I.	65	128				
No. II.	52	92				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.						

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

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 14th *day of* November 1893.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Frank Brooke Esq DL. VC.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Wm Speares. Thos Dowling. James Kavanagh, Edward J Byrne. Joseph Hopkins, and Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2090 *to No.* 2100 *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 Treasurer was not received this week

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot 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.

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

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

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

	£	s.	d
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - (*Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*)	20	13	10
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - (*Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*)	26	9	6
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -		3	3
Average Cost in Infirmary -		3	4½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital -		4	10

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

256 4 lb Loaves Bread
31 lbs Butter
230 " Beef & Mutton
32 Gallons Buttermilk
154 " Sweetmilk
4 cwt Sugar.

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money ...	9	16	6
In Kind ...			
Total ... £	9	16	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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.

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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.*

£	s.	d.

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:—

W. of Tools R.D. was directed to inquire into the chargeability of Catherine Smith now upon Union at Large.

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

The Master reported that he gave leave of absence to the Fever Hospital nurse for Monday and Tuesday last to go to her Cousins Funeral: there were no patients in the Hospital and the assistants took Charge in her absence.

The report was approved of by the Board.

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

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

No. 114 M 1893 — 15th Nov. 1893

A circular letter was received from the Local Government Board stating that it was the custom in Workhouses of Scotland and England to allow husband and wife to occupy the same apartment provided they both desired to do so, that they were over the the age of sixty, and that no other person slept in the apartment. The Board were prepared to consider any proposal to permit a similar indulgence in Workhouses in Ireland.

No. 122 - M/93 - Miscellaneous — 16th Nov. 1893

The Local Government Board wrote calling for a Return showing the number admitted in sickness thealth and the births and deaths, etc. during the year

ended the 29th of September last.

On the motion of W. Speares seconded by Wm Dowling it was unanimously resolved:—

"That the Shillelagh Board of Guardians are of opinion that the scale recently fixed by the Local Government Board regulating the fees under the Franchise act of the Clerks of Unions and Poor Rate Collectors, in the scaled order of the 23rd ~~September last~~ instant, is unfair, unreasonable and inadequate for their increased responsibility and hard work, and they request that the local Government Board will be so good as to reconsider the matter, in order that those officers may be suitably remunerated.

"Suggesting at the same time the great advantage to the Ratepayers if such fees were paid out of the Consolidated Fund, which is the emphatic opinion of the Board they should be."

Warrants for the collection of the new Rate were issued to the several Rate Collectors of the Union.

Lists of tenements requiring Revision of Valuation, etc, as furnished by the Poor Rate Collectors were laid before the Board.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 11

Ditto disallowed ... ... "

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 5

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 114

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

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

Shillelagh *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 17th day of November 18 93.

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

OTHER GUARDIANS, Messrs William Spears Thos Dowling James Kavanagh. Edward J. Byrne Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

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

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

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

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

_____Dispensary District.

Account of Mr._____for_____Amount, £

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of 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, - - - £

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

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

No. 45,415

Read Letter from the L. Gov.t Board dated 15th Nov.r 1893.

~~stating that~~ transmitting copy of a letter which they had addressed to the Coollattin & Moneyall Dispensary Committee ratifying the appointment of Miss Kate Lawless, as Midwife at a salary of £20 per annum. Duties to commence on 1st inst.

6th September 93

A copy of the proceedings of an extraordinary meeting of the Tinahely Dispensary Committee was read, to the effect that Mr. E. J. Byrne had been appointed to act as Honorary Secretary. The Committee recommended the purchase of a camp stretcher for use of Dispensary. The Board directed that Dr. Bolster order a camp stretcher as required at Dispensary.

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly viz., on the 31st March, 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 24th day of November 1893.

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

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

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PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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 November 1893.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq D.L. J.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS—

Messrs. Wm. Speares, Thos. Dowling, J. Kavanagh, E. J. Byrne, J. Hopkins & A.D. Symes.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

No. 46,026 13th November 93

The Local Government Board wrote stating that they had recommended to the Commissioners of Public Works the loan of £360 sanctioned for the construction of waterworks at Clonegall.

No 46026 14th Nov. 1893.

A further letter was read from the Local Government Board requesting to be informed of the proportion of the outstanding balance of the loan of £1715 borrowed under the Labourers (I) acts on the security of the Rates of the Clonegall Electoral Division which would be chargeable on the Townlands of Clonegall & Huntington having regard to the net annual value of these townlands.

The Clerk informed the Guardians that the proportion of the outstanding balance of the loan chargeable on the townlands in question was £200.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 24th

day of November 1893.

(Signed) John Hoprins
Clerk of the Union.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 17th day of November 1893.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Frank A Brooke Esq D.L. V.C.

Other Members:— Messrs Wm Speares, Thos Dowling, James Kavanagh, Edward J. Byrne, Joseph Hoprins and Abraham D. Lynes.

Mr Kenway, C.E. wrote to say he was attending to the report of Mr O'Brien Smyth on Labourers cottages. He enclosed Plans, etc, of the Clonegall Waterworks also ord. sheet with plot around Dunvaird House marked thereon for local Government Board. He was sending answers to Mr Cotton's inquiries re Workhouse Sewerage, with tracing of plan & sections along pipes direct to local Government Board office.

Letters were read from Mr Brown, Solicitor, with regard to Improvement Schemes asking for information as to owners & occupiers addresses. The clerk was directed to ascertain the information required.

A Representation was received from the Hacketstown R.D. recommending the erection of a cottage for a labourer named William Byrne.

Representations were received on behalf of Daniel Doyle, Thomas Dempsey and Denis Quigley, tenants of Labourers Cottages at Hacketstown, for an allotment of one statute

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acre instead of half an acre.
The Representations were marked "Read".

The Clerk was directed to write to Mr. Brown Solicitor, and ask him to furnish his Bill of costs against the Guardians.

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Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 24th day of November 1893.

Signed, John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £* 50376-14-0

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse	881	152
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	2
Fever Sheds		
TOTAL	931	154

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	18	33	34	26	8	6	8	6	9	145
Admitted during the Week -	5	5	1		1				2	15
Born during week									1	1
TOTAL,	23	38	35	26	9	6	6	6	12	161
Discharged during the Week - Died - - - - -	4	2							1	4
Total Discharged and Dead -	4	2							1	4
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	19	36	35	26	9	6	6	6	11	157

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	62	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates	2
TOTAL,	64	TOTAL,	15

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	3	3	3	9
No. in Workhouse at date	2	1	2	5

No. at corresponding period last year, 138

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18 day of November 1893 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	
	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.	65	128				
No. II.	52	92				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.						

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

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

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Frank Brooke Esq DL. JC.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Richard James. Patrick Byrne and Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2104 *to No.* 2114 *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 Treasurer's Qe was not received this week

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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 - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	22	1	8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	27	3	11
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	4
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	7½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	10

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

264 4 lb Loaves Bread
32 lb. Butter
7 " Rice
4 Cwt Oatmeal
2 " Salt
190 lb. Beef
90 " Mutton
32 Gallons Buttermilk
161 " Sweetmilk
20 Pairs Blankets
20 Rugs
72 yards Wincey
2 Pieces Flannel
24 lbs Worsted

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 18 *day of* November 189 3 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money	9	16	6
In Kind			
Total ... ... £	9	16	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bf. 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.*

			£	s.	d.
26	Chas. D. Guinness	Cottage Rents	1	6	3
"	Stewart Duckett	"		6	"
"	Ellen Morton	"		8	"
"	William Betty	"		7	6
"	Geo. J. B. Vanston	"		6	"
"	Rep. Frances Byrne	"		3	9
"	Hodges Figgis & Co	Med. Cha. ord. Map Hacketstown Dist		2	8

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
23	R. Mc Gunnes	Bread &c	37	15	8
24	Eliza Mc Guirk	Meat	15	15	6
25	Ellen Kenny	Soap &c	6	1	11

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

27	Michael O'Toole	on g/c	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 :—

Michael Doolan, Inmate, was allowed an exchange of Boots on leaving the Workhouse

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

The Master reported that the roofs of the Kitchen Thaundry were stripped in 3 or 4 places by the storm on Friday and Saturday last: also the roof of Fever Hospital, and three Tiles were blown off roof of Barn and one off roof of mens building. He communicated with the Contractor who attended yesterday and had most of the roofing repaired.

