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Shillelagh UNION.

No. 1st May 1881

Mr. Doherty

Please Supply for use of UNION.

£	s.	d.
49 Gallons Buttermilk		
185 Do Sweet milk		
£		

Chairman.

Clerk.

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Shillelagh UNION.

No. 13 May 18 81

Mr. Doherty

Please Supply for use of UNION.

	£	s.	d.
50 Gallons Buttermilk			
190 Do Sweetmilk			
£			

J. J. Moore Chairman.

Clerk.

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SCHEDULE B.—FORM (B.)

SANITARY OFFICER'S REPORT BOOK.

(Rural Sanitary District.)

To the BOARD OF GUARDIANS of the Shillelagh UNION.

As Medical Officer of the Coolattin & Clonegal Dispensary District, I hereby report to you that Mrs Edward Preston has Reported to me, that he believes the water which has to be used in his house, for drinking & other purposes is contaminated with Sewerage, I have inspected the Well & am of Opinion that his Statement is correct

and I recommend that the water be conveyed from the Source which supplies the above Well in Ware pipes to the edge of the Road & then a Pump or Fountain may be Erected

Signed this 27th day of May 1881

George P. Rogers Sanitary Officer.

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Postponed for further
inquiry J.M.

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As Medical Officer of the Coollattin &c Dispensary District, I hereby report to you that I have Inspected the Stagnant Pool at the side of Mr. Finns House in Clonegal, which I believe to be injurious to health

and I recommend That the Pool be filled up at once

Signed this Twentieth day of May 1881

George P. Rogers Sanitary Officer.

N.B.—The Sanitary Order requires that the source and date of information (if any) together with the date of Inspection, should be shown.

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Notice to be taken
on Bruce

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Shillelagh Union.

BOARD ROOM,
SHILLELAGH UNION,
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SIR,

Agreeably with the provisions of Section 16 of the "Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, 1878," I beg to submit for your information the following copy of Declaration received from the Inspector, together with a copy of the Order of the Local Authority made thereon.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,
BENJAMIN HOPKINS,
Clerk of the Local Authority.

To Henry Robinson, Esq.,
Clerk to the Privy Council,
The Castle, Dublin.

FORMS FOR USE BY INSPECTOR.

(1.)

DECLARATION OF DISEASE.

[*The Contagious Diseases* (*Animals*) *Act*, 1878.]

I, , of

the Inspector appointed by the Guardians of the Shillelagh Poor Law Union, hereby declare that I have this day found [1] _____

to exist in the following, that is to say [2] _____

_____

_____

_____

[1] Cattle Plague (or Pleuro-pneumonia, or Foot-and-mouth Disease, or Sheep-pox.)

[2] Describe the symptoms of the disease.

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Mem:

Mark Brady Smith 6 [illegible]

Sarah Miller Barry James

Thomas Bassett Smith

Lawrence Kyne Bass 7 [illegible]

Sarah Thos Bassett Carlow 7 [illegible]

Joseph Hardy Cotlock

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On [redacted]s.

B. Hopkins Esq.

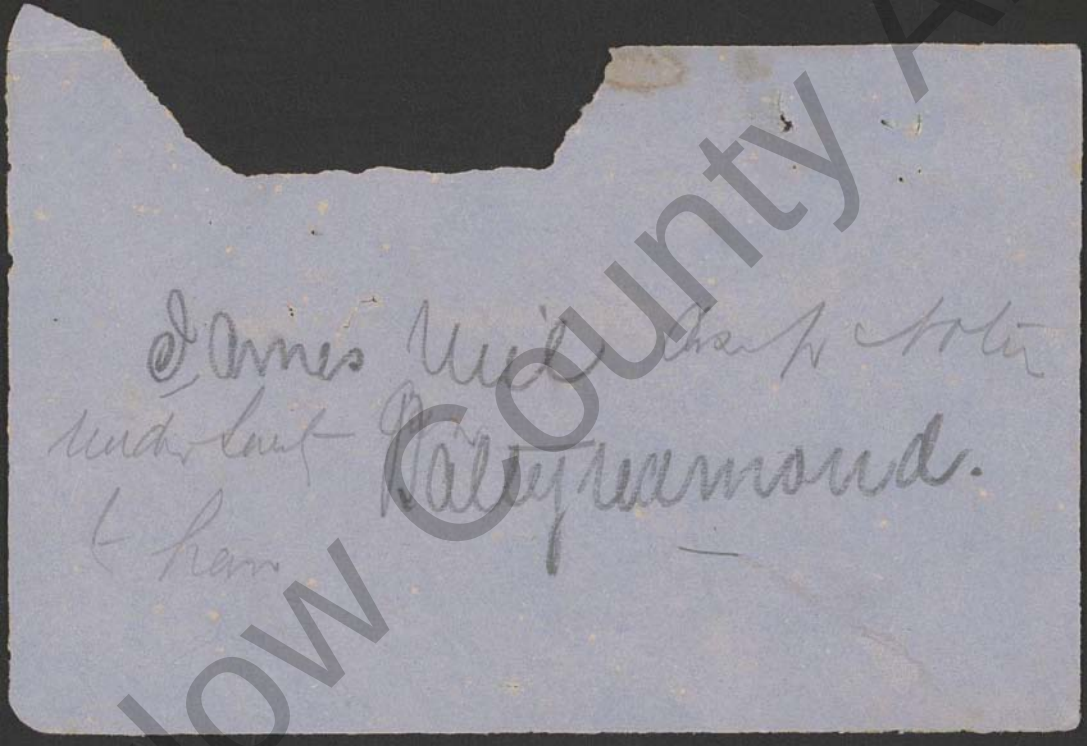
Lord Lieu R. Ellis Esq.

Shillelagh

From the Registrar of Births and Deaths,

District of Hacketstown

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Memo

Inv. a/c amt Sept 1880 1011 . 4 . 0
do March 80 815 . 17 . 5
1827 . 1 . 5

do Sept 79 amt 886 . 11 . 3
March 79 " 763 . 18 . 5
1650 . 10 . 8

From 1827 . 1 . 5
Cash 1650 . 10 . 8
Total expended last year £ 176 . 11 . 5
in twenty yrs.

Estate K. amt. a/c Sept 79 £ . s . d
do March 80 487 . 8 . 4
457 . 5 . 0
£ 944 . 13 . 4

Estate a/c Sept 79
do March 80
467 . 10 . 8
499 . 7 . 2
966 . 17 . 2

966 . 17 . 2
944 . 13 . 4
Expenditure last year £22 . 3 . 10
less

Income
£176
20 0
22 10 0
£218 10 0

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Meeting of Board held 6th Nov 88
Present in the Chair Jas Mans Esq D.V.C
Also present Messrs J.M. Paddell
Thos Baker and James Hoyte

Resolved that the master be supplied
out of Clothes to a Workhouse school boy
named John Acompute who on the application of
his Uncle the Board of Aphms Recommend
of Quality Inmate of the Workhouse

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Londonderry Union,

12th April, 1881.

Dear Sir,

I am desired by the Board of Guardians of this Union to forward you the annexed Copies of Resolution and Petition unanimously adopted at their Meeting, held on the 9th inst., and to request you will bring same under the consideration of your Board at an early date.

Yours truly,

J. T. RUSSELL,

Clerk of Union.

To

The Clerk of each Union.

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Proposed by JOSEPH ALEXANDER, Esq., seconded by THOMAS LECKY, Esq., J.P., and resolved :

"That the following petition be adopted by the Board for presentation to Parliament, and that the members for Derry and Donegal be requested to support the prayer thereof; also, that copies of same be forwarded to each Board of Guardians in Ireland, requesting their co-operation in the matter."

Subjoined is a copy of the Petition :—

"TO THE RIGHT HONOURABLE AND HONOURABLE THE COMMONS OF GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND, IN PARLIAMENT ASSEMBLED :

"The Petition of the Londonderry Board of Guardians

"HUMBLY SHEWETH—That the present state of the laws with regard to the deportation of paupers from England and Scotland to Ireland is quite unfair, and a discredit to the British statute book, and does not accord with the freedom conceded to other dependencies and foreign nations during this century. That when restrictions have been removed, and free trade allowed to all nations in the introduction of every commodity that adversely affects almost the only Irish industry—that of agriculture—the ratepayers of Ireland should be called on to maintain those who have given their life's labour to the sister kingdoms, but who, from misfortune or declining years, are unable longer to maintain themselves, and that thus disabled be deported to this country because of the mere accident of birth, to be placed as a burden upon the Irish ratepayers, is surely an anomaly that any impartial understanding must see should not exist. That, apart from cruelty to the paupers, and unfairness to Irish ratepayers, the expenses of these deportations leave the financial gain rather doubtful, as must be well known to those entrusted to carry out this law.

"Trusting that your Honourable House will repeal the existing Poor Removal Enactments, Petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray."

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To the Clerk

of the Union

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J. T. RUSSELL,

CLERK OF UNION.

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Mr. George Matthews
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The Guardians of Shillelagh
to George Matthews Dr 7/6
for Painting & Lettering done
on the notice Boards of Coollattin
Carnew and Glanegal

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Memorandum

To Mr George Matthews Lamyhaun

Be good enough to mark on the back of this paper the amount of your charge for lettering Dr Rogers name on the Notice Boards of the three dispensaries, viz. Coolattin Lamer & Clonegal.

I want this to day Thursday 7th April 81.

Rev. Dr Hoffman
Allen Bank
Shillelagh

Dr. Geo. Matthews
Carnyhorn

Memorandum

To Dr Geo. Matthews Carnyhorn

Be good enough to mark on the back of this paper the amount of your charge for attending Dr. Rogers' name on the notice Boards of the three dispensaries of Coolattin Camew & Omegal.

I want this to day Thursday 7th Apl. 81.

Buy. Dispensary
Clerk
Shillelagh

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The "Carlow Independent" Office
Carlow
6th April 1881.

Dear Sir,

I am aware that some portion of the enclosed a/c has been paid but as my late Clerk did not give credit I must ask you to cross off the items that have been discharged & as I am badly in want of money would feel obliged for cheque for Bal.

Yours respectfully
Patrick Kelly

B Hopkins Esq
Clerk of Crown
Skibbereen

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The Clerk

Shillelagh Union

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NEWCASTLE UNION,

20th May, 1881

Sir

I am directed by the Board of Guardians of this Union, to forward you the annexed Copy of a Petition to Parliament, unanimously passed at their meeting. held on the 19th inst. and request you will bring same under the consideration of your Board at a early date.

I am Sir,

Your obedient

JOHN BYRNES

Clerk.

The Right Honorable & Honorable the Commons of the United Kingdom of Great Britain & Ireland; in Parliament assembled.

The petition of The Board of Guardians of Newcastle Union

Humbley Sheweth.

That, whereas the lease-holders occupiers in Ireland numbering 100,000; and representing at least half a million of her Majesty's subjects are excluded from any benefits (if any) of the forthcoming Land Bill on the mistaken ground that they hold under existing contracts, whereas it is a stern fact that almost all the leases made since 1851 cannot be justly considered as contracts inasmuch as the tenants were allowed no voice in the fixing of rents or in the general conditions of those leases, and were, in fact, but submitting parties with scarcely any other alternative before them. Whereas it is notorious that the larger portion of the leases made since 1851 are conditional on the Payment of cruel and exorbitant rents rendering the position of the lease-holders one of distress and suffering, it is, therefore resolved that we the guardians of the Newcastle Union, acting in our public representative capacity, appeal with respective confidence, to Mr. Gladstone and the Government to include the lease-holders within the scope of the Bill giving the right to apply to the court to fix a judicial rent, and every such application to be deemed, and be, in fact. a surrender of the lease, constituting the applicant a present tenant, a position which no lease-holder will choose except under the presure of a rack rent; and we call on our country representatives, and through them on the Irish Parliamentary Party to use every means in their power while in Committee on the Bill to include therein the principle and object of this resolution, and that our Clerk do forward, at once to every Board of Guardians in Ireland, a copy of the foregoing resolution for consideration.

Signed,

Charles E. N. Curling, Chairman,

Guinn, Printer, &c, Newcastle West.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871— *Present Net Annual Value,* £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of November 1880

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	207
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	6
Fever Sheds		
Total,	931	213

	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,	16	50	39	12	22	13	13	29	16	210
Admitted during the Week,	24	4	3	1	1		1	2		36
TOTAL	40	54	42	13	23	13	14	31	16	246
Discharged during the Week,	26	3			1				1	31
Died,		2								2
Total Discharged and Dead,	26	5			1				1	33
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	14	49	42	13	22	13	14	31	15	213

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.			OBSERVATIONS.
	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	46	In separate Wards,	7
In Fever Hospital	6	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,	52	TOTAL,	7

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	23	-	-	23
No. in Workhouse at date	3	-	-	3

No. at corresponding period last year, 204

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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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* 26th *day of* November 1880.

PRESENT: *In the Chair—* George G. Newton Esqr. V.L

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. John R. Braddell, Ralph Lawrenson, James Moore, and James Hopkins

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2455 *to No.* 2492 *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 the 4th instant last, £ 796. 0. 0

Paid during the ~~week~~ same period . . . £ 480. 14. 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was £ 164. 9. 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
Nicholas Kellaghy	Baelinglen	6 . .	6 . .	103 5 8	109 5 8
	Ballybeg	27 . .	27 . .	149 4 5	176 4 5
	Coolbaccaun	18 . .	18 . .	185 3 4	203 3 4
	Kilbaccaun	12 . .	12 . .	76 15 4	88 15 4
	Kilpipe			186 13 9	186 13 9
	Tinahely	37 . .	37 . .	275 18 2	312 18 2
		100 . .	100 . .	977 . 8	1077 . 8
Joseph Banks	Baelinglen	91 . .	91 . .	68 8 3	159 8 3
	Camaun	32 . .	32 . .	409 . 5	441 . 5
	Coolattin	. . .	. . .	123 10 9	123 10 9
	Corbay	. . .	. . .	158 10 4	158 10 4
	Shillelagh	. . .	. . .	170 13 5	170 13 5
		123 . .	123 . .	930 3 5	1053 3 5
Denis Doyle	Aghowle	54 . .	54 . .	130 12 . .	184 12 .
	Camolin	25 . .	25 . .	107 . 3	132 . 3
	Killinure	. . .	. . .	234 11 5	234 11 5
	Money	. . .	. . .	163 2 2	163 2 2
	Park	. . .	. . .	162 11 9	162 11 9
		79 . .	79 . .	797 17 7	876 17 7
Hugh Neile	Clonmore	48 . .	48 . .	334 17 2	382 17 2
	Hacketstown	70 . .	70 . .	334 12 2	404 12 2
	Rawdestown	54 . .	54 . .	62 16 7	116 16 7
		172 . .	172 . .	732 5 11	904 5 11
John Allen	Clonegal				276 4 6
	Moyacomb				140 7 3
					416 11 9
	TOTALS, £	474 . .	474 . .	3853 19 4	4327 19 4

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

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	30	2	1
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	37	6	8
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	10¼
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	0½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		8	0

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

347. 4 lb Loaves of Bread
13 lbs Butter
245 lbs Meat
51 Gallons Buttermilk
189 do Sweetmilk
1 Tea Kettle (Hospital)
2 Gallons Whiskey
2 Bottles of Wine
1 Large Knife & Fork
3 Chamber Candlesticks
1 lot Sugar
1 Hyde Butt Leather
2 Sides Kipp Leather
5 lbs, netting Twine
4 doz cotton Handkerchiefs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.