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

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

No. 117 M 1893 — 21st November 1893

The local Government Board wrote that their attention had been directed to the differences which exist between the scales of dietary for healthy inmates in force in Irish and in English and Scotch Workhouses: and on comparison the Board found that the dietaries authorised in England and Scotland were generally better, more varied and more palatable, than those allowed in Ireland. They desired to be furnished with the Guardians views as to the desirability of any alteration in the present dietary.

The communication was referred to a Committee consisting of Messrs. W. Speares, A. D. Symes, Nicholas O'Toole, and D. J. Byrne, to furnish a report on the subject by

this day fortnight.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 17

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 117

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 ... ... "

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 24 day of November 1893

PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq V.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS, Messrs Richard James Patrick 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:

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of 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).

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders 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 4th Friday the
1st day of December 1893.

(*Signed*), John Hoppins
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh *Union.*

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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 24 day of November 1893.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esqr J.P.

OTHER GUARDIANS—

Messrs Richard James
Patrick Byrne and Abraham D. Symes

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

No 47,276 2 3rd November '93

The Local Government Board wrote acknowledging the receipt (2 copies) of Plans, specifications and Estimate for the construction of Waterworks at Clonegall.

A letter was read from Mr. Ramsay, Engineer stating that the County Surveyor of Carlow objects strongly to the position of fountain at cross roads opposite Mr. Henry Ryan's Clonegall and requests that it be at once removed and set in a recess 8'x 8' in opposite wall. He also asked to be informed of the section giving the Sanitary Authority power to open roads, etc.

The subject matter of this letter was adjourned for consideration next Board. day.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 1st

day of December 189 3

(Signed) John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 24 day of November 189 3

PRESENT: In the Chair— Francis Brooke Esq DL. J.C.

Other Members:— Thos Richard James Patrick Byrne and Abraham D. Symes.

A letter was read from Wm Brown Solicitor, Enniscorthy who was now the representative of R.H. Courtney late owner of part of Coolballintaggart on which a plot is to be acquired.

The Clerk stated he was endeavouring to obtain the information.

A lengthy communication was received from Mr Ramsay Engineer asking to be allowed certain extras in connection with the erection of labourers cottages.

The consideration of this matter was deferred for a week.

A Representation was received on behalf of John Murphy from the Moyacomb E.D., suggesting part of the lands of Andrew Nolan (occupied by John Lawlor) ~~Johnstown~~ as a suitable locality for the erection of a cottage

The Board having received a Representation from the Haroldstown E.D. recommending one statute

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acre (instead of half an acre) to be acquired as an allotment for cottages provided under the Labourers acts; decided to endorse the document "Read".

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Dr. B. Brooke
Chairman.

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 1st day of December 1893.

Signed, John Hops Rius
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 50376 : 14 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25 day of November 189 3

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 Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	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
Workhouse	887	142										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse	50	8										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds												
TOTAL	937	150										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			19	36	35	26	9	6	6	6	11	157
Admitted during the Week			4	3	2							9
TOTAL,			23	39	37	26	9	6	6	6	11	163
Discharged during the Week			6	3	1				1			12
Died					1							1
Total Discharged and Dead			6	3	2		1		1			13
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			17	36	35	26	8	6	5	6	11	150

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	59	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	8	In Wards with other Inmates	2
TOTAL,	67	TOTAL,	15

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	4	2	-	6
No. in Workhouse at date	-	1	-	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 141

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25 day of November 189 3 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) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
No. I.	65	128				
No. II.	52	92				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No.VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.						

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
Bt. forward						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No.XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 1st *day of* December 189 3.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Frank Brooke Esq D.L. V.C.

Other Guardians:— The Honble H. L. D. Forbes D.L. Messrs Edward Hunter J.P., C. Byrne Jr., (Asst. Chm.) J. H. Kerr Esqre, Ralph Lawrenson, A. Wolahan, Wm Spears, P. J. Ferris, Thos Dowling, G. A. Tomkins, Nicholas O'Toole, John Lyons, Pierce Butler, Jas Kavanagh, P. J. Byrne, J. Hops Rius, A. D. Symes and John O'Sullivan.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2118 *to No.* 2128 *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 Treasurer a/c was not received this week

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

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

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot 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.

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

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

1. *The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.*
2. *The Provision Check 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 -	21	18	10
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - -	28	14	9
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - -		3	4
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - - -		3	4½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -		4	10

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

42, 4 lb. Loaves Bread
32 lbs Butter
200 " Beef
114 " Mutton
30 Gallons Buttermilk
168 " Sweetmilk
40 lbs Butt Leather
5 Dozen Pint Tins; also
Drugs & Surgical Instrument for
Med. Officer with special articles

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 25 *day of* November 189 3 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money	9	16	6
In Kind			
Total ... ... £	9	16	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
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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.
28	Samuel Weir Bedsteads, etc,	15	6	4

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

2 *Establishment Account.*

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

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8. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
29	Ellen O'Hara Firewood	2	2	"

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

4 *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
30	Robert Ellis	O.D.R. on a/c	25	"	"

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 Master reported that he sold the remains of old clothes and Rags to Joseph Cahill for the sum of 6 shillings and one penny.

The Clerk was directed to notify to the Liverpool London & Globe Insurance Company the alteration in Stores of Workhouse Infirmary wards.

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

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

No. 43,738 28 Nov. 1893.

The Local Government Board wrote acknowledging the receipt of the resolution of the Guardians of the 17th inst. referring to the Boards order of the 23rd of September last fixing a scale of remuneration for Clerks of Unions and Collectors of Poor Rates in respect of their duties under the Representation of the People Acts.

29 Nov. 1893.

The Commissioner of Valuation acknowledged receipt of lists of Tenements requiring Revision in the Union, which were transmitted on 25th inst.

The Committee appointed to take stock of Provisions and clothing for the half year ended 29th Sept last, recommended the following articles of clothing to be condemned as unfit for future use viz:-

Bedding	Mens clothing	Womens clothing	Boys clothing	Girls clothing
67 Sheets	6 coats	25 Gowns	6 coats	32 Frocks
16 Blankets	5 Waistcoats	66 Petticoats	2 Waistcoats	15 Petticoats
17 Rugs	3 Trowsers	42 Shifts	4 Trowsers	18 Shifts
11 Bedticks	34 Shirts	86 aprons	9 Shirts	42 aprons
5 Bolsters	9 Shoes	22 Handkerchiefs	8 Shoes	17 Shoes
	11 Stockings	21 Shoes	10 Stockings	10 Stockings
	2 Flannel vests	23 Stockings & caps		4 Bonnets

It was proposed by Mr. Ferris seconded by Mr. Lyons & passed that the foregoing recommendation be adopted & that the following utensils used up in the Workhouse be struck off Workhouse Books, viz:- 8 Dozen Tins. 6 Dozen Brushes. 3 Fenders. 3 Dozen Chambers and 3 Tea pots.

The Board proceeded to consider tenders for the publication of advertisements in connection with the Union for the ensuing twelve months. when the following were received:- The "Wicklow People" at 1/2d per line, the Wicklow News-letter 2d per line, the Wicklow Star 1/2d per line, the Carlow Sentinel 1/4d per line, the Carlow Nationalist at 1/3d per line and the "Nationalist & Leinster Times" 1/4d per line.

It was proposed by Mr. P. J Byrne and seconded by Mr Symes - "That the tenders of the three local papers - the "Wicklow People" "News Letter" & "Star" - be accepted at 1/2d per line.

Mr R. O'Toole moved as an amendment - "That in the opinion of this Board two newspapers are quite sufficient for all advertising purposes viz:- "The "Wicklow News-letter

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News-letter" and Wicklow People" The amendment was seconded by Mr. Lyons.

On a poll being taken 7 Guardians voted for and 10 against the amendment, which was accordingly declared lost, and Mr Byrne's proposition was then put and carried

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 11

Ditto disallowed ... ... "

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

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

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

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

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

Shillelagh *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 December 1893

PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq D.L. V.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS, Subsequently E Byrne Esq J.P. The Honble. H.L. D. Boscawen D.L. Messrs. Edwd. Hunter J.P., J.H. Keer J.P., R. Lawrenson, A. Wolahan, Wm Speares, E. J. Ferris, T. Dowling, G.A. Tomkins, N. O'Toole, John Lyons, C. Butler, Jas. Kavanagh, E. J. Byrne, J. 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:

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

_____Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of 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).

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders 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 8th day of December 1893.