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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.

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.
18. Laurence Kenny, Bread, Meal, &c.	96	17	6

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:—

An application from the Infirm Class of Healthy Inmates was read to ask the Guardians to allow them Tea, instead of Meat, for dinner on Fridays and fast days as suggested to them by Dr Maclabe

Mr. Brown gave notice that on this day fortnight he will propose that Tea be given to the Class referred to on the above named days

Mr. Lawrence gave notice that on this day fortnight he will move that the Healthy Workhouse Inmates get potatoes for dinner, instead of bread, four days in each week subject to the approval of the Medical Officer and Sanitary of the Local Government Board

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

The Master reports that the eating Potatoes grown on the Workhouse farm will be used up, about the end of next week.

Average per centage of cream for the week 9 degrees.

The Board having examined the Treasurers account & the Abstract of Rates Collected & lodged by the Rate Collectors found that Collectors Banks, Walmsley & Neil had Collected & lodged One Third of the amount of their respective Warrants by the 24th instant in accordance with the Guardians resolution, but that the Collector Denis Doyle had not Complied with the aforesaid resolution & only lodged the sum of £239 instead of £292 which is the One third of his entire Collection including Instalments under the said Supply act. It also appears from the abstract of accounts to Collected the sum of £177 & only lodged by the

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& Treasurer's Returns the sum of £160 which is £17 less than the amount appearing in his hands as collected.

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

The Guardians directed the Clerk to write to Denis Doyle Rate Collector and request him to attend at the next meeting of the Board on Friday the 3rd proximo and furnish an explanation in writing as to his default in not having collected any of the Rate under the said Supply Act, nor was having lodged the full amount appearing in his Books as Collected.

The Clerk informed the Guardians that none of the Rate Collectors with whom Contracts had yet been made arrangements to pay over Loans, as directed in accordance with the Circular Letter of the Local Government Board

The Master was directed to purchase some potatoes to be used for dinner in the Workhouse, as at present, on two days in each week.

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 5568. M/80. 19th November 1880.

Miscellaneous. Circular read from the Local Government Board for Ireland, relating to expenditure under the said supply act.

No 34.110.1880. 25th November 1880.

From same letter read to acknowledge the receipt of the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of Shillelagh Union on the 19th instant containing an entry of their letter of the 18th instant communicating to the Guardians the substance of the Half yearly Report of their Inspector, Dr. Maclabe, relating to the Union, and the Board desire to point out that no notice appears to have been taken of Dr. Maclabe's suggestion that arrangements should be made for enabling the school children to have warm baths during the winter, and the Board request that the matter may receive consideration.

The Schoolmistress Miss Lawler, was requested to state in writing as to the present mode of bathing the Workhouse Children, when She wrote as follows, Viz.

"The School Children are washed every Morning in a large ~~tub~~ large tub with water made tepid by the addition of hot water obtained from the Laundry"

We the Committee appointed to take Stock of Provisions and Clothing for May year ended 29th September 1880 recommend the following articles of Clothing to be condemned as unfit for future Clothing use.

(Signed) Thomas Swan, James Hopkins, Poor Law Guardians.
W. Hopkins, Clerk of Union.

Bedding	Clothing
4 Sheets	14 Coats
18 Blankets	15 Waistcoats
13 Rugs	17 Trousers
23 Bedticks	21 Shifts
8 Bolsters	6 Shoes
	19 Stockings
	2 Hats

(Continued)

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Women's Clothing

10 Gowns
47 Petticoats
68 Shifts
100 Aprons
37 Handkerchiefs
41 Shoes
29 Stockings
7 Caps
4 Flannel vests

Boys' Clothing

24 Coats
19 Waistcoats
32 Trousers
23 Shirts
12 Shoes
11 Stockings
10 Hats

Girls' Clothing

66 Frocks
36 Petticoats
54 Shifts
110 Aprons
29 Shoes
28 Stockings 12 Bonnets

It was moved by Mr. Lawmon seconded by Mr. Moore and resolved that the foregoing Recommendation be adopted, and that 24 Suits of Clothing for Orphan Children be deducted from the Workhouse Books.

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... 37
Ditto disallowed 0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 0

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 ... ...

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.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

*Account of Mr.*_____ *for*_____ *Amount, £*_____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

half-year ended _____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

_____

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

No. 23515-80

24th November 1880.

~~The following~~ Letter was read from the Local Government Board for Ireland, with reference to Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of Shillelagh Union on the 12th inst. the Local Government Board request that they may be informed on what area the Guardians propose to charge the expenses to be incurred in connection with the proposed fencing of the Leerin Burial Ground.

In reference to the Subject of the foregoing Letter the Clerk was directed to make inquiries as to the residence of the families using the Leerin Burial Ground with a view to enable the Guardians to express their opinion as to the Area of charge of the Expenses which may be incurred in fencing the said Burial Ground.

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James Moore
Chairman
Thomas M Bakell
James Hopkins

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*] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 3rd
day of December 188 0.

Signed, Benjamin Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871— *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of November 1880

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	214										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse	50	4										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds												
Total,	931	218										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			14	49	42	13	22	13	14	31	15	213
Admitted during the Week,			34	6						3	2	45
Total			48	55	42	13	22	13	14	34	17	258
Discharged during the Week,			29	6		1	1			1	2	40
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			29	6		1	1			1	2	40
Remaining on the above date,			19	49	42	12	21	13	14	33	15	218

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital 50	In separate Wards, 4	
In Fever Hospital 4	In Wards with other Inmates,	
Total, 54	Total, 4	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week,	31	4	3	38
No. in Workhouse at date,	6	0	0	6

No. at corresponding period last year, 208

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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.
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 3rd day of December 1880

PRESENT : *In the Chair*— James Moore Esq. D. L. C.

Other Guardians :— Earl Fitzwilliam Mess Captain McNeill Edward Gray Thomas F. Hastings Thomas Bartas James Hopkins and Michael Hayden

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2493 *to No.* 2520 *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 - - - - - £ 103 . 0 . 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 400 . 3 . 3

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 132 . 13 . 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
Nicholas Willoughby	Ballinglen	32	"	"	38	"	"	71	5	8	109	5	8
	Ballybla	70	"	"	97	"	"	49	4	5	146	4	5
	Coolballintagart	74	"	"	32	"	"	171	3	4	203	3	4
	Kilballyowen	5	"	"	17	"	"	71	15	4	88	15	4
	Kiephin	45	"	"	45	"	"	141	13	9	186	13	9
	Tinahely	95	"	"	132	"	"	180	18	7	312	18	7
		261	"	"	361	"	"	716	"	8	1044	"	8
Joseph Burke	Ballingate	20	"	"	111	"	"	48	8	3	159	8	3
	Carnew	49	"	"	81	"	"	360	"	5	441	"	5
	Coolattin	84	"	"	84	"	"	36	10	9	123	10	9
	Coolboy	53	"	"	53	"	"	105	10	4	158	10	4
	Shillelagh	32	"	"	32	"	"	138	13	5	170	13	5
		241	"	"	361	"	"	689	3	5	1053	3	8
Denis Doyle	Aghowle	18	"	"	72	"	"	112	12	8	184	12	8
	Clonelea	54	"	"	82	"	"	50	"	3	132	"	3
	Kilinure	20	"	"	20	"	"	214	11	5	234	11	5
	Moneyrath	45	"	"	45	"	"	118	2	2	163	2	2
		34	"	"	34	"	"	125	11	9	162	11	9
		160	"	"	256	"	"	620	14	4	876	14	4
Hugh Neill	Clonmore	45	"	"	93	"	"	289	14	2	382	14	2
	Hacketstown	68	"	"	138	"	"	266	12	2	404	12	2
	Haroldstown	21	"	"	45	"	"	41	16	4	116	16	4
		134	"	"	306	"	"	598	5	11	904	5	11
John Allen	Clonegall										246	4	6
	Moyacomb.										148	4	3
											446	14	9
	Totals, £	496	"	"	1284	"	"	3040	19	4	4324	19	4

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

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	41	7	5
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	34	4	7
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	11
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	0½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		8	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 :—

353 4lb Loaves of Bread
9 cbs Butter
1 Cwt Oatmeal
266 lbs Meat
51 Gallons Buttermilk
192 ds Sweetmilk
2 Gallons Whiskey

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.
Wingfield Greene	Conners Emigration	6	4	"
Thomas Dowse.	Repairs &c	3	15	4

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 :-

The Clerk reported that he received notice from Mr. Finlay, auditor, that he will attend here on Friday the 10th December next to audit the Union accounts up to the close of the last Half-year

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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. 572—M. 80 — 25th November 1880

Circular letter read from the Local Government Board for a Return of expenses charged under the Parliamentary Grant for Medical and Educational purposes

No. 573—M/80 — 25th November 1880.

Form Sent for a Return relative to Salaries of Officers of Sanitary Authorities

A. 34. 794 — 2nd December 1880

Form Sent with reference to the Report received from the Schoolmistress in reply to Board's letter of the 25th Ultimo in regard to the suggestion made by their Inspector Dr. Maclaba in his Daly yearly Report, that arrangements should be made for washing the School Children of the Work-House to have warm Baths during the winter, the Local Government Board desire to state that the Report of the Schoolmistress appears to refer to an arrangement by which all the Children used one Common tub for washing purposes, and the Inspectors suggestion was that a warm bath should be provided occasionally for the Children. He informs the Board that in the other Work-Houses in his District the lavatory arrangements are better than in Shillelagh Work-House.

It was proposed by Captain McNeill seconded by Mr Parkes & passed unanimously viz.

"That Messrs Edward Grange, Thos. F. Hutton and James Hopkins, Poor Law Guardians, inspect & report to next Board day respecting the arrangements available for providing warm baths occasionally in winter for the Work-House School Children"

General Valuation Office Dublin
29th November 1880

Letter read from J. Ball Greene Esq Commissioner of Valuation to acknowledge the receipt of List of Tenements requiring revision of Valuation in this Union

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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... 27

Ditto disallowed 02

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

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

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

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

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

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.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *for* _____ *Amount, £* _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

half-year ended _____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____ *dated*_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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Michael Hayden
Jeremiah Mc Carthy

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] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 10th day of December 1880.

Signed, Barry Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of Dec 1880

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	215										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	5										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	931	220										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			19	49	42	12	21	13	14	33	15	218
Admitted during the Week,			16	2		1		1				20
TOTAL			35	51	42	13	21	14	14	33	15	238
Discharged during the Week,			16	1			1					18
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			16	1			1					18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			19	50	42	13	20	14	14	33	15	220

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.			OBSERVATIONS.
	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	53	In separate Wards,	7
In Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,	58	TOTAL,	7

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	13	1	-	14
No. in Workhouse at date	4	-	-	4

No. at corresponding period last year, 204

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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 10th day of December 1880

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Geo. G. Newton Esq J.P. V.C.

Other Guardians :—

Messrs Wm Courtenay J.P., Jeremiah MacCarthy.
Michl Hayden + Andw Woolahan.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2521 *to No.* 2560 *, 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 Treasury not recorded

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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
	TOTALS, £				

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 28 : 15 : 11

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - - - 35 : 0 : 8

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - : 2 : 10½

Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - : 4 : 0½

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - - : 8 : 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 :—

356 4ᵘ Loaves of Bread
9 lb Butter
2 3/3 lbs. Meal
19 lb Salt mo Swatmeal
57 do Buttermilk
4 Qrt Salt
4 Bottles of Milk
5 Pair Blankets
1 Bottle of Gin
1 Cwt Sugar
1/2 Chest Tea

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 188 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 :—

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

The Master reports, he attended Carnew Petty Sessions on Tuesday last to prosecute John Council for having damaged Workhouse clothing on the 4th & 5th November last. when he was sent to gaol for 2 months - He also prosecuted Margaret Doyle & Jane Brennan for leaving the Work= -house without permission, and the Magistrates let them off with a caution.

That he has received no proposals to supply the Workhouse with eating Potatoes.

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

The Guardians having received no tenders to fence the Carnew Burial Ground directed the Clerk to again advertise for tenders to be considered on this day three weeks to make a fence, or wall, around same,

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):

In pursuance to notice of motion given by Mr Lawrence. Mr Clayden proposed & Mr Worlahan seconded and passed unanimously as follows viz.

"That potatoes be used for dinner for the Workhouse Healthy Inmates, on four days in each week in the same proportion for the different Classes as is used at present for which & with the sanction of the Local Government Board"

It was also proposed by Mr Clayden & seconded by Mr MacCarthy that the Aged & Infirm Class, 3, be allowed Tea & Sugar as an equivalent for Meat on Fridays and fast days

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Mr. MacCarthy proposed & Mr. Courtney seconded that all the Workhouse Inmates of the Second Class be allowed as usual Meat for dinner & Tea for breakfast on Christmas day next as follows. Viz.

1 lb. Meat to each adult
½ lb. do. to each Child
¼ lb. Tea to each Inmate & 2 lbs. Sugar
1 lb Cakes each & bread same as for dinner.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was... 39

Ditto disallowed ... ...