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

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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 December 1893.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq. D.L. Sub. E. Byrne Esq. J.P.

OTHER GUARDIANS— The Hon.ble H.L. D. Boscawen D.L. Messrs. E. Hunter J.P. J. Kerr J.P., R. Lawrenson, A. Wolahan, ~~Wm Spearer, E. J. Ferris, T. Dowling, G.A. Tomkins, N. O'Toole, J. Lyons, P. Butler, J. Kavanagh, E. J. Byrne, J. Hopkins, A.D. Symes~~ and John O'Sullivan.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

No. 45,547 30th November 93

With reference to the Guardians minutes, on the 2nd instant, the Local Government Board, wrote, stating that a loan having been obtained on the security of the Rates of the area declared chargeable with the cost of providing a water supply for Carnew by the order dated the 9th July 1891, that area cannot now be reduced.

In reply to the foregoing letter the Board of Guardians desire to point out that the inclusion of the Holding of John Byrne was a mistake so far as this Board is aware, made in the Office of the Local Government Board, and this Board considers it unfair and unjust to include the Holding referred to in the area of Charge and again beg to point out that it was exempt by the resolution of this Board, dated 22nd May 1891. and this Board now respectfully prays the Local Government Board to have the matter set right.

No 47,582 30th November 93

The Local Government Board returned the Tracing, &c. relating to the proposed works for the improvement of the sewerage of the Workhouse, & stated that they approved of the Scheme suggested by Mr. Ramsay. They pointed out, however, that the Guardians should not carry out the alterations until definite arrangements were made with respect to the discharge of the Sewage & the abstraction & use of the water for flushing & might secure them from any risk of having the works interfered with in future.

Copies of the documents transmitted therewith, should be furnished.

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Mr Ramsay forwarded a certificate for £200. for Mr Baird, on a/c of Clonegall Waterworks, which he stated were now nearly completed. The County Surveyor had again written him urging the removal of the fountain referred to in his letter of last week.

The Board agreed to authorize Mr Baird to remove the fountain at a cost of £1.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 8th day of December 1893.

(Signed) John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

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PRESENT: In the Chair— Frank Brooke Esq D.L. & Sub. E. Byrne Esq D.P.

Other Members:—

The Honble H. L. D. Boscawen D.L. Messrs E. Hunter J.P. J. H. Kerr J.P., Ralph Lawrenson, And^w Wolahan, Wm Spearer, E. J. Ferris, T. Dowling, G. A. Tomkins, N. O'Toole, John Lyons, P. Butler, J. Kavanagh, E. J. Byrne, Joseph Hopkins, Abraham D Symes and John O'Sullivan.

Mr John Byrne wrote stating he would object to the erection of a labourers cottage on his lands at Coolballintaggart.

The Board decided to allow John Nolan, tenant of labourers cottage at Raheen, the sum of £1. for clearing his plot.

It was ordered that the clerk write to Mr Ramsay, architect, and request him to furnish his account in accordance with the terms of his agreement with the Board: and also furnish a separate bill of any extras claimed.

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Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 8th day of December 1893.

Signed, John Stoppard
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Dollard Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 5036 = 14 = 0

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse	88	143
Temporary Buildings ..		
Additional Workhouse ..		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	6
Fever Sheds		
TOTAL	93	149

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	14	36	35	26	8	6	7	6	11	150
Admitted during the Week -	5	4	1		1		2	1		14
TOTAL,	22	40	36	26	9	6	7	4	11	164
Discharged during the Week -	6	2	1			1	2	1	1	15
Died - - - - -										
Total Discharged and Dead -	6	2	1			1	2	1	1	15
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	16	38	35	25	9	5	5	6	10	149

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	6	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital		In Wards with other Inmates	
TOTAL,	6	TOTAL,	13

OBSERVATIONS —

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	5	2	4	11
No. in Workhouse at date	"	"	"	"

No. at corresponding period last year, 143

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of December 1893 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	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	68	105				
No. II.	46	52				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.						
Bt. forward						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 8th = *day of* December 1893.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— William Spears Esq

Other Guardians:— Messrs Nicholas O Toole Edward J. Byrne and Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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Paid during the week - - - - - £

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

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	4
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	4½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	10

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

274, 4 lb Loaves Bread
34 lbs Butter
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100 " Mutton
32 Gallons Buttermilk
1934 " Sweetmilk
60 yards Corduroy

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	£	s.	d.
In Money	10	5	6
In Kind	=	=	=
Total ... ... £	10	5	6

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

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

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

				£	s.	d.
31	P.A. Leslie & Co	Workhos Drugs	3:12:8			
"	Do	"	2:15:8			
"	Do	"	6:6:5			
"	Do	"	4:18:6	17	13	3
32	Corcoran & Co	F. Instruments	1:6			
"	Do	"	2:18:0			
"	Do	"	2:15:0	5	14	6
33	W.W. F. Dick	Rent hab. cottage plots	1:5:0			
"	Do	"	12:0			
"	Do	"	4:0	2	1	"
"	Hardy & Ors	"		1	4	"
34	James Shannon	Exp hab. cottages on account		20	"	"

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

4 *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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:—

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Thomas Dowse Contractor for keeping the Workhouse Buildings in repair applied for an allowance of 30/- to compensate him for extra work repairing the damage done by the recent storms.

The consideration of the matter was deferred till the 15th inst.

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

The Master reported that a portion of roof of the Laundry was stripped by the storm last night.

It was ordered that Contractor Dowse repair the damage forthwith.

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

No. 141 30th Nov. 93

A Receivable order was recd. from the Chief Secretary's Office, for the sum of £139-16-6, being the amount payable to the Guardians on account in respect of the Probate Duty Grant for year ending 25th 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):—

The Clerk was directed to request the several Rate Collectors to use more energy in the collection of the Rates in their respective districts.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 14

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 114

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

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

Shillelagh *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 8th day of December 1893

PRESENT—In the Chair, William Speares Esq

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Messrs Nicholas O'Toole

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:

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

Imahely Dispensary District.

31 Account of Mr. P. A. Leslie & Co for Drugs Amount, £ 2 = 0 = 10
32 Corcoran & Co Sgl. Instruments 7 = 6
Hacketstown Dist.
31 P. A. Leslie & Co Drugs 13 = 10 = 4
32 Corcoran & Co Sgl. Instruments 4 = 9 = 6
Coollattin Dist.
32 Corcoran & Co 3 = 10 = 2
" Do " 18 = 0
" Do " 6 = 0 4 = 14 = 2

[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).

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

No. 47,282

Read Letter from the Local Govt. Board dated 1st December 93.
~~stating that~~
advising to the proposal of the Guardians to provide a Residence for the Medical Officer of the Hacketstown Dispensary District, under the Dispensary Houses act & forwarding a Form showing the particulars to be furnished to them when application was made ~~them~~ for a certificate under section 4 of the act.

[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 15th day of December 1893

(*Signed*), John Stopford
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh *Union.*

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8th day of December 189 3.

PRESENT—In the Chair, William Speares Esq

OTHER GUARDIANS— Messrs Nicholas O Toole, Edward J. Byrne and Abraham D. Symes

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

No 16228 5th Dec. 93.

The Solicitor to the Board of Works wrote with reference to the loans of £760 for construction of Waterworks at Clonegall, requesting to be informed of the circumstances under which the property was acquired and asked to be furnished with the Deed of Conveyance and Map of the property etc.

The communication was referred to the Engineer Clonegall Waterworks

Mr Brown, Solicitor, wrote asking for some particulars of the lease under which Mr Ryan held from Colonel Tottenham: and also if Colonel Tottenham had consented to the proposed assignment by Ryan.

A letter was received from Mr Ryan, in reply to one from the clerk, stating that he held by Judicial lease from Colonel Tottenham.

The clerk was instructed to again write to Colonel Tottenham to ascertain what he is prepared to accept for his rights in this matter.

Edward Healy, caretaker of the Tinahely Waterworks, reported that one of the fountains in the town had been burst with the late frost.

It was ordered that Mr Dowse repair the pipe at a cost of 5/-.

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(Signed) John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8th day of December 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair— William Spears Esq

Other Members :— Messrs Nicholas O Toole, Edward J. Byrne and Abraham D. Symes.

A letter was read from Mr Brown Solicitor, inquiring what was Mrs Caroline Jobling's present address, or that of her agent.

The Clerk stated he was unable to ascertain Mrs Jobling's address, but he had found that of her agent

No. 49356 4th December 93

With reference to the minutes of the Guardians on the 1st instant, the Local Government Board wrote asking for particulars respecting the proposal to allow a sum of £1 to John Nolan, tenant of a cottage erected at Raheen.

It was directed that the Local Government Board be informed that the sum was allowed to level the walls of an old house on the plot and for reclaiming the site.

A Representation form was received from the Coolboy D.C. for a cottage for Hugh Lennon junr

Two Representations were received from the Hacketstown D.C. for the acquisition of a statute acre

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of land for each of four cottages

Mr Ramsay. architect, transmitted a certificate for payment of the sum of £20 to Jas Shannon on a/c of his Contract for erecting walls at Hacketstown labourers cottages.

A cheque was ordered to be drawn for the amount.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £* 50376-17-0

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	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
Workhouse	887	144										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	4										
Fever Sheds												
TOTAL	931	151										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	28	35	25	9	5	5	6	10	149
Admitted during the Week			17	1	2				1			21
TOTAL,			33	39	37	25	9	8	6	6	10	170
Discharged during the Week - Died			14	2	2				1			19
Total Discharged and Dead			14	2	2				1			19
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			19	37	35	25	9	5	5	6	10	151

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	13	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	7	In Wards with other Inmates	"
TOTAL,	20	TOTAL,	13

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	15	1	1	14
No. in Workhouse at date	2	"	"	12

No. at corresponding period last year, 150

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9th day of December 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
No. I.	68	105				
No. II.	46	52				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No.VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.						

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
Bt. forward						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No.XVII.						
TOTAL						

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

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

Other Guardians:—

Messrs Wm Speares. Thos Dowling. Edward J. Byrne and Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 15th day of December 1893

Signed, John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2146 *to No.* 2159
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:—

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

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot 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.

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

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

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

	£	s.	d
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	19	11	10
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	29	6	10
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	4
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	7½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	10

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

276, 4 lb. Loaves Bread
33 lbs Butter
191 " Beef
100 " Mutton
32 Gallons Buttermilk
180 " Sweetmilk
2 " Whiskey
1 Chest Tea
2 Bags Sugar
3 Boxes Dipt Candles

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 9th *day of* December 189 3 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money	10	5	6
In Kind	"	"	"
Total	£ 10	5	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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.*

		£	s.	d.	
36	William McPhail, Printing & advtg.	20	8	:	
37	Dr John Bolster Lunacy fee	2	"	:	
38	Messrs Townshends Exphabrs Cottages Rent	3	1	3	
41	Murphy & Townsend " on a/c cont	40	:	"	£20:
42	Thomas Dowse Establmt extras	5	"	"	£20:

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
35	Relyea McGuirk Meat	14	15	2

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:—

Dr King. Workhouse Medical Officer, reported that Out door wooden seats were badly wanted in the Male and Female Idiot yards, that rails ought to be procured for steps leading up to upper level in same yards & also in Male and female Infirmary yards, as at present they were unsafe for infirm people.

The matter was referred to the Workhouse Visiting Committee

The Schoolmaster, Wm Furlong, obtained two days leave of absence: the schoolmistress to take charge of boys.

Dr King, Medical Officer, applied for and was granted leave of absence for two days (during next ten days) Dr Brady to discharge his duties without expense to Board

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

The Master reported that a new half door 6.4" X 4.8" was required for Car house: the old one having been torn down by storm on Saturday last & completely broken up. It would cost about £1.

A large piece of ceiling had recently fallen down inside door at men's side of Infirmary: the contractor stated he would get it done as soon as he could get the services of a Plasterer.

Order for Christmas Dinner.

The Guardians authorised the Master to order a new half door for Car house: and agreed to allow the following extras to the Workhouse Inmates on Xmas day viz:- Adults 1lb meat each for dinner, & children ½ lb each. Breakfast Bread same quantity as for dinner, with ½ oz Tea. 2 oz Sugar and 1 oz Butter each.

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

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

No. 129 M/1893 - Miscellaneous 11th Dec. 93

Read circular letter from the Local Govt. Board stating that their attention had been drawn to the practice prevailing in District Lunatic Asylums of notifying to the coroner the death of any lunatic inmate. They requested that a similar course should be adopted with regard to Workhouse Inmates who at the time of decease were classed as Lunatics.

The Guardians directed the attention of the Workhouse Master to the communication

The Board resolved to pay Thomas Dowse, Contractor, the sum of £2. for repairing damage done to Workhouse Buildings by recent storms: & also £3 for extra works ordered by Board.

It was directed that Jones Lamps (similar to sample submitted to Board) be ordered from Mr Ellison, Shillelagh, also one smaller size: and that oil be procured for them.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 1/4

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 1/4

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered 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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PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq D.L. V.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS, Messrs William Speares

Thomas Dowling, Edward J Byrne & A.D. Symes.

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

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

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

Tinahely Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. Dr. J. Bolster for Vacc. fees Amount, £4 - 16 - 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).

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders 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 22nd day of December 1893

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

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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 15 day of December 1893.

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

OTHER GUARDIANS—

Messrs Wm Speares, T. Dowling, Edward J Byrne and A.D. Symes

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Coollattin & Clonegall	Dr. W.H. Brady	Scarlatina	Houses of James Nolan, Ballykelly, Peter Kelly, Minmore & Denisbury, Shillelagh.

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

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

	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
39	Clonegall	Wm Baird on a/c cont W.W.	100	=	=
40	"	Henry Ryan Compn Water Rights on a/c	10	=	=

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:—

No. 16,699 14 Decr 1893

The accountant to the Board of Works wrote acknowledging receipt of the application of the Board for £360, the 1st instalment on a/c by a loan of £360 for Clonegall Waterworks, which he stated, was receiving attention.

A letter was read from W. Baird, contractor for construction of Clonegall Works applying for the sum of £100 on a/c as per certificate of Engineer.

The Guardians agreed to pay W. Baird the sum of £100 pending receipt of loan.

On the application of W. Henry Ryan, Clonegall, it was resolved to pay him the sum of £10 (on account of £15) for water rights and trespass in connection with Clonegall Waterworks.

W. Ramsay, Engineer, wrote that he had inspected all the works at Clonegall Waterworks with the contractor, W. Baird, on Thursday and found them all in good working order.

Wm. John Doyle, Clonogan, having appeared before the Board to complain that he was deprived of his supply of water, in consequence of the construction of Waterworks at Clondgall, for which he claimed compensation; the Board directed that W. Ramsay C.E. be instructed to report as to the several claims for water rights.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 22nd day of December 189 3.

(Signed) J. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

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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 December 189 3.

PRESENT : In the Chair— Frank Brooke Esq D.L. & C.

Other Members :— Messrs Wm Speares. Thos Dowling. Edward J. Byrne and Abraham D. Symes.

A letter was read from Dr John M. Young of Ballygalduff objecting to the proposed erection of a Labourers cottage on his lands at Blackhill, Clonmore E.D.

A Representation was received from the Moyaconkt E.D. for erection of a Cottage for Thomas Doyle Ballynastraw.

The clerk was directed to write to Mr. Lyons R.L.S. and ask him to inspect and report on the fence around James Bryan's cottage allotment at Constablehill.

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Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 22nd day of December 1893.

Signed, J. Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 50376 = 14 = 0

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	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
Workhouse	881	140										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse	50	11										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds												
TOTAL	731	151										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			19	37	35	25	9	5	5	6	10	151
Admitted during the Week			4	1		1						9
TOTAL,			26	38	35	26	9	5	5	6	10	160
Discharged during the Week			4									4
Died			2									2
Total Discharged and Dead			9									9
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			17	38	35	26	9	5	5	6	10	151

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	59	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	11	In Wards with other Inmates	"
TOTAL,	70	TOTAL,	13

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

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

No. at corresponding period last year, 150

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16th day of December 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
No. I.	68	105				
No. II.	46	52				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.						