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

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 ... ...

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.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *for* _____ *Amount, £* _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____ *dated*_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

_____

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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James Moore
Chairman
Michael Hayden
Thomas M Barker

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*]:—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 17th day of December 188 0

Signed, Guy. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Wicklow

Union.

Population in 1871— *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of December 188 0

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	86	214										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse	50	4										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds												
Total,	93	218										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			19	50	42	13	20	14	14	33	15	220
Admitted during the Week,			39	5		2			1			47
Total			58	55	42	15	20	14	15	33	15	267
Discharged during the Week,			41	5					1			47
Died,			1									1/2
Total Discharged and Dead,			42	5					1			49
Remaining on the above date,			16	50	41	15	20	14	14	33	15	218

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.			
Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital	49	In separate Wards, 8	
In Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other Inmates,	
Total,	53	Total, 8	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	39	5	0	44
No. in Workhouse at date	4	0	0	4

No. at corresponding period last year, 210

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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* December 188 0

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— James Moore Esqr. D.L.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Chas Rayne, John R Braddell, Edward Grange, Thomas Barker & Michl. Hayden.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2561 *to No.* 2606 *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 acct. 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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 30 : s. 17 : d. 2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - - - 35 : 3 : 10

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - : 2 : 10½

Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - : 4 : 0½

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - : 8 : 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 :—

364 4lb Loaves of Bread
10 lbs Butter
462 lbs Meat
54 gallons Buttermilk
189 do Swatmilk
2 Boxes Dipt Candles
4 Bottles of Wine
4 Knives & Forks

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 188

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.

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

21 Leclisin ¼ Salary - £6 5.0
22 Shinoth do £12.10.0
23 Bollard do £22.10.0 £2.10.0
24 Hopkins do £20 £Portq 1.9.11
do £3 £— 3.15.0
— do —— 2.0.0
25 Dudgeon do 12.10.0
26 Coughlan do £7.10.0 £1.5.0
27 Lawlor —— 6.5.0
28 Stirling —— 6.5.0
29 Cahill do £8 £2.0.0
30 Collins —— £6.0 £1.10.0
31 Abbott —— 3.0.0
32 Duggan do 3.0.0
33 Lahey — do 3.15.0
34 Hart £3.18.0
Connolly 15-0

44 Clendinnen ¼ Supt. 23 5 8
45 Bookey do 30 7 6
46 Brick do 5 - -
47 Chambers do 5 - -
48 Dwyer Contract 8 15 -
do 1 - -
57 Richardson 1 1 10
50 Rogers Lunacy fee 2 - -
53 Boulger Hamey 4 14 6

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
49	Celia Mc Guirk	Meat	19	16	10
~~50~~					
56	A. Bana	Firewood	1	5	
52	Whelan	Coal	12	17	4

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

54	Samuel Lynch	School Fees	2	4	3
57	Do	Nurse Children	21	14	6

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 agreed to hold no meeting on Friday next being Xmas eve,

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:—

An application was read from Dr. Rogers. Medical Officer of Hacketstown Dispensary District in this Union. for payment of the sum of £1.1.0 for assisting Dr. Lyly in a difficult midwifery case at Mangans in the Tinahely Dispensary District.

It was proposed by Wm. Byrne & seconded by Wm Shang that the sum of £1.1.0 be paid Dr. John W Rogers of Hacketstown for assistance given Dr. Lyly in a difficult case of midwifery at Mangans in his district for which we desire the sanction of the L.G. Board.

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 33515. 1880. 16th December 1880.

Adverting to the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of this Union on the 12th inst. the L.G. Board for Ireland request that they may be informed whether any report has since been received from the Committee of Management of the Coollattin & Clonegal Dispensary District in regard to the provision of a suitable residence for the Medical Officer of that district.

In reply to the foregoing letter the Guardians have to inform the L.G. Board that no report on the subject has yet been received from the Committee of Management of the Coollattin & Clonegal Dispensary District

No. 36201. 1880. 16th December 1880

From same to acknowledge the receipt of the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of this Union. on the 10th inst. & with reference to the Resolutions relating to the Dietary of the Workhouse inmates the Board desire to state with respect to the proposed use of Potatoes at the dinner meal of the Healthy Inmates that before they can sanction a departure from the authorised dietary it will be necessary for the Guardians to obtain a report from their Medical Officer recommending the change & stating the quantity of Potatoes to be allowed instead of the usual bread rations.

As regards the proposal to allow the Infirm class Tea & Sugar as an equivalent for Meat on Fridays & fast days the L.G. Board desire to point out that Tea & Sugar do not constitute a dietetic equivalent for Meat, & that while the Board entirely concur in the propriety of not requiring the Roman Catholic inmates to partake of Meat on Fridays & other days of abstinence they would suggest the propriety of allowing such inmates a little butter in addition to the tea & sugar so as to compensate for the loss of the more nutritious dietary withdrawn from them on account of their religious convictions. On this point the Guardians would also do well to consult their Medical Officer.

In reference to the subjects contained in the foregoing letter the Guardians requested the Workhouse Medical Officer Dr. Battersby to be good enough to report thereon. by the next Board day.

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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... 45

Ditto disallowed 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 0

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 ... ...

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.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)
(No. 27.)

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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 & Clonegal Dispensary District.

35 Account of Mr. George D. Rogers for ¼ Salary Amount, £ 25 . 0 . 0
36 Elizabeth Taylor ¼ do. 1 . 15 . 0
37 Timothy Byrne do. 1 . 15 . 0

Hacketstown

38 Jno. W. Rogers do. 25 . 0 . 0
39 Thomas Noblett do. 2 . — . —
40 Wm. Cooper do. 1 . 10 . 0

Tinahely

41 Richd. Carey ¼ Rent do. 25 [illegible] 1 . 10 . 0
42 Chas. D. Byrne ¼ Rent 1 . 10 . 0
43 Hanny Davis ¼ Salary 1 . 5 .

Coollattin

55 Wm. Raftis Rent Dispensary 5 . 10 . 0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

half-year ended _____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____ *dated*_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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Charles Byrne Chairman
Thomas M Barker
Phd. J. Hawkins.

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

	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount	
35	Aghaviller	G. D. Rogers	3	15.
38	Ballykeltan	J. D. Rogers	3	15.
41	Shillelagh	Rich. Lordy	3	15.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 31st.
day of December 1880

Signed, Bwy. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871— *Present Net Annual Value, £* 410

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of December 1880

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	211
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	3
Fever Sheds		
Total,	931	214

	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,	16	50	41	15	20	14	14	33	15	218
Admitted during the Week, . .	37	1			1					39
TOTAL	53	51	41	15	21	14	14	33	15	257
Discharged during the Week, . .	40	-	1		1					42
Died, ...		1								1
Total Discharged and Dead, . .	40	1	1		1					43
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . .	13	50	40	15	20	14	14	33	15	214

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	47	In separate Wards,	7
In Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,	50	TOTAL,	7

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	37	0	1	38
No. in Workhouse at date	3	.	.	3

No. at corresponding period last year, 209

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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

No Meeting

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, ~~at a Meeting~~ held on Friday the 24th day of December 1880

PRESENT: *In the Chair*—

Other Guardians :—

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

The 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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 45 : 14 : 6

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 34 - 10 - -

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 2 : 10½

Average Cost in Infirmary : 4 : 0½

Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 8 : 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 :—

406. 4lb Loaves of Bread
20 lbs. Butter
153 lbs. Meat
12 Bottles Port Wine
½ d. Malaga do.
2 lbs. Wax Candles
1 Gallon Train Oil

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 188 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 :—

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

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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was... .. ..

Ditto disallowed ... ...

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

The number of cases of provisional 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 ... ...

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.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

*Account of Mr.*_____ *for*_____ *Amount, £*_____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

half-year ended _____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2*), in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

_____

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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Charles Byrne Chairman
Thomas M Barker
Wm. J. Haskins

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*] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 31st.
day of December 1880

Signed, Bury. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1871— Shillelagh UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of December 1880

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	216
Temporary Buildings.....		
Additional Workhouse.....	50	4
Permanent Fever Hospital...		
Fever Sheds.....		
Total,.....	931	220

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	13	50	40	15	20	14	14	33	15	214
Admitted during the Week, . .	14	8	2	1		1	2	2		30
TOTAL	27	58	42	16	20	15	16	35	15	244
Discharged during the Week, . .	14	8					1	1		24
Died, ...	"									"
Total Discharged and Dead, . .	14	8					1	1		24
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . .	13	50	42	16	20	15	15	34	15	220

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.			
	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital	52	In separate Wards,	7
In Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,	56	TOTAL,	7

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	13	6	2	21
No. in Workhouse at date	4	"	"	4

No. at corresponding period last year, 209

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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 31st day of December 188 0

PRESENT : *In the Chair*— Chas. Byrne Esq. & subsequently G. G. Newton Esq. J.P. D.L.
Other Guardians :—
Captain McNeill, Messrs Thomas J. Haskins, and
Thomas Barker.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2607 *to No.* 2669 *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 rec'd 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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
	TOTALS, £				

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

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

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	53	1	1
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	40	15	10
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	53	X	X
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	4½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	0½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		8	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 :—

435, 4 lb Loaves of Bread
21 lbs. Butter
252 lbs. Meal
192 gallons Sweet milk
5 lb ds. Buttermilk
2 gallons Whiskey
1 pass Fine Combs
1 ds. Coarse ds
12 Bottles Wine
1 lb Tobacco
1 Stone Starch
4 lbs blue
1 Piece Shroud
6 Large Coffins
1 Piece of 5mm Chuck
8000 Shoe nails
Large Jr Medical Appce.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.
58. Michael Dinan. 4 Wages.	4	6	0
59 Thomas Hickey	4	4	0
60 Matthew Murray	1	1	8

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	£	s.	d.
61. John W Rogers 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:—

The Clerk reported on the last Board day that Mr. Finlay, Auditor attended on the 10th & 11th inst. to audit the Union Accounts.

The Fever Hospital Nurse applied last Board day & was granted leave of absence for 1 week at Christmas, the Medical Officer stating that the Assistant Nurses would perform her duties during her absence.

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

The Master reports that the Workhouse School children were regaled with Tea, Cake, &c. by Lady Fitzwilliam yesterday at Coollattin House – & afterwards presented with the spoils of a beautiful Christmas tree,

That the gate of Mens' yard requires to be repaired, as also the doors of coal cellars, one of which is in a very bad state,

Mr. Taylor proposes to supply the Workhouse with best Champion eating Potatoes at 12/- per barrel,

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

The Clerk was directed to invite Tenders to be consider-ed on this day fortnight, to supply good eating Potatoes for the use of the Workhouse Healthy Inmates in such quantities as may be required during the next three months,

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. 598-M/80 20th December 1880

Miscellaneous. Circular read from the L.G. Board for Ireland requesting to be furnished with a Return of the several Dispensaries under the Medical Charities Act and of the expenses of each Dispensary District for the year ended 29th September 1880.

No 34.600/80.

Miscellaneous. 20th December 1880.

From same Circular read relating to extracts from the Births and Deaths Registration (Ireland) Act 1880

No. 36,867,1880 23rd. December 1880

From same to acknowledge the receipt of the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of this Union on the 17th instant and with reference to the resolution proposing that the sum of Two guineas be paid to Dr. Rogers for assisting Dr. Healy, Medical Officer of the Rathdrum Dispensary District in a difficult Midwifery case, the Board request that they may be informed whether Dr. Rogers services was obtained through the Relieving Officer (See 7 & 8 Vic. c 31)

In reference to the foregoing Letter the Relieving Officer who was present informed the Guardians that no application was made to him in the Case mentioned.

Letter was read from Lady Fitzwilliam addressed to the Chairman on the 24th inst. stating that she would be extremely obliged if the Board of Guardians would give permission for the Workhouse children to come to Coollattin for a Christmas treat on Thursday the 30th inst. & in reference thereto the Clerk informed the Board that he in the absence of the Guardians on Friday last replied to the above letter of Lady Fitzwilliam to say he was perfectly certain the Guardians would be glad to afford per-mission for the Workhouse children to accept of her Ladyship's Kind invitation.

Mr. Barker proposed Mr. Byrne seconded & passed unanimous-ly as follows viz.

"That we desire to express our thanks to Lady Fitzwilliam for her Kindness in affording the Workhouse children the Christmas treat mentioned & that the Clerk be directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to her Ladyship."

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The Committee to consider the lavatory arrangements for the Workhouse school children as referred to by Dr. Maclabe L. G. Board Inspector, reported as follows, viz.

" We the Committee appointed to examine the lavatory arrangements of the Workhouse School children referred to by Dr. Maclabe in his report consider it would not be advisable at this advanced period of the year to enter into new arrangements. but suggest the propriety of using two tubs for the purpose for each school pending further improvements during the coming season. "

Note read from the Local Government Board under the National School Teachers (Ireland) Act, 1875, requesting to be informed by this Board of Guardians whether they are willing to become a Contributory Union within the meaning of the National School Teachers (Ireland) Act

The Board postponed the consideration of the above subject till this day week,

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... 62

Ditto disallowed 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 0

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 ... ...