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
Bt. forward						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 22nd *day of* December 1893.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— William Speares Esq.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. Wm Kennedy, Patrick Byrne, Thomas Swan, Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2160 *to No.* 2180 *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 Treasurer's Book was not received this week

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

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

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

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 - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	21	4	1
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	29	12	10
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	4
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	7½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	10

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

300, 4 lb Loaves Bread
~~426~~ 6 lbs Butter
430 " Beef & Mutton
28 Gallons Buttermilk
198 " Sweetmilk

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

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

The 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* December 1893 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money	10	5	6
In Kind			
Total ... ... £	10	5	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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.
75	Thomas Hickey 4 Wages	4	"	"
74	Patrick Kirwan "	4	2	"

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

43	Revd. H. E. Ellison	6 : 5 : 0	55	Patk. Harte	3	18	"
44	Revd. W. S. Sumott	12 : 10 : 0	"	Patk. Connolly		15	"
45	Dr. F. J. G. King 3.15.0 / 16.5.0 / 2.2.2 / 1.5.0	22 : 10 : 0	56	Geo. Newsom	12	10	"
46	John Hopkins	23 : 7 : 2	57	Dr. J. W. Bookey	30	7	6
47	Michael Dowyer	12 : 10 : 0	58	Benj. Hopkins	23	16	7
48	Anne Corrigan 7 : 10 : 0 / 1 : 5 : 0	8 : 15 : 0	59	Michl. O'Toole	7	"	"
49	Peter Furlong	6 : 5 : 0	60	Robt. Ellis	6	"	"
50	Sarah A Bolger	6 : 5 : 0	78	Jas. Shannon	10	"	"
51	Annie Bolger	5 : 0 : 0	79	Patk. Kehoe	42	"	"
52	M. P. Deegan	5 : 0 : 0	80	James Condell	1	"	"
53	Patrick Fox	3 : 0 : 0	"	Dr. J. Bolster	1	10	6
54	Thomas Dowse	10 : 0 : 0	"	Joseph Boulger		14	6
			"	Michael O'Toole		18	=

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

4/6	Michael O Toole	Nurse	16	14	6
4/7	Ditto	on a/c	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 :—

It was ordered that a Machine for sweeping Chimney flues be purchased and one of the able-bodied Inmates of the Workhouse appointed to use same, & Sweeps contract be terminated

Mr. Ellis, R.O. was allowed leave of absence on next Board-day, Mr. O'Toole R.O. to discharge his duties.

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

The Master reported that a patient named Patrick Byrne, suffering from Fever was brought into the Fever Hospital on Sunday last from Bally Kelly & died the following evening about 24 hours after his admission. He had been visited previous to his admission by Dr. Brady who asked him (the Master) to send the Fever Van for him and gave directions to the Nurse in regard to his treatment. Dr. Brady who was doing duty for Dr. King that day saw the patient next morning and everything possible done for him, but he died on Monday evening.

The report was approved of by the Board.

The Master applied for one days leave of absence which was granted by the Board. The Matron to act as substitute.

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

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

On the recommendation of the Committee appointed to report on the circular letter of the Local Government Board of the 21st Ult. No. 117, relative to Dietary of Inmates of the Workhouse and Hospitals, in conjunction with the Medical Officer it was unanimously resolved — "That an increase of Tea and Sugar in the infirm class be made from 1/8 daily to 1/3 oz and from 1 oz sugar to 2 oz: and that Inmates over 60 years of age who smoke be allowed one oz of Tobacco weekly. Potatoes to be used on three days in week instead of two for dinner for healthy Inmates in usual quantities. That the 8 oz of Bread heretofore allowed to the Idiots for Supper be discontinued and left to discretion of Medical Officer."

The Board also, with the approval of the Medical Officer agreed to add 1/3 oz Tea and 2 oz Sugar, daily, to No. 2 Diet for the sick with one Quart Sweetmilk, instead of 3 pints mixed Milk; and that No. 5 Dietary be increased from 1/8 oz Tea to 1/3 daily & Sugar from 1 oz to 2: and that 1 oz Butter each daily be allowed patients in same class (as per Scale of Dietary ~~also~~ encd.) for which we desire the sanction of the Local Government Board.

It was ordered that the attention of the Local Government Board be directed to the Minute of this Board, on the 3rd Ult. asking them to be good enough to obtain a certificate from the National Board of Education, as to the amount of Result fees to which ~~a~~ Miss Bolger, School Teacher, is entitled for last examination.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 21

Ditto disallowed 4

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 11

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 11

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 114

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

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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 December 1893

PRESENT—In the Chair, William Spears Esq

OTHER GUARDIANS, Messrs William Kennedy Patrick Byrne Thomas Swan. Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

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

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

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

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

Coollattin &c Dispensary District.

61	Account of Mr.	Dr. W. H. Brady	for ¼ Salary	Amount, £ 30 - 0 - 0
62		Eliza Taylor	"	1 - 15 - 0
63		Jane Morton	"	1 - 15 - 0
64		Thomas Byrne	¼ Rent	1 - 15 - 0
65		Kate Lawless	¼ Salary (part of)	2 - 2 - 9
Hacketstown	66	Dr. J.B. Jackson	¼ Salary & Vac. Fees 2.18.0 30.0.0	32 - 18 - 0
	67	Jane Hinch	¼ Rent	2 - 0 - 0
	68	Anne Cooper	"	1 - 10 - 0
Ymahely	69	Dr. J. Bolster	¼ Salary & Rent	30 - 0 - 0 / 1 - 10 - 0
	70	Charles Byrne	¼ Rent	1 - 10 - 0
	71	Fanny Dowse	¼ Salary	1 - 5 - 0
	72	Mary White	"	5 - 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, - - - £

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

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders 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 29 day of December 18 93

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

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PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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 22 day of December 189 3.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Wm Spares Esq

OTHER GUARDIANS—

Messrs Wm Kennedy P Byrne
J Swan J Hopkins and A D Symes

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
45		Dr. F. J. G. King ½ Salary	2	10	-
46		John Hopkins .	2	10	-
59		Michael O Toole .	1	15	-
"		do Ditto Carnew W.W. .	1	5	-
60		Robert Ellis .	1	10	-
61	Coollattin	Dr. F. J. Brady .	3	15	-
66	Hacketstown	Dr. J. B. Jackson .	3	15	-
69	Tinahely	Dr. John Bolster .	3	15	-
43		Edward Healy Tinahely W.W. .	1	5	-

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

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

No. 49,355 20th Dec. 93

The Local Government Board acknowledged the receipt of the Guardians minutes on the 1st inst. containing an entry of their letter of the 30th ultimo. relative to the area of charge for expenses incurred in providing a supply of water for Carnew and with reference to the order made thereon by the Guardians, the Board desired to point out that the extract from the Rate Book furnished by the clerk for the schedule to the order adopted in due course contained only the tenements set forth in the order. If necessary the extract & descriptive list, which corresponds exactly with, should be forwarded for the Guardians information

With reference to the foregoing letter the Guardians decided to draw the attention of the L.G. Board to the following copy of a resolution adopted by them on the 22nd May 1891. viz:— "That the area of charge for the Carnew Water supply be the townlands of Carnew with the exception of the holdings of Wm Bain, John Stone, Catherine Stone, Thos. Stone, John Byrne, and Rep. R. Jacob." It was also ordered that the clerk transmit to the L.G.B. the ordnance sheet coloured showing that the holding of John Byrne was excluded from the area and stamped by them at the time; and that as it now appears the holding in question was inadvertently omitted by the clerk in the extract from Rate Book the Guardians pray the L.G. Board to issue an amended order to correct the same.

With regard to T. Doyle's claim (of Clonogan) for

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for compensation. for being deprived of the use of Bride's Well. W. Ramsay wrote that he considered a sum, not exceeding £5 should meet Doyle's demand as he had two other sources of supply close at hand.

Mr. Speares volunteered to visit the place with the Local Guardians in order to definitely arrange the matter, which course was approved of.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 29th day of December 1893.

(Signed) John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 22nd day of December 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair— William Speares Esq

Other Members:— Messrs. Wm. Kennedy, P. Byrne Thos. Swan, Joseph Hopkins & Abraham D. Symes.

Copy of a resolution adopted by the Room Guardians calling upon the Government to issue Loans to Boards of Guardians, under the Labourers acts, at the same rate of interest as that charged for the loans given in the year 1880 was read.

Mr. Ramsay, architect, forwarded final certificate for payment of the sum of £8. to James Shannon, Contractor, for erecting fence walls at Hacketstown cottages; and £2 for laying drain pipes across street into sewer at same place.