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.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *for* _____ *Amount, £* _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

half-year ended _____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2*), in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____ *dated*_____ *stating that*

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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Thomas M. Baker

James Moore

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*]:—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 4th day of January 1881

Signed, Benj. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871— *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of January 1881

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	213
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	4
Fever Sheds		
Total,	931	217

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	13	50	42	16	20	15	15	34	15	220
Admitted during the Week,	23	11	1		1	1	1	2	1	41
Total	36	61	43	16	21	16	16	36	16	261
Discharged during the Week,	20	12	2		1	1	2	3	1	42
Died,	2									2
Total Discharged and Dead,	22	12	2		1	1	2	3	1	44
Remaining on the above date,	14	49	41	16	20	15	14	33	15	217

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	53	In separate Wards,	7
In Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other Inmates,	
Total,	59	Total,	7

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	22	8	2	32
No. in Workhouse at date	5	1	1	7

No. at corresponding period last year, 215

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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.
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 7th day of January 188 1

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— George G. Fetherston Esq. J.P. V.C.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Edward Grange

William Blake, James Moore, Thomas Baker

and James Hopkins

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2670 *to No.* 2710 *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 acct was not exd. 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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ 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 Accounts.*
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	27	4	8
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	34	19	7
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	1½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	6½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		8	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:—

401. 4lb of Bread
8lbs Butter
4 Cwt. Oatmeal
4 " Indian Meal
256lbs Meal
192 gallons Sweetmilk
57 d. Buttermilk
1 Cwt. Sugar
2 Gallons Whiskey
2 d. Rum
1 Hyde Butt Leather
2 Sides Rip. d.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.*

63	Bapt. Hopkins Salary	2	. .
64	Rich. Cody Lunacy fee	1	1 .

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
62	Michael Whelan Coal	5	9	8
65	William Dilliard Potatoes	3	.	9

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 therron as follows:—

The schoolmaster Mr Fenlong, applied & was granted leave of absence from the 8th to the 10th instant; and the Workhouse Porter was in like manner granted leave of absence on the 13th instant

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

The master reports that he bought 6¾ barrels of eating potatoes from William Dilliard of Ballyisland at 9/- per barrel and he is getting more from Benjamin Rathwell of Lamer at seven pence.

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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 tender having been received, as advertised, to find the Burial Ground at Lucan, the Guardians agreed to postpone such Contract for future Consideration on the same advertisement.

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—M/81 4th January 1881
Miscellaneous Circular letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland for a quarterly return of Rate signed & agreed to.

No. 126. 1881 6th January 1881
Same Same letter read stating they have had before them the Minute of the Board of Guardians of this Union of the 31st Ultimo relative to the proposed payment of a sum of One guinea to Dr. Rogers for assisting Dr. Scully Medical Officer of the Shankly Dispensary District in a difficult Midwifery Case; and requesting Minute

the Board desire to state that if the Case were of such an urgent nature that there was not sufficient time to procure the extra assistance through the Relieving Officer they will not object to the payment ~~for the additional assistance~~ of the fee to Dr Rogers, but the Guardians should bear in mind that under ordinary Circumstances the payment for the additional assistance has been obtained through the Relieving Officer in pursuance of his powers under the 4th Section of the act 10 Vic Cap. 31

No. 126. 1881 6th January 1881
Same Same to acknowledge the receipt of the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of this Union on the 31st Ultimo, containing an entry of a report from the Committee appointed to Consider the lavatory arrangements for the Workhouse School Children in which the Committee express their Opinion that it would not be advisable to enter into new arrangements at the present period of the year.

The Local Government Board trust that the Guardians will not lose sight of this subject as they understand from their Inspector that the Children's lavatory arrangements are exceedingly defective in the Shillelagh Workhouse and Dr. Maclaverty remarks that the provision of two tubs which means that a number of Children must use the same water is Clearly unsuitable, as per notice if one child suffers from opthalmia, this troublesome affection would be very likely to spread through the whole school through such an arrangement

It is therefore of the utmost importance that each child should have Clean water, and the Board are informed that Zinc or tin Cans now be had at a very low price

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In reference to the fee of two guineas to be paid Dr. Rogers for assisting Dr. Colby in the Midwifery Case mentioned the Guardians desire to express their opinion that the Case was of an urgent nature & did not admit of time to apply to the Relieving Officer to appd such assistance.

With reference to Notice, dated 30th December 1880, received from the Local Government Board requiring the Guardians to inform them whether they are willing to form a Contributory Union under the National School Teachers (Ireland) act the following resolution was proposed by Mr. Moore seconded by Mr. Banks and passed unanimously viz

"That we hereby agree that the Shillelagh Union will not be a Contributory Union within the meaning of the National School Teachers (Ireland) act."

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was... 40

Ditto disallowed 0

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 ... ...

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

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

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

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)
(No. 27.) }

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

*Account of Mr.*_____ *for*_____ *Amount, £*_____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

*half-year ended*_____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

*Order dated*_____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read ~~Letter from~~ _____ dated ~~____~~
stating that

Report (form P) was read from the Medical officer of Shankly Dispensary District & certify that he has successfully Vaccinated 72 persons between the date, 1st July 1880 and 31st December 1880; and the Report (form P.) was received Nil from the same district.

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

In reply to letter of the Local Government Board No. 33515 dated 24th November 1880 to be informed as what steps or changes the Guardians propose to change the expenses to be incurred in Connection with the proposed fencing of the Kiscain Burial Ground the Guardians unanimously agreed to the following resolution viz,

"That owing to the Burial Ground at Kiscain being made use of by families as their burial ground who are resident in the Electoral Divisions of Glenmore Knockdaton Money, Killiskea, and Aghowle in this Union we are of opinion that the expenses incurred in fencing such Burial Ground ought to be charged to the aforesaid Electoral Divisions"

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Thomas Swan Chairman

Charles Byrne

James Hopkins

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*] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 14th day of January 188/

Signed, Jas. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871— *Present Net Annual Value*, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of January 188/

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and 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	88	220										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	4										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	138	224										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			14	49	41	16	20	15	14	33	15	217
Admitted during the Week,			26	8	1						2	38
Total			40	57	42	16	20	16	14	33	17	255
Discharged during the Week,			22	4	1		1				2	30
Died,					1							1
Total Discharged and Dead,			22	4	2		1				2	31
Remaining on the above date,			18	53	40	16	19	16	14	33	15	224

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	57	In separate Wards,	3
In Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other Inmates,	4
Total,	61	Total,	7

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	25	4	3	32
No. in Workhouse at date	8	-	-	8

No. at corresponding period last year, 210

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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.
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 January 188/

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Thomas Swan Esq.

Other Guardians :— Messrs Abraham Elgie Charles Byrne James Hopkins and Ralph Laurenson

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2711 *to No.* 2754 *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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 34 : 4 : 8
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 34 : 18 : 10
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 2 : 10½
Average Cost in Infirmary 4 : 0½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital 8 : 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 :—

360, 4lb Loaves of Bread
8lbs. Butter
4 Cwt. Oatmeal
260lbs Meat
194 Gallons Sweetmilk
41 do. Buttermilk
2 Gallons Whiskey
12lbs. Thread
½ Chest Tea
1 Cwt Sugar
24 lbs Wastid

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 188
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.
68 John Burke Thread Linsey &c.	46	6	11

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

66 Election Law Railway Co. Star		5	4
68 John Burke Brushes &c.	2	2	-
69 Jacob Barnes Law Costs	1	8	6
72 Ralph Lawrence Rent 20. 10.0			
" Do. " Collecting Dis. 3 ——	23	10	0

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
66	William Rickaby	Firewood		4	8
"	Mich. Broughan	do.		5	10
"	Thomas Rathwill	Potatoes	1	18	7
67.	Eliza M'Guirk	Meat	22	13	5
70	Mich. Kelly	Wine	1	2	6
71	Laurence Kenny	Bread Meal &c.	109	7	9

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

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

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

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

The Board proceeded to Consider Tenders to supply the Workhouse as advertised, for three Months with good & dry eating potatoes, at his Yard of 24 stone, when the Tendering was Marked accepted viz

Champion
Thomas Braddell to Supply Potatoes at 11/- per barrel

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

The Master asked the Board for permission to employ a Mason to put up the Chimney piece in the Board Room that had fallen down this Morning, when the Guardians granted same.

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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:—~~

A few Labourers attended before the Board from the neighbourhood of Cookstown in the Ashnoda Electoral division of this Union, and stated that they had been directed by Mr Haskins, Poor Law Guardian of same place, to make application for a Loan of £300, to open drainage works on his farm, which the Guardians expressed their disapproval of. such application.

The Medical Officer, Dr Batterbey wrote in his Journal as follows, viz: "I beg to apply to the Board of Guardians for an order for a "Carbolic Spray Producer" for use in the Infirmary in dressing wounds & ulcers.

The Guardians granted the above application.

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. 747. 13th January 1881

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland with reference to the Guardians resolution of the 7th Instant, inquiring the Charges likely of the expenditure to be incurred in fencing the Lecain Burial Ground, the Board request they may be informed whether there are any other Burial Grounds in the Union standing in need of fencing

The Guardians postpone reply to the Subject in the foregoing letter in order to obtain information thereon.

No. 747. 13th January 1881

Letter read from same to sanction payment of One guinea to Dr. J. R. Boyd for assisting Dr Cody in a difficult midwifery Case in the Knockaly Dispensary district

No 32425 13th January 1881

Form sent to request the Clerk to return to this office the original document which was forwarded with the Board's letter of the 11th Instant last, in regard to the provision of a Suitable residence for the Medical Officer of the Lecain and Omagh Dispensary District in this Union

An application was read from the Infirmary Nurse, Annie Dugan for increase of her Salary

Mr. Swan was now directed that on this day fortnight he will know that the Salary of the Infirmary Nurse Annie Dugan, be increased from £12. to £15. per year.

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The Board agree unanimously to allow the amount of Solicitors fee for attesting the new Special bonds required by the Local Government Board in their Circular Letter of the 29th October 1880, to be entered into by the Rate Collectors and their Sureties, owing to instalment under the said Supply (Ireland) act of 1880; and trust the Local Government Board will be good enough to express their approval of the payment of such Cost as the several Rate Collectors (Poor) have recently paid the expenses incurred in perfecting their present ordinary bonds.

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... 43

Ditto disallowed 0

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

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

*Account of Mr.*_____ *for*_____ *Amount, £*_____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

*Order dated*_____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____ *dated*_____ *stating that*

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

_____

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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James Moore
Chairman

Duncan McNeill

Thos. F. Hastings

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*]:—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 21st.
day of January 188 1

Signed, Benjn. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871— *Present Net Annual Value*, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of January 188 1

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse	881	217
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	4
Fever Sheds		
Total,	931	221

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	12	33	44 34	16	19	16	14	33	15	224
Admitted during the Week,	33	8			2	1		1	1	47
Total	57	61	40	16	21	17	15	34	16	271
Discharged during the Week,	38	8		1				1	1	49
Died,			1							1
Total Discharged and Dead,	38	8	1	1				1	1	50
Remaining on the above date,	13	53	39	15	21	17	15	33	15	221

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	50	In separate Wards,	7
In Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other Inmates,	
Total,	54	Total,	7

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	31	4	4	39
No. in Workhouse at date	5	0	0	5

No. at corresponding period last year, 215

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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 January 188 1

PRESENT: *In the Chair*—
Other Guardians:— James Moore Esq, D. V. L.
Messrs Captain McNeill
and Thomas F. Hastings

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2755 *to No.* 2786 *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 acct. was not secured 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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	26	12	2
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	34	12	3
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	10½	
Average Cost in Infirmary	4	8½	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	8	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 :—

361, 4lb Loaves of Bread
8lb Butter
Hcwt. Indian Meal
25lbs Meal
193 Jaums Oatmeal
50 do. Buttermilk
2 Jaums Whistling
10lbs Pepper

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.

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 Rev. P. M'Donnell P.P. Hacketstown & his Curate attended before the Board and stated that distress existed in Hacketstown amongst the labouring classes owing to the severity of the weather and want of employment, and applied for temporary relief which the Guardians having very Carefully Considered directed the Relieving Officer to enquire into any Case necessarily requiring his immediate attention in affording relief till next Board day in accordance with the 3rd & 4th Vic. Relief Extension Act 10 Vic c 31 Sec. 7

The Guardians at same time agreed to take into Consideration (if necessary) on the next Board day when a special will be Convened on Mr Swan's notice of Motion to increase the Salary of the Infirmary Nurse, the propriety of applying to the Local Government Board for authority to afford temporary relief in any distressed districts in the Union during the present exceptionally severe weather under the Relief Distress Act of 1880.

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

Dr. Bartley, Medical officer, wrote in his Journal this day as follows. viz

"Having been requested by the Board to make a report on the advisability of changing the diet of the Healthy Inmates from Bread to Potatoes for dinner on four days in the week

I beg to state that I consider the change would be a Salutary one, on account of the good quality of the Potatoes (Champions) and also that a hot vegetable diet is preferable to Bread at Dinner.

I would recommend the following quantities of Potatoes in each Class No. 1, 3½ lbs. Nos. 2 & 3, 3 lbs; No. 4 2½ lbs; No. 5, 2 lbs and No. 6, 1½ lbs

With respect to the addition of some Butter to the

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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:—

Tea & Sugar given instead of meat to the P.L. inmates on Fridays & Fast days. I consider it would certainly be advisable but am informed by the Master that there is only a pump of 1¼ h.p. head available for that purpose which would be inadequate"

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. 14-M/81 — 17th January 1881
Miscellaneous. Circular letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland, respecting the Election of Guardians in this Union.

No. 37.034/80.— 18th January 1881
Miscellaneous. From same Circular read enclosing a form of Return to be filled up, showing the Number of Persons in receipt of relief on the first Saturdays of January and the First Saturday of July 1877. 1878. and 1879.

No. 1358. 1881 — 20th January 1881.

From same to acknowledge the receipt of the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of this Union on the 14th inst. and with reference to the Minute on the subject, the Board desire to state that they will not object to the proposal to defray out of the Rates the expenses incurred by the Poor Rate Collectors in perfecting new Bonds.

No. 36 867 — 20th January 1881

From Same to request they may be informed whether the Medical Officer has since Applied to the Guardians in regard to the dietary of the Workhouse Inmates.

No. 346 — 20th January 1881

From Same to state that although nearly four out of the Six months allowed for the Completion of the Collection of Rates have now expired, Rates amounting to the large Sum of £2,736 or Considerably More than Three-fifths of the entire amount included in the Collectors Warrants are still outstanding and the Board request that the Guardians will be good enough to Call upon the Collectors to use greater exertions in getting in the Rates.

The Board are at the same time desirous of being informed whether they are to understand from the Statement on the Abstracts received respecting the Treasurer's Account that the Book of Receipts & Payments is not Submitted to the Guardians at each Meeting. If so the attention of the Treasurer should be drawn to the Master with reference to the requirements of Article 48 no 3 of the General Regulations

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The Clerk begs to state in regard to the Treasurers Book of Receipts & Payments referred to in the foregoing Letter, that it is not submitted to the Board as Mr. Stanley auditor has such book at present in respect of a Balance arising under the said Supply act.