Payment was ordered.

A Representation for a cottage was received from Ratepayers resident in the Coolboy E.D. on behalf of a Labourer named Michael O'Neill.

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Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 10346-14-0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of December 189 3.

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
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	89	143										
Temporary Buildings ..												
Additional Workhouse ..												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	8										
Fever Sheds												
Total	139	151										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			14	38	35	26	9	5	5	6	10	151
Admitted during the Week -			12	2				1	1			14
Total,			29	40	35	26	9	6	6	7	10	165
Discharged during the Week -			8	3				1	1	1	1	15
Died - - - - - -			2									2
Total Discharged and Dead -			10	3				1	1	1	1	17
Remaining on the above date			19	37	35	26	9	5	5	6	9	151

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		
Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards: 59	In separate Wards: 13	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital: 8	In Wards with other Inmates: "	
Total, 67	Total, 13	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	8	2	3	13
No. in Workhouse at date	"	"	"	"

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 23rd day of December 1893 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.	68	105					Bt. forward						
No. II.	46	52					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 29th day of December 189 3.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— William Spreares Esq

Other Guardians:— Messrs Abraham D. Symes, Edward J. Byrne and Thomas Dowling

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Wm Spreares
Ch.

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 29th day of December 189 3.

Signed, John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2181 *to No.* 2195 *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 20 Oct 93 - - - £ 369 : 18 : 10

Paid during the week same period - - - £ 1059 : 10 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 698 : 9 : 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot 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.

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	35	5	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	30	2	5
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	4
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	4½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	10

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

348 . 4 lb Loaves Bread
32 lbs Butter
314 " Meat
26 gallons Buttermilk
182 " Sweetmilk
2 gallons Whiskey
16,000 Shoe Nails
100 yards Striped Linsey
45 " Bed Ticken
20 Bed Rugs
2 Pieces Calico wide
2 " Linen

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money	10	5	6
In Kind			
Total ... ... £	10	5	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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.
81	John J. Fortune	Blankets	21	"	"

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

2 *Establishment Account.*

82	The Board of Public Works	Exp. of loan	4	"	"
83	Patrick Kehoe	Exp. Labrs Cottages	10	"	"

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

4 *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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. Dr. King. reported that some women and several children had whooping cough. and as there was no suitable way of isolating them other than by making the nursery temprary sick quarters for whooping cough. he recommended that this course should be adopted. and that the able bodied inmates of nursery free from whooping cough be transpered to ordinary female department temporarily. Fever wards were occupied by either Typhus or Scarlatina.

The recommendation of the Medical Officer was unanimously approved of by the Board.

On the application of Mr. Michael O'Toole R.D. the Board granted him a testimonial.

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

The Master reported that a patient named Stephen Doyle, aged 18, admitted to the male idiot ward on the 8th December, had become unmanageable here & would have to be sent to the lunatic Asylum He was very violent yesterday attempted to strike the wardsmaster and make a violent attack on one of the wardsmaids at the same time.

It was ordered that the Master take the necessary steps to have ~~him~~ Doyle committed

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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 15

Ditto disallowed 0

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 0

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 0

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 114

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 0

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 29 day of December 1893

PRESENT—In the Chair, William Speare Esq

OTHER GUARDIANS, Messrs Abraham D. Symes Edward J. Byrne and Thomas Dowling

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of 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).

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders 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 5th day of January 1894.

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

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

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PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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 29 day of December 1893

PRESENT—In the Chair, William Spearesbog

OTHER GUARDIANS—

Messrs. Abraham D. Symes
Edward J. Byrne and Thomas Dowling

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

No. 16,699 23rd December 1893.

The Board of Public Works wrote stating that the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury had authorized them to make an advance of £360 to the guardians for the purpose of constructing water-works at Clonegall. The loan to be repaid in 35 years with interest at rate of 3½ per cent; and requested that the sum of £10 should be lodged to meet expenses.

A cheque was ordered to be drawn for the amount.

A letter was read from the Representative Body of the Church of Ireland enquiring whether, in the event of their consenting to transfer to the guardians, as the Burial Board, the old Burial ground at Ardoyne the Board would defray the cost of transfer, – about 3 guineas.

The Board declined to pay the cost ~~three~~ of transfer in this matter and directed that the attention of the Representative Body be called to the fact that the Burial ground ~~was~~ is not fenced in, and requesting them to put same in decent order within three months.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 29 day of December 189 3.

PRESENT: In the Chair— William Spears Esq

Other Members :— Messrs Abraham D. Symes

Edward J. Byrne and Thomas Dowling.

The Guardians agreed to allow the sum of £3 to contractor Patrick Kehoe for supplying and erecting additional gate & posts to Carrara Cottage allotments as per certificate of the Architect

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(Signed) John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 5th day of January 1894

Signed, John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Phillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £* 50376 = 17 = 0

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	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
Workhouse	881	149										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	5										
Fever Sheds												
TOTAL	931	154										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			19	37	35	26	9	5	5	6	9	151
Admitted during the Week			7	4	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	19
TOTAL,			26	41	36	27	10	6	6	8	10	170
Discharged during the Week			6	2			1		1	2	1	13
Died			1								1	3
Total Discharged and Dead			7	2	1		1		1	2	2	16
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			19	39	35	27	9	6	5	6	8	154

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	57	In separate Wards 13	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other Inmates "	
TOTAL,	62	TOTAL, 13	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	5	3	4	12
No. in Workhouse at date	1	"	"	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 155

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of December 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Persons	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Persons
No. I.	68	105					Bt. forward						
No. II.	46	52					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* 5th *day of* January 1894

PRESENT: *In the Chair—* Frank Brooke Esq D.L. & C.

Other Guardians:— Messrs William Speares, Edward J Byrne and Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2196 *to No.* 2210 *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 - - - - - £

The Treasurer's office was not received this week *Paid during the week - - - - - £*

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot 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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 25 : 19 : 8
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - - 31 : 18 : 4
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - : 3 : 4

Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - - : 3 : 4½

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

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

298. 4 lb. Loaves of Bread
32. lbs. Butter
280 " Beef & Mutton
22 Gallons Buttermilk
148 " Sweetmilk
2 " 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 30th *day of* December *189*3 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money	9	19	0
In Kind			
Total	£ 9	19	0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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.*

			£	s.	d.
84	Mary Anne Baker	Maint Kennedy	6	10	0
85	Edward Boulger	Pop Lab. cottages	55	0	0
86	James Shannon	" Rent	-	10	0
"	Doctor Jeb. D. Wood	Lunacy Fee	2	0	0

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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 :—

Dr King, Workhouse medical officer, reported that some blister papers were required for proper treatment of a female patient in Infirmary, which the Board directed to be ordered.

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

The Master reported that he took the inmate Stephen Doyle (reported last week) before the Court of Petty Sessions, Shillelagh, on Tuesday when he was sent to Richmond Lunatic Asylum.

That a young woman named Anne Toole, admitted for medical treatment to the Infirmary had been discharged therefrom & was now in the healthy part of the Workhouse.

The two stoves in the Idiot wards smoke so much that fires cannot be kept in them. The flues were examined and cleaned, but owing to a back wind in the one at female side it does not work.

The Board directed that the inmate, Anne Toole, be discharged in a week; and the Visiting Committee were asked to examine the stoves in Idiot Wards and order any necessary piping.

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

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

No 1+9.236 30th December '93

The Local Government Board requested to be furnished with a return respecting the persons of unsound mind in the Workhouse of the Union on the 31st instant.

No. 1+9/32 M/93. Miscellaneous 30th Dec. '93

A circular letter was read from the Local Government Board asking to be informed within forty days, whether the Board of Guardians were willing to become a Contributory Union within the meaning of "The National School Teachers (Ireland) Act."

The Clerk was directed to convene a special meeting of the Board, for this day fortnight, to consider the matter

No 52.076 4th January 1894

The Local Government Board wrote approving of the revised scale of dietary proposed for the use of the Workhouse inmates on the recommendation of the Medical officer, copies of which they received on the 26th ultimo.

No 52,221 4th January '94

Adverting to the minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 22nd ult. containing a report of a committee which was adopted by the Board recommending that Tobacco be allowed to the aged pauper inmates of the Workhouse, the Local Government Board wrote calling attention to their ~~letter~~ order of the 10th November last, which provided that a proposal of this kind should only be adopted after fourteen days notice of motion.