Nicholas Walmsley, rate collector, applied to the Guardians in writing for extension of time to collect the rate in consequence of the severity of the weather, which the Guardians declined to consider; and at same time directed as requested by the Local Government Board that the Rate Collectors use greater exertions in getting in the rates.

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... 31

Ditto disallowed 6

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

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

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

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

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

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

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

*Account of Mr.*_____ *for*_____ *Amount, £*_____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

*Order dated*_____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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James Moore
Chairman

Duncan McNeill

Thos. F. Hastings

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]:—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 28th day of January 188 1

Signed, Benj. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871— *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of January 188 1

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	887	219										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	55	5										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	931	224										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			13	53	39	15	21	17	15	33	15	221
Admitted during the Week,			14	3		1						18
TOTAL			27	56	39	16	21	17	15	33	15	239
Discharged during the Week,			14			0						14
Died,						1						1
Total Discharged and Dead,			14			1						15
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			13	56	39	15	21	17	15	33	15	224

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital	54	In separate Wards,	7	
In Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other Inmates,		
TOTAL,	59	TOTAL,	7	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	14	4	-	18
No. in Workhouse at date	1	-	-	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 221

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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 28th day of January 188 1

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— George G. Newton and subsequently
Other Guardians:— James Moore, V.D. R.C.
Messrs Captain McNeill
Thomas F. Hastings, Ralph Lawrence, Thomas Swan
A. L. DeRinzy, Thomas Barton, James Hopkins
John Whelan, Jeremiah MacCarthy; and also Dr. MacLoughlin
Inspector to the Local Government Board, attended

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2787 *to No.* 2888 *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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	35	7	9
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	35	11	10
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	10½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	0½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		8	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:—

385, 4lb Loaves of Bread
9lbs Butter
4 Cwt. Oatmeal
261lbs. Meat
181 Quarts Sweetmilk
56 d. Buttermilk
10 Barrels of Potatoes
20 Pair Blankets
1 Cwt. Sugar
1 Stone Rice

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 188 *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.

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 abstracts of the two last half years was Signed by the Chairman, and copies ordered to be printed

The Clerk informed the Board that one of his Sureties, Mr Laurenson of Ballingate is dead; and that on the next Board day he will name a Surety in his room to enter into a new bond

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

The master reported that the Schoolmaster Mr Furlong has been unwell & confined to bed with a Sore throat since Tuesday last

That 14 gallons of Milk was Spilled on Saturday last the Car being upset in the Straw whilst being brought to the Workhouse, and he had to give Tea & Sugar in lieu of same & had instead of Potatoes on that day

That he is in want of 3 or 4 Tons of Straw for bedding in the Workhouse

Order - To stand over until next Board day

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

Mr Swan proposed (pursuant to 14 days notice) and Mr. McKinty seconded as follows, viz:

"That the Salary of the Infirmary Nurse, Anna Dugan, be increased from £12. to £15. p. annum."

Amendment proposed by Mr. MacCarthy and seconded by Captain McNeill that the Salary of the Infirmary Nurse remain as it is

The Board divided when two Guardians voted for the amendment three declined to vote, and five voted for the proposition which was declared Carried.

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. 26. M. 1881 — 25nd January 1881

Miscellaneous — Circular read from the Local Government Board to state that the Special Rate under the Sud supply Act should not be counted without the ordinary poor rate.

No. 217, 1881. — 27th January 1881

Read Same letter read stating they have had before them the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of this Union on the 21st. instant containing an extract of a Report from the Medical Officer of the Workhouse in which he recommends the change in the Dietary of the Healthy Inmates from Bread to Potatoes for Dinner on four days in the week, and states that the addition of some Butter to the tea & sugar given instead of meat to the Roman Catholic Inmates on Fridays and fast days would certainly be advisable but that he is informed by the Master that there is only a sum of 1¼ per head available for that purpose which would be inadequate.

He upon now invites the Local Government Board desire to express their approval of the proposed rations of Potatoes instead of Bread for the dinner meal of the Healthy Inmates on four days of the week, and at the same time desire to inform the Guardians that it is quite within their power notwithstanding the information given by the Master to the Medical Officer, to allow butter to the class of Inmates, who cannot use the Meat-soup on Fridays, and that they might with propriety make an order accordingly, as the Medical Officer has placed on Record his opinion that such an addition is advisable.

No. 2017, 1881 — 26th January 1881

Read Same to acknowledge the receipt of Minute of last Board day, and with reference to the Minute in which the Guardians agreed to take into Consideration at this next Meeting the propriety of applying to the Local Government Board for authority to afford temporary relief in any distressed Districts in the Union under the Relief of Distress Act, the Board desires to state that if the Guardians at their Meeting on the 28th instant find it necessary to apply for an order under the Relief of Distress Act they may do so by Telegram and if they make the application it will be replied to in the same manner, and they should adjourn to a day

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early period to make the necessary arrangements

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In reference to the Subject of the foregoing letter Dr. Maclabe Local Government Board Inspector entered very fully into an explanation of the Working of the Relief Distress Act & informed the Board that it the want of their decision to apply for authority to the Local Government Board to grant Relief to able bodied persons under the act a labour test of stone breaking should be enforced

The Guardians after the most Careful Consideration agreed to postpone their decision until the next Board Day as one of the Guardians of Rathcoffan Electoral Division who was present stated to the Board that in his opinion the able bodied Class in Rathcoffan would not accept of the labour test to break stone, however, he undertook to afford more full information respecting the Matter at the next Meeting of the Board

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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:—

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... 3

Ditto disallowed 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 0

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 ... ...

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.)

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *for* _____ *Amount, £* _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____ *dated*_____ *stating that*

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

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

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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George G Newton Esq
Chm

James Moore

Thomas R Baker

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]:—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 4th day of February 1881

Signed, Bury Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871— *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of January 1881

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	221										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	6										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	931	227										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			13	56	39	15	21	17	15	33	15	224
Admitted during the Week,			16	6		1	1					24
TOTAL			29	62	39	16	22	17	15	33	15	248
Discharged during the Week,			15	3								18
Died,				1	2							3
Total Discharged and Dead,			15	4	2							21
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			14	58	37	16	22	17	15	33	15	227

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital 5 / In Fever Hospital 6 — TOTAL, 13	In separate Wards, 7 / In Wards with other Inmates, — TOTAL, 7	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	16	5	—	21
No. in Workhouse at date	2	3	—	5

No. at corresponding period last year, 225

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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 4th day of February 1881

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— George G. Newton Esqr. J.P.
Other Guardians:—
Messrs. John R Braddell, Charles Byrne, Jeremiah Macarthy, James Moore, Thomas Barker, James Hopkins Terence Doyle & Edward Ferris.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2809 *to No.* 2842 *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~~ ynw the 27th month last £ 726. 9. 11

Paid during the ~~week~~ same period £ 652. 1. 2

And that the Balance on the Account agst, *the Guardians was* £ 58. 4. 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	33	0	7
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	36	0	7
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	10½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	0½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		8	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 :—

369. 4lb Loaves of Bread
9 lb Butter
4 Cwt Indian Meal
260 lbs Meal
197 lbs Oatmeal
53 do 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 *day of* 188 *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.
74	Smith & Wallstood Lim	4	15	
75	Daniel O Brien, Mate Clare,	7	10	
76	W. D. Woodsworth Collates Manual	1		
77	Registration Clerks & Rogers &c	3	9	

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
72	Thomas S. DeRinzy Inch	103	19	11
73	Eliza M'Guirk Inch	15	19	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:—

The Clerk begs to name as his Surety in the room of Mr Lawrence of Ballingate deceased Mr Thomas Burke of Brannon who was approved of by the Guardians

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

The Master reports that he attended the Petty Sessions at Lasnew on Tuesday last to prosecute James Roche an inmate, and Patrick Brennan a Tramp; the former for having disposed of the shoes off his feet to the latter in November last when Brennan was in the Infirmary for a few days; Roche was sent to Gaol for 14 days & Brennan was discharged.

Elizabeth Mahon at the same Petty Sessions swore informations against Edward Lyons, the putative father of her illegitimate child.

That two inmates named Bridget & Margaret Doyle, sisters, took their discharge with their two illegitimate infant children from the Workhouse on Tuesday last.

Bridget Doyle did not return but the sister Margaret came back same evening to the Workhouse, and was admitted, and brought back the sisters child with her.

Order— Bridget Doyle to be prosecuted.

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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:—

That three tramps, named Thomas Syland, James Walsh & John Fitzgerald tore up their clothing in the Workhouse this morning.

Ordered – to be prosecuted –

Three children named Murphy admitted to Hospital for treatment in December are now perfectly well and ought to be taken home by their father who is living in Racketstown –

Order – to be discharged when sent for.

The Master was directed to purchase three tons of Straw from Wm. Hughes at 7/ per cwt.

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 2,723. 1881.

3rd February 1881

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland to acknowledge the receipt of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of this Union on the 28th ultimo, containing an entry of their letter of the 24th ultimo in regard to the dietary of the Workhouse Inmates; and the Board request to be informed what order was made by the Guardians on this subject,

In reference to the subject of the foregoing letter the Guardians desire to state that they consider an allowance of Butter to the Inmates referred to not requisite

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The Board accepted a proposal in writing from James Dempsey to build a wall around Lucan Burial Ground including an Iron Gate & stone posts, according to Specification, for the sum of £72.

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... ... ... 33.

Ditto disallowed 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 0

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 ... ...

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.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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:

Thurles *Dispensary District.*

4 8 *Account of Mr.* J Wm R Rogers *for* Dispensary fee *Amount, £* 1 - 1 - 0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

half-year ended _____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____ *dated*_____
stating that

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

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

Lowtertin & Clonegal

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

The relieving Officer to notify the parents that they may be prosecuted should their children not be vaccinated within 14 days from this date

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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James Moore
Chairman

James Stopkins

Jeremiah McCarthy

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*] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 11th day of February 188/

Signed, Bury Dwyer
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1871 Shillelagh UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of February 188/

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse	881	217
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	8
Fever Sheds		
Total,	931	225

	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	58	37	16	22	17	16	33	15	227
Admitted during the Week,	25	4	1	1			1	1	2	35
TOTAL	39	62	38	17	22	17	16	34	17	262
Discharged during the Week,	25	7		1					2	35
Died,		1		1						2
Total Discharged and Dead,	25	8		2					2	37
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	14	54	38	15	22	17	16	34	15	225

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	55	In separate Wards,	4
In Fever Hospital	8	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,	63	TOTAL,	4

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	24	1	—	25
No. in Workhouse at date	0	0	0	0

No. at corresponding period last year, 226

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 11th *day of* February 188/

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— James Morrogh, D. L. and subsequently
Other Guardians:— George G. Newton J. P. & C.
Messrs Charles Byrne, Michael Lawlinson, Thomas Swan
Thomas F. Haskin, John R. Craddock, James Stopkins
John Fraser, Jeremiah MacCarthy, Michael Hayden &
Andrew Workman.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2843 *to No.* 2873 *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 - - - - - £ 146 . 0 . 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 36 . 1 . 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 51 . 13 . 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	24	4	4
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	36	15	4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	11½	
Average Cost in Infirmary	4	0½	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	8	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 :—

368 4lb Loaves of Bread
8lbs Butter
4cwt Oatmeal
276lbs Meat
55 Gallons Buttermilk
197 do Sweetmilk
1 cwt Sugar
½ Chest of Tea
1 Piece of Calico
2 Gallons Whiskey
1 Jar Best Branding Ink
10.000 Shoe Nails

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.

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 was directed to write to the Master of the South Dublin Union Workhouse to know whether a Woman named Patrick Gilhooly originally from Carlingford in this Union is, or has been, under Medical treatment in any of the Hospitals of that Union.

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

The Master was directed to supply an outfit to a Orphan boy named Joseph Stanley who is going to a situation.

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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 Clerk informed the Guardians that the several Rate Collectors had failed to collect the amount of Rate required by their Guardians' resolution of the 17th September last when the Clerk was directed to write to the several Rate Collectors stating the Guardians request that they make greater exertions in the Collection of the Rate.

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. 2723, 1881 — 7th February 1881

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland stating they have had before them the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of this Union on the 28th Ultimo, and desire to express their approval of the proposed increase of Salary of Miss Anna Dugan Infirmary Nurse of the Watchhouse, to Fifteen Pounds a year.

No. 2934, 1881 — 10th February 1881

Form sent to state they have had before them the Abstracts (Form 4a and 4b) of the accounts of this Union for the Half year ended 25th March last containing an entry of an Observation by the Auditor to the effect that the of the Clerk's Salaries is dead, and the Board desire to draw the Guardians attention to the matter under article 39 of the General Regulations

In reference to the Subject of the foregoing letter the Guardians desire to inform the Local Government Board that the Security of the Clerk ~~Recorder~~ required to did only execute on the 8th December last; and that the Clerk on the last Board day named a fresh Security in his place, who has been approved of by the Guardians

No. 48-M/81 — 10th February 1881

Circular read enclosing therewith 50 Copies (Form L) of the Notice of the Election of Guardians

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The Guardians proceeded to consider tenders, as advertised to supply the Workhouse for 3 Months from the 14th instant with Bread Meat, Oatmeal and Indian Meal and Butter, when the following were marked accepted, viz.

Laurence Kenny to supply Bread at £ 1/4 3/4 d per 4 lb Loaf
Do. Oatmeal at £13 — per Ton
Do. Indian Meal at £7.10 Do.
Do. Butter at 1/4 d per lb.
Eliza M'Guirk Beef & Mutton at 7/4 3/4 per lb.

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 30
Ditto disallowed 0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 0

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 ... ...

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.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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:—

The Clerk to forward the Estimate to the Contractor.