The Clerk stated that the order referred to had not been received by this Board.

Mr. Spears subsequently presented the following notice of motion, viz:— "I hereby give notice that I shall move on this day fortnight that the Inmates, aged 60 years and upwards who are habitual smokers be allowed one oz tobacco weekly and that any resolution or order to the contrary be rescinded"

Mr. J.W. Drury, auditor, notified that he would attend at the Workhouse on Tuesday the 9th Jany. inst for the purpose of auditing the accounts of the Union for the Half-year ended 29th September last.

A notice of motion was presented by

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Wm. B. J. Byrne as follows:— "I hereby give notice that I shall move on this day fortnight that the Hour of meeting of this Board be changed from 11.30 to a more convenient Hour in consequence of the change in the Trains.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 15

Ditto disallowed ... ...

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 1

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 11

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 11

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

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

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

Shillelagh *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 5th day of January 1894

PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq. D.L.

OTHER GUARDIANS, Messrs. William Speares

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:

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of 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).

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

Read Letter from the Honorary Secty of the Hacketstown dated ~~stating that~~ Coolkenno Dispensary Committee stating that at a meeting of that body on 28th Decr '93 a letter was read from Dr Jackson resigning his position as Medical Officer of the District which the Committee accepted with much regret. The appointment of a successor to take place at Hacketstown on Saturday 13th Jany '94 at 10 o'clock.

The Manager of the Carlow Vindicator applied for an order to insert the advertisement for Medical Officer which the Board refused, the application being too late to advertize.

[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*), John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

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PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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 5th day of January 1894

PRESENT—In the Chair, ~~William~~ Frank Brooke Esq D.L. & J.P.

OTHER GUARDIANS—

Messrs William Speare,
Edward J. Byrne and Abraham D. Lyne

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Coollattin &	Doctor F.J.	Sanitation	Houses of Mrs Furlong
Clonegall	Brady		Tomacork & Lau Scantlan
			Shillelagh.

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

No 82345 4th January 1894

With reference to the clerks letter of the 24th ult. and to previous correspondence respecting the area of charge for expenses incurred in constructing waterworks at Carnew. the Local Government Board refered the Guardians to their letter dated 30th November last in which it was explained that the area of charge could not now be ~~altered~~ reduced. The ordnance sheet was returned therewith.

The Honorary Secretary to the Representative Body of the Church of Ireland acknowledged the receipt of the clerks letter re ardoyne old burial ground which he stated would be laid before the Rep. Body.

Dr Brady reported that two houses from which fever patients were removed had been disinfected (by his directions) by the Relieving Officer

He also drew the attention of the Board to the state of Carnew streets and foot paths which, he said, were in a very filthy condition.

The clerk was directed to forward copy of Doctor Bradys letter with regard to the streets at Carnew, to Mr. Draper, County Surveyor, and ask him to communicate with the Road contractor.

A letter was "read" from the R.I. Constabulary, Wicklow, to the effect that Mr Symes, of the Post office, had reported to them that on Monday last, Mrs Bridget Byrne of Ballykelly (who had two members of her family recently removed to Hospital suffering from Typhus fever) entered

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the Post office and remained there about half an hour, altho' regnested several times to leave and eventually he had to remove her.

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 5th day of January 189 4.

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

Other Members:— Messrs. William Speares Edward J. Byrne and Abraham D. Symes.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 12th day of January 189 4.

(Signed) John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £* 10346 - 14 - 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of January 189/

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse	881	147
Temporary Buildings ..		
Additional Workhouse ..	50	5
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds		
TOTAL	931	152

	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	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
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	19	39	35	24	9	6	5	6	8	152
Admitted during the Week -	4	2	1				1	1		13
TOTAL,	26	41	36	24	9	4	6	4	8	164
Discharged during the Week - Died - - - - -	9	2	1	1			1	1		14 1
Total Discharged and Dead -	9	2	1	1			1	1		15
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	17	39	35	26	9	4	5	6	8	152

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	4	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates	"
TOTAL,	7	TOTAL,	13

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	6	2	2	10
No. in Workhouse at date	0	1	"	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 162

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of January 189/ 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) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
No. I.	68	105				
No. II.	46	52				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.						

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
Bt. forward						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 12th day of January 189/

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Frank Brooke Esq D.L. & C.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Edward Byrne JP, William Spares and Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 12th day of January 189/

Signed, John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2211 *to No.* 2221 *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 since 29th Dec '93 - - - £ 190 - 0 - 0

Paid during the week same period - - - £ 215 - 0 - 4

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £ 423 - 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 £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot 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.

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

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

1. *The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.*
2. *The Provision Check 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 -	19	13	11
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	29	3	10
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	4
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	4½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	10

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

295 4 lb loaves Bread
38 lbs. Butter
100 " Mutton
190 " Beef
30 " Bacon
18 Gallons Buttermilk
184 " Sweetmilk
2 Cwt Indian Meal
4 " Sugar.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 6 day of January 189/ whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money ...			
In Kind ...			
Total	£		

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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.

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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.*

By Robert Ellis on a/c	25	..	..

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:—

W. O'Toole. RO. applied for and was allowed leave of absence on to-day (Friday) W. Ellis. RO. to discharge his duties.

A young woman named Sarah Kirwan, lately in the employment of Tom Kelly, Crecrin, being pregnant, applied for admission to the Workhouse and stated that Michael Kirwan of Shoemeloon was father of her unborn child. The application was acceded to.

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

The clerk reports that James W. Drury Esq. Local Government Board. Auditor, attended at the Workhouse on Tuesday the 9th January instant, and audited the accounts of the Union for the Half-year ended 29th September last, which he certified to be correct.

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

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

No 1147. M 1893 - Miscellaneous 15th November 1893

Read circular letter from the Local Government Board, forwarding for the Guardians information, a copy of an Order issued by them amending the Regulations hitherto in force with regard to the use of Tobacco by inmates of Workhouses.

No 135 M/93 4th Jany 1894

The Local Government Board requested to be furnished with a return respecting the Rates made & any new Rates agreed upon in the Union during the three months ended the 31st Dec. last.

No 1 M 94. Miscellaneous 8th Jany 94

A circular letter was read from the Local

Government Board forwarding copy of a statement showing the receipts and expenditure of Unions & the number of persons who received indoor and out-door relief during the year ended the 29th of Sept. '93.

No 142 10 January 1894

The Local Government Board also wrote that they had received a communication from the Commissioners of National Education certifying that the results fees which would accrue to the female teacher of the Workhouse school (Miss E.A. Bolger) if the School were any ordinary National School, and the Union contributory under the National School Teachers act would be £5-2-0 for last examination.

Mr. Speares then presented the following notice of motion:- "I hereby give notice that I shall move on this day fortnight that Miss Bolger, School Mistress, be paid the sum of £1-14-0 being the amount of results fees to which she is entitled."

6th January '94

The Treasurer of the Union wrote as follows:- "Will you kindly enable me to form an opinion as to when this Debtor Balance (£718-9-8) will be cleared off. In your letter of 30th of Sept. last the accommodation was applied for, for only three weeks from that date."

It was ordered that the clerk write to the collectors and inform them that it was absolutely necessary they should make every effort to collect the large amount of Rates now outstanding and that the Board expected a large lodgment to be made by each Collector on or before the 26th inst.

An application was read from the

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aged and infirm Male inmates of the healthy portion of the Workhouse for an allowance of 1 oz Butter, each, daily: which the Board refused.

The ~~Do~~ Guardians agreed, on the recommendation of the Medical Officer, that an inmate named Margaret Sherwood be placed on No 3 Infirm diet.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	10
Ditto disallowed	"
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	1
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).

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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 12 day of January 18 9+

PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq D.L. V.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS, Messrs Edward Byrne J.P.,

William Symes and Abraham D. Symes

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

That the Clerk transmit same to the contractors.

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

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

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

_____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).

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

W/50883 Read Letter from the Local Govt. Board dated 10th January 94 stating that with reference to the application of the Board of Guardians for a certificate to enable them to provide a Medical Officers residence for the Hacketstown Dispy. Dist. requesting that the draft lease of the lands and premises proposed to be acquired might be submitted to them.