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

*Account of Mr.*_____ *for*_____ *Amount, £*_____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

half-year ended _____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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James Moore
Chairman

Duncan McNeill

Charles Byrne

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*] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 18th day of February 1881

Signed, Benj. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of February 1881

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	84	216
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse	50	10
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds		
Total	134	226

	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	54	38	15	22	17	16	34	15	225
Admitted during the Week, . .	28	4							1	33
TOTAL	42	58	38	15	22	17	16	34	16	258
Discharged during the Week, . .	22	3	1					3		29
Died, ...	1		1					1		3
Total Discharged and Dead, . .	23	3	2					4		32
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . .	19	55	36	15	22	17	16	30	16	226

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		
Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital 54	In separate Wards, 7	
In Fever Hospital 10	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL, 64	TOTAL, 7	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week,	26	2	0	28
No. in Workhouse at date,	2	1		3

No. at corresponding period last year, 219

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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* 18th *day of* February 188 1

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— James Moore Esq. D. V. L

Other Guardians:— Mess. Captain McNeill Thomas Banks and William Blake

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2874 *to No.* 2920 *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 acct. was not rec'd. 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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	33	3	1
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	36	9	7
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	11½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	0½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		8	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 :—

32 7 4 Loaves of Bread
9 lb Butter
2 7 9 lb Meal
198 Quarts Buttermilk
55 do Buttermilk
2 Quarts Whiskey
8 Pints & 5 lb
1 lb Tobacco
56 lb. Loaf sugar
4 lb Barley and Oats
Hay and Cow Feeds 1 &
Cow 1 acre & garden Seeds

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the *day of* 188
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.
80 Thomas Dwyer Contract	5	3	7
81 Duty, Hopkins Ass Smith's Salary last ¼	2		

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.
79 Eliza M'Guirk Diet	13	18	6

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

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

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

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

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

The Master reports he attended the Petty Sessions at Tinahely on last Wednesday to prosecute one Michl named Read for leaving up Workhouse Clothing on the 14th & 16th instant when he was sent to gaol for 2 Months

He likewise prosecuted Bridget Doyle for deserting & neglecting to maintain her Child on the 1st February 1881 when the case was dismissed

Mr Ellis relieving Officer explained to the Board that on an application to him to appd the above named Bridget Doyle Conveyance to the Workhouse he issued an Order accordingly she being unable to walk thereto

He also prosecuted John Mc Keon, a Tramp, for insubordinate

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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:

in the Watchhouse on the 16th February 1881 when he was sent to gaol for 2 Months

One of the Chimney pots was blown down at the Fever Hospital during the recent Storms; a new one is required in its place.

Order - postponed for the present

That the Contract to keep the Watchhouse in repair has just expired

The Clerk was directed to invite tenders to be Considered on this day fortnight to keep the Watchhouse & Fever Hospital Buildings as also the Usual articles specified in last Contract in proper repair for one, two, or three Years according to a Specification to be seen at the Watchhouse; and also to ask Mr Jeffers architect with the permission of Earl Fitzwilliam and to prepare a Specification for the due performance of the aforesaid works

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. 3361 16th February 1881

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland stating they have had before them the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians on the 4th instant and with reference to the Minute on the subject the Board request that they may be informed of the area upon which the Guardians propose to charge the Cost of inclosing the Quarin Burial Ground

In reference to the Subject of the foregoing letter the Guardians beg to draw the attention of the Local Government Board to their minute of the 7th Ultimo as follows. viz:

"That owing to the Burial Ground at Quarin being made use of by families as their burial ground who are resident in the Electoral Divisions of Glenmore, Davidstown Money, Rillinure and Aghavoly in this Union we are of Opinion that the expenses incurred in fencing such Burial Ground ought to be charged to the aforesaid Electoral Divisions";

No. 2301 16th February 1881

Form same Circulars read with reference to a sum of £52.8.0 on the Union under the Contagious Diseases Animals act,

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The Clerk informed the Guardians that Constable Mack of the Shillelagh Police Station applied to him recently for a specimen of the hand writing of Mr Jordan the late schoolmaster of the Workhouse, relating to a threatening letter in the hands of the Constabulary, when he gave him the document of Mr Jordan's designation as written by him; and also some forms of application for Outdoor filled up apparently by him under the Land Supply (Ireland) act of 1880.

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... 46

Ditto disallowed 0

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 ... ...

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

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

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

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *for* _____ *Amount, £* _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

half-year ended _____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committee 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 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Coolattin & Clonegal Dispensary District, Mr. _____ &c.

Duncan McNeill	Thomas Swan	William Hopkins
John Bryan J.P.	James Dickenson	Peter Doyle
W. H. Braddell J.P.	John Smith	John Carter
Henry B. Cooke J.P.	John H. Braddell	Joseph Hopkins
Charles Tottenham J.P.	Edwd. Grange	Thomas Hopkins
George Wheatcroft J.P.	William Dowse	
Henry Higginbotham	Ralph Lawrence	
Alexander Dunlop J.P.	Thos. L. DeRinzy	
A. L. DeRinzy	Benj. Hopkins	
Abm. Hope J.P.	Thomas Barker	
James Hopkins	Colonel H. Tighe J.P.	

It was proposed by Mr. Barker, seconded by Mr. Bryan that Mr. John H. Braddell be appointed a Member of the Coolattin and Clonegal Dispensary Committee in the room of Mr. Lawrence of Ballingate deceased.

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

Order dated _____ (*state subject.*)

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

*Read Letter from*_____ *dated*_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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James Moore

Chairman

Thomas M Barker

John Fraser

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*] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 25th day of February 188/

Signed, Bury Hopkins

Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871— *Present Net Annual Value,* £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of February 188/

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse	881	206
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	6
Fever Sheds		
Total,	931	212

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	19	55	36	15	22	17	16	30	16	226
Admitted during the Week, . .	34	5	1			1			1	42
TOTAL	53	60	37	15	22	18	16	30	17	268
Discharged during the Week, . .	42	8			2	1	1	1		55
Died, ...		1								1
Total Discharged and Dead, . .	42	9			2	1	1	1		56
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .	11	51	37	15	20	17	15	29	17	212

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.			
	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital	52	In separate Wards,	4
In Fever Hospital	6	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,	58	TOTAL,	4

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	32	6	2	40
No. in Workhouse at date	—	1	—	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 229

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday the 25th day of February 188/

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— James Morgy D. V. L. and Sabrequenty

Other Guardians— George G. Newton G. V. C.

Messrs Thomas Barker Thomas Swan

John Fraser, James Hopkins Ralph Laurmon

and Peter Doyle.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2921 *to No.* 2951 *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 - - - - - £ 93 . 0 . 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 199 . 0 . 2

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 54 . 6 . 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	26	6	4
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	36	2	6
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	11½	
Average Cost in Infirmary	4	0½	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	8	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 :—

327. 4 lb Loaves of Bread
9 lbs. Butter
4 Cwt Oatmeal
4 d. Indian Meal
271 lbs. Meal
57 Gallons Buttermilk
198 d. Sweetmilk
2 Cwt sugar
14 Loads Firewood
2 Boxes Dipt Candles
1 Dry ds Brittle Leather
2 Sides Rip d.
Pitch & Resin

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.
82 Matthew Murray Shirt Nails	1	6	8
83 William Hughes Straw	9	13	

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):

No. 3840/81
Miscellaneous

18th February 1881

Circular read from the Local Government Board for Ireland for a Return of the Number of Idiots and Lunatics in the Workhouse

The Clerk & Master Wk informed the Board that they had been summoned to the Lower Petty Sessions on Tuesday next as witnesses in the case of a threatening letter received by Mr Lawrenson, P. L. Guardian, and referred to in the Minutes of last Board day.

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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... 30

Ditto disallowed 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 4

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 ... ...

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.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

*Account of Mr.*_____ *for*_____ *Amount, £*_____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

half-year ended _____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____ *dated*_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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James Moore
Chairman

Ralph Lawrenson

Thomas M Barker

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*] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 4th day of March 188 1

Signed, Bury Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Miltag[illegible] UNION.

Population in 1871— *Present Net Annual Value,* £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of February 188 1

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	881	219										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse	50	2										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds												
Total,	931	221										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			11	51	37	15	20	17	15	29	17	212
Admitted during the Week,			29	9	1		1	1	2	2		45
TOTAL			40	60	38	15	21	18	17	31	17	257
Discharged during the Week,			27	4					2	2		36
Died,			1									1
Total Discharged and Dead,			27	4	1				2	2		36
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			13	56	37	15	21	18	15	29	17	221

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	53	In separate Wards,	4
In Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,	55	TOTAL,	4

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	30	7	3	40
No. in Workhouse at date	0	2	1	3

No. at corresponding period last year, 231

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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* 4th *day of* March 188 1

PRESENT: *In the Chair—* James Moore Esq. D. V. L.

Other Guardians :— Messrs John R. Braddell, Ralph Lawrenson, Charles Byrne, Michael Lawrenson, Jeremiah MacCarthy, Thomas Barker, James Hopkins, Peter Doyle, Michael Hayden, Andrew Worlahan and John Frazer

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2952 *to No.* 3005 *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 - - - - - £ 199 . 0 . 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 9 . 13 . 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 135 . 0 . 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 41 : 6 : 5

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - - 34 13 7

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - : 2 : 11½

Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - - : 4 : 0½

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - - : 8 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 :—

310 4lb Loaves of Bread
10 lbs Butter
367 lbs Meal
52 pecks Buttermilk
189 do Sweetmeal
6 Large Coppins
2 Small do.
1 Peice of Shoulding
10 Bands of Potatos

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 188 *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.*

85.	Richard Cody	Registration	1	13.
86	John K. Rogers	Do.	1	6.
87.	Buy: Hopkins	Cattle Plague a/c	2	. .

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.
814 Laurence Kenny Bread meal &c	83	1	1

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

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

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

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

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

The master reports that he is in want of a load of Lime for lime washing purposes

Ordered to be purchased

The Master was directed to supply a School boy named Patrick Kinselagh with a suit of Clothes, who is leaving the Workhouse for a situation.

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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. 58, M/81 — 25th. February 1881

Miscellaneous

Circular read from the Local Government Board to transmit Copy of Form in which the Accounts of expenses of the Election of Guardians is to be made out

The Board proceeded to consider tenders, as invited, to keep the Workhouse & Fever Hospital Buildings in repair according to Specification as prepared by Mr. Lyster Architect when tenders were read from William Dillard, Edward Bolger, Thomas Morton and Thomas Dowse:

It was proposed by Mr. Macarthy & seconded by Mr Laurenson that the tender of Thomas Dowse be accepted to keep the Workhouse Building in repair according to Specification, for the sum of Thirty Pounds per Annum for the space of three years from the date

Amendment proposed by Mr. Barker and seconded by Mr. Braddell that the tender of William Dillard be accepted, for the sum of £28 per Annum for same.

The Board divided when three Guardians voted for the tender of William Dillard and eight Guardians voted for that of Thomas Dowse which was declared accepted by the Chairman

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Nicholas Willoughby, late Collector attended before the Board and stated that he obtained five decrees at the last Tinahely Petty Sessions for Rates under the 2nd Supply act, but in the sixth Case owing to some informality in the signature of the Weigh Clerk to the receipt passed by the purchaser the Case was adjourned until the next Court day.

The Guardians expressed their opinion that they were unable to afford assistance in the Matter.

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... 53

Ditto disallowed 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 0

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 ... ...

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.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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:

Inniskerry *Dispensary District.*

85 *Account of Mr.* Richard Lyly *for* Vaccinations *Amount, £* 3 . 12 . 0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____ *dated*_____
stating that

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

Reports (Form P *containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six 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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PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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James Moore
Chairman
J. K. Bradden
Ralph Lawrenson

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*] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 17th day of February 188 1

Signed, Guy Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871— *Present Net Annual Value,* £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of March 188 1

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied 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	88	208										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	7										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	93	215										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			13	5	3	1	2	1	1	2	1	22
Admitted during the Week,			2	8			3	3	1	2	2	4
Total			41	64	37	15	24	21	16	31	19	268
Discharged during the Week,			27	10	2	2	3	2	2	2	1	53
Died,					1	1						2
Total Discharged and Dead,			29	10	3	3	2	2	2	2	1	53
Remaining on the above date,			14	54	34	12	21	19	14	29	18	215

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	57	In separate Wards,	8
In Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates,	
Total,	58	Total,	8

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	20	7	7	34
No. In Workhouse at date	1	.	.	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 232

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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* 11th *day of* March 188 1

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— James Moore Esq. D. L. C.

Other Guardians :— Messrs Captain Drancfield John K. Bradden, Ralph Lawrenson and Thomas Barker

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3006 *to No.* 3061 *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 - - - - - £ 78. 0. 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 4. 0. 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 213. 0. 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ 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 Accounts.*
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	24	3	2
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	34	18	8
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	11½	
Average Cost in Infirmary	4	0½	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	8	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 :—

309 4lb Loaves of Bread
10 lbs Butter
236 lbs Meal
55 Jarms Buttermilk
199 d. Sweetmilk
4 Cwt Coal
5 Bottles Wine
1 lb Pepper

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 188
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.
88 Jane Doyle utensils	1	9	6

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

4. *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 Medical officer, Dr. Baldwin, reported in his Journal as follows viz,

Suggest to inform the Board that Typhus Fever has broken out in the Female School in this Workhouse

I have also to inform the Board that a most malignant case of Scarlatina was admitted from Ballymadmond on Saturday last and I would suggest that Means be taken to thoroughly disinfect the house from which he was removed

The Board directed that notice be served on the occupier of the house referred to by Dr. Baldwin to whitewash & disinfect the same,

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

The Master reports that Dr. Connell, Relieving Officer, came to him at 12 O'clock on Sunday last to send the Van to Rathfin for a patient named Michael Murphy aged 78 years The Van was accordingly sent and he was brought into the Infirmary in a speechless state at about 9 O'clock that night when I sent for the Medical Officer who saw him at 10 O'clock and ordered him stimulants & nourishment which was given to him but he died at 3 O'clock next morning

An inquest was held on his remains in the Workhouse on the 9th March by Phillips Newton Esq when the following was the

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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:—

Verdict,

"Deceased Michael Murphy died in the Infirmary at Shillelagh on the 7th day of March 1881, and we find his death was caused by want & exposure, and also find that no blame is to be laid to any person."

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 618, 1881 — 5th March 1881

Letter read from the Privy Council Office Dublin Castle to inform the Board of Guardians that the sum of £2 has been lodged to their credit to their Treasurer under the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act of 1878

No. 694 11/81 — 4th March 1881

Form sent to forward Copy of 2nd Section of the Act 44 Vic Cap. 4.

No 4820/80 — 9th March 1881

Form sent to advise the Paymaster General to pay the Treasurer of this Union the sum of £21 as the proportion of actual expenses incurred in the Half year ended the 29th September last in salaries under the Public Health (Ireland) Act

No. 4806, 1881 — 10th March 1881

Form sent letter read relative to the proposed fencing of the Tuosist Burial Ground the Local Government Board for Ireland request to be informed whether this Burial Ground is visited by the Guardians.

In reply to the subject of the foregoing letter the Board have to state that it appears by the Order of the Irish Church Temporalities Commission dated 24th November 1874 the Tuosist Burial Ground is not visited by the Board of Guardians

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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... 55

Ditto disallowed 0

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 ... ...

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.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 63.
(No. 27.)

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

*Account of Mr.*_____ *for*_____ *Amount, £*_____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

*Order dated*_____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____ *dated*_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

_____

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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James Moore
Chairman

Charles Byrne

James Hopkins

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*] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 18th
day of March 188/

Signed, Benjamin Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871— *Present Net Annual Value,* £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of ~~of~~ March 188/

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and 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	203										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	6										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	931	209										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			14	54	34	12	21	19	14	29	18	215
Admitted during the Week, . .			44	2	1	1	2		2	1	2	55
TOTAL			58	56	35	13	23	19	16	30	20	270
Discharged during the Week, . .			41	7		1	3	1	2	1	3	59
Died, ...			1		1							2
Total Discharged and Dead, . .			42	7	1	1	3	1	2	1	3	61
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . .			16	49	34	12	20	18	14	29	17	209

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital 57	In separate Wards, 8	
In Fever Hospital 6	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL, 57	TOTAL, 8	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	34	3	5	42
No. in Workhouse at date	5	0	0	5

No. at corresponding period last year, 226

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.							Bt. forward,						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No.XVII.						
Car. forward,							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on*
Friday the 18th day of March 188/

PRESENT : *In the Chair—* James Moore Esq. C. V. C.
Other Guardians :— Messrs Charles Byrne
James Hopkins Ralph Laurmon and
Captain MacNeill.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3062 *to No.* 3103 *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 - - - - - £ 94. 0. 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 12. 5. 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 294. 15. 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	34	7	8
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	35	1	7
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	11
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	6½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		8	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 :—

333. 4 lb Loaves of Bread
10 lbs Butter
223 lbs Meat
54 Quarts Buttermilk
196 lbs Sweetmilk
10 Bands Potatoes
½ Chest Tea
1 Stone Rice

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.*

89	D. Lo Cullen ½ Salary	6. 5. 0	98	Robt Lewis ½ Salary	6	-	-
90	W S. Sinnat do	12. 10. 0	"	Same Sanitary	1	10	-
91	H. J Barton do	22. 10. 0	99	Timothy Abbot do	3	-	-
"	Same (Sanitary)	2. 10. 0	100	Anne Dugan do	3	6	9
92	B Hopkins do	20. 0. 0	101	Margt Lacy do	3	15	-
"	Same Baths	1. 2. 9	102	Patt Hanlon do	3	18	-
"	Same Bailiff	3. 0. 0	"	Patt Connolly do		15	-
"	Same Sanitary	3. 15. 0	112	Wm Clendinen Supt	23	5	8
93	Michl Doyle ½ Sal	12. 10. 0	113	Jno W. Bailey do	30	7	6
94	Anne Conyngham do	7. 10. 0					
"	Do	1. 5. 0	114	Geo Birch do	5	-	-
95	Mary Lawless do	6. 5. 0	115	Mary Chambers do	5	-	-
96	Peter Fenlon —	6. 5. 0					
97	Saml Cornell do	8. 0. 0					
	Same	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.
117	James O Hara	Firewood	1	15	.
118	Eliza M'Guirk	Meat	16	15	3

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

116	Samuel Cyrill	Nurse	20	5	.

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

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

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

The Board appointed Messrs James Howe and Ralph Lawrence, Poor Law Guardians, with the Clerk as a Committee to take Stock on Monday the 28th instant of Provisions, Clothing, &c, in the Workhouse for the Half year ending the 25th March 1881.

Messrs Charles Byrne Ralph Lawrence and James Hopkins Guardians, were appointed as a Committee to inspect some Coffins received from the Contractor, whose they were of opinion the Coffins in Store were not supplied according to Contract to be made of 3/4 inch boards each in sides as the Lids & bottoms were made of only half inch boards

The Master was directed to return three of the Coffins mentioned to the Contractor; and also the Clerk to write to Mr Dawson to draw his attention to the inferior Coffins supplied by him as not according to his Contract

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

The Master reports that a Tramp named James Gray tore up his clothing in the Workhouse on the 12th instant – ordered to be prosecuted,

That an inmate named Margaret Dardis absconded from the Workhouse on the 15th March instant

The Master asked the Board to allow him some small per centage as an allowance for waste & damage to in weighing out the Potatoes to the inmates as he finds it impossible to divide them without loss. Last week he 3 meals he had to weigh out about 3 barrels into 397 Portions

The Guardians agree to allow one stone of Potatoes to each barrel used in the Workhouse for loss of damage in weighing out same,

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

The Guardians agree to have no Meeting of the Board held on Friday next the 25th instant

The Clerk was directed to forward a copy of Guardians Resolutions of July 1878 to Doctors Jn. W. Rogers & G. D. Rogers under Dispensary Medical Officers of the Union requiring them to state when recommending patients for admission in their Certificate whether the case is fit for the Fever Hospital, or Workhouse Infirmary.

The Master was directed to purchase some Hessian, or Canvass, to make up clothing for tramps who tear their clothes in the Workhouse

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. 7064, 1881 — 14th March 1881

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland to acknowledge the receipt of Minute Containing an entry of a report from the Master of the Work House to the effect that a man named Michael Murphy died shortly after his admission to the Work House, and requesting that the Local Government Board request that they may be furnished with a copy of any entry in the subject from the Relieving Officers application and Report Book

The Local Government Board are also desirous of being informed whether the deceased had been seen by the Medical Officer of the District from which he was removed, whether (the Medical Officer)

authorized the removal, and, if so, what interval elapsed between such authorization and the actual removal.

In reference to the foregoing case Mr Lynch Relieving officer made the following report in writing, Viz.

I beg to state that at 10. 30 o'clock on Sunday morning the 6th instant I received a notice from the Constable of Police at Aughrim stating that the deceased wished to be conveyed to the Shillelagh Infirmary and was staying at Timothy Byrnes of Ballyfin till the Car and would come for him.

I immediately got ready and came over to Shillelagh and ordered the Car and proceeded to Ballyfin to see the man Michael Murphy.

The Constable had found him the previous evening in a weak state, on the road side and having no residence, nor did he belong to him in the place being a vagrant from a distant part of the County when Byrnes allowed him to remain and in their house till he could be conveyed to the Infirmary

I made particular enquiries about him and was informed he was much better than on the previous evening, and had been very kindly treated by the people of the house. He was taking some refreshments to whom I went in, where the portion of Chantilly, I spoke to him about having any more refreshments but he did not wish it, I also asked Mrs. Byrne if she thought he wanted anything else and she considered he had quite enough. I did not consider it necessary to call in the Medical Officer of the District as the man did not complain of anything but weakness and seemed quite able for the journey, and the people of the house being most anxious to have him removed.

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from this premises. I considered it not desirable to have him conveyed to the Infirmary room as possible where he would be properly looked after.

I saw him placed in the Van and carefully wrapped up when I asked him if there was anything else I could do for him and he said not

The van left Byrne's about a quarter before 5 O'clock P.M. Sunday evening.

No. 7064 1881. 17th March 1881.

From same letter read. to acknowledge the receipt of Minutes, containing an entry of a report from the Medical Officer of the W. House to the effect that Typhus Fever has broken out in the female school: & with reference thereto the L.G.B. request that the Guardians will be good enough to call upon the Medical Officer to make a report on this subject to the Bd. stating the number of cases which have occurred, the causes which in his opinion, have led to the outbreak & also whether the children have of late had sufficient Out Door Exercise as recommended in the L.G.B. Circular letters, whether there is any overcrowding or defective ventilation in the Girls dormitory, & whether the food supplied to the children has of late been sufficient in quantity, & of good quality—

The Medical Officer was directed to make a report on the subject of the foregoing letter by the next board day.

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... 41

Ditto disallowed 0

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

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

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

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

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

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.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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:

Carlanstown Dispensary District.

103	Account of Mr.	G. D. Rogers	for ¼ Salary	Amount, £ 25 . 0 . 0
104		Eliza Sayles	do	1 . 15 . 0
105		Timothy Byrne	do	1 . 15 . 0
	Harristown			
106		J. W. Rogers	do	25 . 0 . 0
107		Francis Nesbitt	do	2 . 0 . 0
108		William Cooper	do	1 . 10 . 0
	Smithstown			
109		Richd. Cosby	do	25 . 0 . 0
		Same ¼ Rent		6 . 10 . 0
		Same Vacct. Fees		3 . 12 . 0
110		Charles Byrne	do	1 . 10 . 0
111		Fanny Lowe	¼ Salary	1 . 5 . 0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

half-year ended _____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

Copy of entry from the Relieving Officer's application and report both in the case of Michael Murphy who died shortly after his admission to the Workhouse, as follows, viz. Name Michael Murphy; aged 78; employment Nil; bodily defect infirm; residence workhouse; particulars of residence Union at large; observation on case admitted to Infirmary; date of application for relief 6th March 1881; date of admission 6th March 1881; nature of relief Car & Maate 6/d; date of order of admission 11th March 1881; Initials of Chairman authorizing such relief J. M. Union at large, Union; initials of Clerk W H

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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W W Beardsell Chairman

Ralph Lawrenson

Duncan McNeill

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

	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
103	Coolattin	¼ Salary	3	15	
105	Clashnatans	Same	3	15	0
109	Tinahely	Same	3	15	0

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 1st day of April 188[illegible]

Signed, Benj Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of March 1881

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	193
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse	50	9
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds		
Total,	931	202

	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.	16	49	34	12	20	18	14	29	17	209
Admitted during the Week, . .	35	9	1			2	1			48
Total	51	58	35	12	20	20	15	29	17	257
Discharged during the Week, . .	34	12	2		1	2		3	1	55
Died, ...										
Total Discharged and Dead, . .	34	12	2		1	2		3	1	55
Remaining on the above date, . .	17	46	33	12	19	18	15	26	16	202

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.			
Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital 46	In separate Wards,	8	
In Fever Hospital 9	In Wards with other Inmates,		
Total, 55	Total,	8	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	35	5	2	42
No. in Workhouse at date	0	0	0	0

No. at corresponding period last year, 227

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,	No 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.
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY OR MINUTES ~~of Proceedings~~ of the Board of Guardians, ~~at a Meeting~~ held on Friday the 25th day of March 188[illegible]

PRESENT : *In the Chair*—

Other Guardians :—

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

The 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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ 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 Accounts.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

£ s. d.

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

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - - - : :

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - : :

Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - : :

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

325, 4 lb loaves of Bread
9 lb Butter
218 lb meat
51 gallons Buttermilk
193 Quart Milk

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 188 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 :—

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

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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was... .. ..

Ditto disallowed ... ...

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

The number of cases of provisional 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 ... ...

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.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)
(No. 27.)

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

*Account of Mr.*_____ *for*_____ *Amount, £*_____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

half-year ended _____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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J. R. Braddell Chairman

Ralph Laurenson

Duncan McNeill

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*] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 1st. day of April 188/

Signed, Bury Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Rathdrum UNION.

Population in 1871— *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of March 188/

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied 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	841	192										
Temporary Buildings.....												
Additional Workhouse.....	50	11										
Permanent Fever Hospital...												
Fever Sheds.....												
Total,.....	931	203										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			17	46	33	12	19	18	15	26	16	202
Admitted during the Week, . .			16	2	2	1						21
TOTAL			33	48	35	13	19	18	15	26	16	223
Discharged during the Week, . .			19									19
Died, ...					1							1
Total Discharged and Dead, . .			19		1							20
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			14	48	35	12	19	18	15	26	16	203

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	49	In separate Wards,	8
In Fever Hospital	11	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,	60	TOTAL,	8

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

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

No. at corresponding period last year, 228.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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.
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 April 188/

PRESENT: In the Chair— John R. Braddell Esq.

Other Guardians :— Messrs Captain Macneill Ralph Laurenson Michael Laurenson Charles Byrne John Whelan John Lyon Thomas Macarthy G. C. Newton J. P. Edward Grange Thomas Barker Thomas F. Haskins James Hopkins and William Hopkins

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3104 *to No.* 3182
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 the 11th March last . £ 252 . 17 . 4

Paid during the week same time . . . £ 240 . 19 . 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was £ 306 . 13 . 4

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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	28	18	1
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	33	13	9
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	28	18	1
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	11½	
Average Cost in Infirmary	4	0½	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	8	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 :—

550, 4lb Loaves of Bread
19lb Butter
480lb Meat
37 gallons Buttermilk
150 lb Soutmilk
2 gallons Whiskey
6 bottles Wine

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the *day of* 188
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.
1/9	Thomas Hickey Wages	7	0	0
1/10	Michl Darcy Ch	6	12	

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

1/10	John Allen Clerk	1	5	
1/	Michl Williams Baskets		3	
"	John Ryan Smith		12	5
"	Elizabeth Telford Blind asylum	7	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 Schoolmaster applied for & was granted leave of absence on Tuesday

The Master was directed to discharge Sarah Wood now Inmate of the Workhouse, named John Tracey and Darby Kavanagh, whom the Board Considered able to earn their living

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

The Master informed the Guardians that Stock was not taken by the Committee on Monday last owing to illness of the Matron who is not yet recovered; and as Monday next had been appointed for the purpose that being the day on which the Census of the Workhouse should be taken it would be necessary to defer it until that day week the 11th instant

Three were Sworn Young and Wood Single women inmates, between the ages of 17 & 20 brought before the Board whom the Master was directed to discharge three of the oldest who have left their Situations and give the other three places & such Situations

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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:~~

Mr. Haskins proposed Mr. MacCarthy seconded & passed unanimously as follows. viz

"That Lord Fitzwilliam be re-appointed Chairman for the ensuing year; George G. Newton Esq J.P. Vice Chairman; and James Moore Esq Deputy Vice Chairman"

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. 6866/81 21st March 1881

Circular read from the Local Government Board for Ireland relating to Returns required by the Census Act

No. 8[illegible]-M/81 Miscellaneous 23rd March 1881

From Same Circular in regard to the flesh of Foreign Pigs.