The Board directed that the clerk instruct Mr Brown, Solicitor, to prepare the lease in question.

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[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly viz., on the 31st March, 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.:

Hacketstown and Coolkenno

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

The Board authorized Mr Ellis, R.D. to institute proceedings against John Brien of Hacketstown for his having failed to have his child Jane Brien, now aged 18 months, vaccinated; & directed him to inspect and report on the other cases.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 19th day of January 1894.

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

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PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq D.L. V.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS—

Messrs Edward Byrne &c.
Abraham D. Lyne and Wm Spears

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

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(Signed) John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

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

PRESENT: In the Chair— Frank Brooke Esq Dh. V.C.

Other Members:— Messrs Edward Byrne P.P., William Spears and Abraham D Symes.

On the application of Dr Jackson, late Medical officer of Health for the Hacketstown Dispensary District, the Board unanimously resolved to allow him the sum of £2: for inspecting and reporting on four cottages, in lieu of which the Guardians propose to erect new houses under the Labourers Act; and desire the sanction of the Local Government Board thereto.

Mr Ramsay, Engineer, forwarded a certificate for payment of £3-7-6 to P. McDonnell for supplying three iron entrance gates and hangings at Labourers cottages at Hacketstown.

Payment of the amount was ordered.

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J. J. Newton Chm

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 19th day of January 1894

Signed, John Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value,* £ 50376=17=0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of January 1894

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	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
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Permanent Fever Hospital	50	6										
Fever Sheds												
TOTAL	931	152										
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TOTAL,			23	42	35	26	9	7	6	7	9	164
Discharged during the Week -			5	3				1	1	1	1	12
Died - - - - -												
Total Discharged and Dead -			5	3				1	1	1	1	12
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			18	39	35	26	9	6	5	6	8	152

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
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TOTAL,	84	TOTAL, 13	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	5	2	3	10
No. in Workhouse at date	2	"	"	2

No. at corresponding period last year, 167

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No. I.	66	103					Bt. forward						
No. II.	46	52					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* 19th *day of* January 1894

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

Other Guardians:— Messrs. Richd. James, A. Wolahan, Wm. Speares, Thos. Dowling, Nicholas O'Toole, John Lyons, Pierce Butler, James Kavanagh, and Edward J Byrne.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2222 *to No.* 2231 *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 - - - - - £ 300 = 0 = 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 94 = 8 = 0

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was £* 520 = 14 = 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 £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot 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.

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	26	11	5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	30	1	6
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -		3	4
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - -		3	4½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -		4	10

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

243 . 4 lb Loaves Bread
38 lbs. Butter
200 " Beef
100 " Mutton
30 " Irish Bacon
18 Gallons Buttermilk
182 " Sweetmilk
1 Hyde Butt Leather
2 Sides Kip Leather

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* January 189/ *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money	9	14	0
In Kind			
Total	£ 9	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	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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.*

			£	s.	d.
90	Joseph Smyth	Brushes &c.	3	8	"
91	Patrick McDonnell	Exp. Lab: Ct.	3	4	6
92	Dr. F. J. G. King	Lunacy Fee	2	"	"
93	Col. C. G. Tottenham	Exp. Lab. Ct. Kent		9	"
"	John Nolan	" Compn	1	"	"

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
88	Michael Neill milk	45	1	5
89	Susan Hopkins "	42	14	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 :—

A application was "read" from the able-bodied female inmates of the Workhouse for an allowance of half an ounce of snuff weekly.

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

The Master reported that the stove in the female idiot ward was cracked in the side (& sulphur smell therefrom offensive) and required to be repaired or a new one got in its place

A supply of good eating potatoes was required as those grown on the Workhouse farm were used up: Owing to waste in washing and weighing out the potatoes each inmate he asked to be allowed a small allowance for waste: say ½ lb.

The large pipe leading from the new water closet, at female idiot ward had got stopped

It was decided to advertise for a supply of Potatoes: & the Board agreed to allow the master ½ lb. per barrel for waste.

The other matters referred to in report were ordered to be attended to & repaired by Thomas Dowse. Contractor.

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

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

No. 2 – M/94 12th Jany 94

The local Government Board wrote calling the attention of the Returning Officer to the General order, dated the 2nd January, 1863, regulating the conduct of Elections of Guardians.

No 122 16th Jany 1894

A letter was read from the local Govt. Board requesting to be furnished with the returns applied for by their letters of the 16th of November and the 30th of December last.

The Clerk stated that he had since furnished the returns to the local Government Board.

Mr. Speares moved, pursuant to notice, and Mr. D. J. Byrne seconded:– "That the Workhouse inmates aged 60 years and upwards who are habitual smokers, be allowed 1 oz of Tobacco weekly, and that any resolution or order to the contrary be rescinded.

An amendment was proposed by Mr. O'Toole & seconded by Mr. James:– "That we substitute for 60. 50 years."

A show of hands was taken when the amendment was carried by one vote. The Workhs. Visiting Committee to report as to the times & places where smoking is to be allowed

In pursuance of notice Mr. D. J. Byrne moved – "That the hour of meeting of this Board be changed from 11.30 to 12.30 in consequence of the change in the train service for which we desire the consent of the local Government Board."

The proposition was seconded by Mr. James and carried unanimously.

The Board was specially convened to consider the question as to whether they would become a Contributory Union within the meaning of the National School Teachers (I) act. when they unanimously declined to become contributory.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 10

Ditto disallowed ... ... "

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

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 11½

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 3

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).

Shillelagh 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 January 1894

PRESENT—In the Chair, Major G. G. Newton J.P.

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Messrs R. James, A. Kolahan, Wm Speares, Thos Dowling, W. Poole, J. Lyons, Pierce Butler, Jas Kavanagh, & Edward J. Byrne.

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of 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).

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

Read Letter from the Hony Secty of the dated Hacketstown & ~~stating that~~ Coolkenno Dispensary Committee to the effect that at a Meeting of the Committee, on 13th Jany '94, Dr Lauder Whelan was appointed, by a majority of one vote, Medical Officer of the district. He agreeing to attend at Coolkenno Dispensary twice a week if found at any time necessary by the Committee: & also to become tenant of Minvaud Ho & land at £28 per annum. Dr Whelan was appointed locum tenens till his election to the position was ratified by the L.G. Board.

[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 26th day of January 1894

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

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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 19 day of January 1894

PRESENT—In the Chair, Major G.G. Newton JP

OTHER GUARDIANS—

Messrs R. James, A. Wolahan, W. Speares, T. Dowling, N. O'Toole, J. Lyons, Pierce Butler, Jas Kavanagh and Edward J. Byrne.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

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14th Jany '94

The Solicitor to the Board of Public Works forwarded draft Deed of Mortgage for £360 for constructing Waterworks at Clonegall, which was approved of by the Board

15th Jany '94

W. Carter Draper, acknowledged receipt of the Board's communication relative to the state of Carnew streets, which, he said, was receiving his attention.

It was resolved that Thomas Walsh be allowed the rate of £4:10:0. per annum, for Keeping Public Pump at Hacketstown in repair, during period for which there was no contract — April to June '93.

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(Signed) John Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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Shillelagh UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

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Other Members:—

Messrs. R. James, A. Nolahan, Wm. Speares, Thos. Dowling, Nicholas O'Toole, John Lyons, Pierce Butler, James Kavanagh and Edward J. Byrne.

No. 2,223 18th January '94

With reference to the minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 12th inst the local Government Board wrote expressing their sanction to the payment of a sum of £2 to Dr. Jackson, as remuneration for ~~one~~ inspecting and reporting on the sanitary condition of cottages for the purposes of the Labourers acts.

A Representation for a cottage was received from the Money E. Division, on behalf of a labourer named Owen Whelan.

W. Lyons, P.L.G., having reported that James Brien's cottage allotment at Constablehill was not properly fenced the clerk was requested to ask Mr. Rumsay, architect, for an explanation as to why this work had not been done.

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The Clerk was directed to write to James Byrne, tenant of Labourers cottage at Coolballintaggart, and request him to remove out of cottage for one fortnight, to enable the ~~contractor~~ to relay Kitchen floor: and to let him know when he was prepared to do so.

The Board unanimously decided to allow Andrew Cinich of Ballyohand and Denis Quigley of Curragh the sums of 10/= and 20/=, respectively for reclaiming their cottage allotments.

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