No. 88. M/81 25th March 1881

From Same appointing the appointment of Dispensary Committee and Wardens

No 7.751 24th March 1881

From Same to acknowledge the receipt of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of Shillelagh Union for the 18th instant Containing an explanation of the Relieving Officer in reference to the Case of the man Michael Murphy who died shortly after his admission to the Workhouse; and to inform them that the Board desire to state that it is to be regretted that the Medical Officer of the District did not see the Case before removal, but, under the Circumstances as represented the Board do not think that any blame can be attached to the Relieving Officer for not having required his attendance

No. 7064 30th March 1881

From Same with reference to the Minute in reply to the Board's Letter of the previous day inquiring whether the Lucan Burial Ground is vested in the Board of Guardians, the Local Government Board desire to draw the Guardians' attention to the entry in their Minutes of the 23rd January 1880, regarding the ownership of this Burial Ground, and they request they may be informed whether the requisite Six Months notice has since been given to form the Burial Ground

In reply to the foregoing letter the Guardians have to inform the Local Government Board that the requisite Six Months notice has been served, bearing date the 24th June 1879, on the Board, or agent of the person described as such in the Valuation Book of this Union; and also the receipt of such notice has been acknowledged by him.

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Dr. Battersby Workhouse Medical Officer's work as friends. 1884

In accordance with the request of the Board I beg to submit the following report with regard to the outbreak of Typhus Fever in the Female School

There have been 5 well marked cases of Typhus Fever, and 4 Cases removed to Hospital under observation, all are now Convalescent, and I am thankful to be able to report that no fresh Cases have occurred for last 14 days, and that no Cases have proved fatal

I am unable to assign any Cause for the outbreak unless that the Inspection may have been carried in by some visitors there having been several Cases in the District

I have carefully inspected the Girls Dormitory and find it to be well Ventilated and not overcrowded

The girls get plenty of outdoor exercise and the food supplied seems ample & of good quality

(Signed) Henry J. Battersby M. B. & C.M.
1. 4. 84

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... 48
Ditto disallowed 0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 0

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 ... ...

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.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

*Account of Mr.*_____ *for*_____ *Amount, £*_____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

half-year ended _____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

Coolattin & Moneycal	Hacketstown & Coolkenno	Tinahely & Ashkeagh
	Dispensary District, Mr.	*of*
Duncan MacNeill J. P.	Capt. H. Williams J. P.	Geo. G. Newton J. P.
John Byrne J. P.	Lord Ashtonmill J. P.	John Coates J. P.
Wm. W. Braddell J. P.	W. W. Fitzwilliam Duck J. P.	Philip Newton J. P.
Charles Tottenham J. P.	Petswalk Whelan J. P.	Col. J. S. Howard J. P.
Geo. R. Maunsell J. P.	William Courtenay J. P.	Edward Hunter J. P.
Henry Higginbotham	Michael Hunter J. P.	Alex. Kirkpatrick J. P.
Alexander Dundas J. P.	Col. J. Christ. Gunn J. P.	William Thorne J. P.
Ainsley L. Delaney	William Duckett J. P.	Charles Byrne
Adm. Hope J. P.	Thos. H. Grimes J. P.	John Frazer
Thomas Lucas	Thos. H. Haskins	Wentworth Gayer
William Carne		
Wm. W. Braddell	Michael Laurenson	Andrew Harris
John Smith		
James O'Neill	Archibald Montgt.	William Blake
Edward Grainge		
Rd. P. Gardiner	James Moore	Thomas Epps
Thomas L. Delaney		
John W. Bergin	James Street	Rich. C. M'Kenna
Colonel J. S. Tighe J. P.	William Murphy	Michael Hayden
Benj. Hopkins		
Thomas Barker	Edward J. Burke	Jacob Bourne
William Hopkins		
Thomas Haskins	John Whelan	John Grange
William Livingston		
Joseph Hopkins	John Lyons	Andrew Worlahan
Peter Doyle		
William Kennedy	Jeremiah MacCarthy	Rev. Foley
James Dickinson	Thomas Sheppard	Michael Kennedy
	John Reilly	Thomas Boland

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.*)

Captain MacNeill proposed Mr. Byrne seconded & agreed Unanimously as follows. Viz.

"That the foregoing Members Constitute the Dispensary Committee of Management respectively in this Union for the ensuing year."

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

~~Read Letter from~~ ~~dated~~
~~stating that~~

A letter addressed to the Board of Guardians of Shillelagh Union was read from Francis Noblett of Rathdrum to give up the Dispensary Rooms at Rathdrum,

An application to the Board of Guardians ~~for a Dispensary~~ from James Black of Rathdrum was read, proposing to let part of his dwelling house for the accommodation of Rathdrum Dispensary at the sum of Eight Pounds per annum,

It was proposed by Mr. MacCarthy & seconded by Mr. Byrne that the application of James Black be accepted to appd rooms at the sum of £8, per annum for the use of Rathdrum Dispensary.

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

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

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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James Moore
Chairman

Ralph Lawrenson

James Hopkins

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*] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 8th day of April 1881

Signed, Bury. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

UNION.

Population in 1871— *Present Net Annual Value,* £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of April 1881

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	81	184										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	11										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	131	195										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			14	48	35	12	19	18	15	26	16	203
Admitted during the Week,			37	9	1		1	1			1	50
TOTAL			51	57	36	12	20	19	15	26	17	253
Discharged during the Week,			40	9			1	2			1	54
Died,					1							1
Total Discharged and Dead,			40	9	1	1	1	2			1	55
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			11	48	35	11	19	17	15	26	16	198

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.			OBSERVATIONS.
	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
In Workhouse Hospital	148	In separate Wards, 8	
In Fever Hospital	11	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,	59	TOTAL, 8	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	36	5	1	42
No. in Workhouse at date	2	.	.	2

No. at corresponding period last year, 212

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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.
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 April 188/

PRESENT : *In the Chair*— James Moore Esq D. V. L

Other Guardians :— Messrs Ralph Lawrenson,

and James Hopkins

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3183 *to No.* 3229 *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~~ time 25th March last . . £ 211 . 4 . 0

Paid during the ~~week~~ same time . . . £ 174 . 4 . 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 343 . 12 . 7

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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ 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 Accounts.*
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	33	3	2
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	34	16	9
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	11
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	6½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		8	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 :—

326, 14 lbs Loaves of Bread
10 lbs Butter
254 lbs Meal
184 Gallons Sweetmilk
4 qts Buttermilk
1 Cwt Sugar
2 lbs Washing Soda
24 lbs Mixed
1 Pint of Vinegar
6 Large Sponges
4 Cwt Salt
1 lb Bottle Wine
1 Tin Can
2 Hats with Trimmings
1 Box Moulded Candles
1 Pair of Flannels
1 do Striped Linsey

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the *day of* 188
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.
127	Denis Dwyer	Frieze &c	25	3	10
128	John W. Borland	Tweed &c.	59	.	4
129	John Sutton	Flannel &c.	8	12	.
131	John J. Ellison	Shoes £5.16 Cost 14/8	6	.	8

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

127	Denis Dwyer	Burial	5	19	6
128	John W. Borland	Burials &c	21	13	1
130	John Burke	Seeds &c	6	2	10
132	Danl. O'Brien	Cabins Maint.	7	10	.
133	Guardian Commercial	advertising	1	15	6
134	S. Carroll	do.	1	13	4
135	B. Gilder	do.	1	16	.
136	Clarke & Son	do.		15	.
"	Byrne Ont. Bas			10	6
137	William G. Tommy	Cabins Law &c	5	12	6
138	William McDaid	advertising	3	7	.
140	Robt Burkitt	Cabins Law	2	2	.
141	Jenny Cobbs	do	2	2	.
142	Patrick Maguire	Leather	33	15	7
143	Thomas Braddell	Seed Potatoes		15	.
"	James Nolan	Masonry		7	6
"	James Conduit	repairing Clock		5	.
144	Insps Dolland	Forms Casts &c		8	.
"	Same	Books &c	6	13	2
"	Same	Cabins Forms		4	.
"	Same	Books &c	6	3	11
145	B. Dimkins	Casts &c	2	.	.
146	Peter Synnott	Hire of Mule	2	5	.
147	Robt. Cullen	Cabins Law	2	6	6
"	Samuel Carroll	do	1	3	6

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
123	Lawrence Kinsey	Bread Meal &c.	59	5	3
124	Thomas Braddon	Potatoes	16	4	
125	Edward M'Cormick	Meat	9	.	7
126	Thos. S. Dickinson	Milk	47	7	9
127	Denis Dinohoe	Tea Sugar &c.	65	8	1
128	Thos W. Bunland	Soap. Candles &c.	66	19	

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

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

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

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

The Petn appeald by & was granted leave of absence to Wednesday Next.

The Guardians agreed & allow James Cindall the sum of 5/- for cleaning & repairing the Clock in the entrance hall of the Workhouse.

The Board agreed & allow Thomas Doyle, Contractor, the sum of £1 for having (paid) around the Pump at Tinahely.

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

The Master appointed to purchase 1½ barrels of Red Champion Potatoes from Mr Braddon at 10/- per barrel as he had not a sufficient quantity saved to finish the Potatoe Feeding of the Workhouse

The Master was directed to supply a suit of clothes each to two girls named Martha Reilly & Bridget Kinsella who are leaving the Workhouse to go to situations

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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:-

A letter was read from Michael Dancy Workhouse Tailor, to apply to the Guardians for leave of absence for One Month owing to ill health & to allow him his wages during such period as this is the first favour asked by him for the last 15 years; and also enclosing a Medical Certificate from Dr. Bourke stating that he Michael Dancy was in a very bad state of health & unable to perform his duty

The Board agreed to grant Michael Dancy Workhouse Tailor, leave of absence for one month under the Circumstances; and also to allow him the amount of his wages 2/- per day during that period and for which they desire the Sanction of the Local Government Board

The Guardians at same time direct the Master to employ a Tailor temporarily for the space of one month at 2/- per day

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/81 4th April 1881

Miscellaneous

Circular read from the Local Government Board for Quarterly Return of Rates signed is agreed to

No. 9326/81 6th April 1881

From same Order under Seal read to Declare the Expenses for Enclosing the Lucan Burial Ground shall be charged in the Electoral Divisions of Aghards, Clonmore Donaldstown, Rathmore, and Money in this Union.

Letter read from the General Survey and Valuation Office to state that Mr. John Farmer has been appointed to make the Annual Revision of the Valuation of this Union & that he will Commence same about the 18th instant

1st April 1881

Order read from the Local Government Board to pay out of the Parliamentary Grant as follows. viz.

For Teachers Salaries	£22 . 10 . 0
" Medical Officers Salaries & Medicines	137 . 19 . 3
	£160 . 9 . 3

The Clerk informed the Board that the several Rate Collectors had rates outstanding on the 25th. Ultimo as follows. viz.

Nicholas Willoughby	£265 . 0 . 8
Joseph Bunbo	309 . 3 . 5
Denis Doyle	385 . 17 . 7
Hugh Hilo,	283 . 5 . 11
John Allen	183 . 11 . 9
Total	£1426 . 19 . 4

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Mr. Frederick Sykes, architect furnished the Board of Guardians with two bills the first for the sum of £3, 10. 0 for inspecting Workhouse Buildings as requested by the Board of Guardians at their meeting on the 18th February last, and making out Specification for Contract to keep in repair the Workhouse Buildings for the next three years; and the second for the sum of £3, for making out Plans & Specification for Disinfecting Chamber at the Workhouse Fever Hospital as required by the Guardians' Minutes of the 9th July 1880

The Board agreed unanimously to allow Mr. Sykes the amount of his bills £6. 10. 0, four to which they consider he is entitled and request the sanction of the Local Government Board.

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... 46

Ditto disallowed 0

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

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *for* _____ *Amount, £* _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

half-year ended _____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____ *dated*_____
stating that

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

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

Tinahely Ferskatarsh

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

The relieving Officer to take the usual steps to enquire into the Cases mentioned and report thereon

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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Charles Byrne Chairman
James Hopkins
Ralph Lawrenson

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

	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
139	Tinahely	Thomas Davis Pump	1	-	-
"	"	Same	1	-	-

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 22nd
day of April 188 1

Signed, B. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1871— *Present Net Annual Value,* £ —

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of April 188 1

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied 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	81	183										
Temporary Buildings.....												
Additional Workhouse.....	50	10										
Permanent Fever Hospital...												
Fever Sheds.....												
Total,.....	131	193										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			11	48	35	11	19	17	15	26	16	198
Admitted during the Week, . .			31	11	1			1	2	2	1	49
TOTAL			42	59	36	11	19	18	17	28	17	247
Discharged during the Week, . .			35	10	1			1	2	2	1	52
Died, ...						1						2
Total Discharged and Dead, . .			35	11	1	1		1	2	2	1	54
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . .			7	48	35	10	19	17	15	26	16	193

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		
Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital 42	In separate Wards, 8	
In Fever Hospital 10	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL, 52	TOTAL, 8	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	31	6	4	41
No. in Workhouse at date	1	-	-	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 221

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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						

No Meeting

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, ~~at a Meeting~~ held on Friday the 15th day of April 188 1

PRESENT: ~~In the Chair~~

~~Other Guardians :—~~

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

The 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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	27	8	1
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	32	4	.
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	11
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	0½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		8	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 :—

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the *day of* 188
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.*

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... ... ...

Ditto disallowed ... ...

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

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

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

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

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

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.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)
(No. 27.)

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

*Account of Mr.*_____ *for*_____ *Amount, £*_____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

half-year ended _____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

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

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

*Order dated*_____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____ *dated*_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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Charles Byrne Chairman

Samuel Hopkins

Ralph Lawrenson

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*] :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 22nd day of April 188 1

Signed, Benj. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Wicklow UNION.

Population in 1871— *Present Net Annual Value,* £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of April 1881

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	201										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	1										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	931	202										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			7	48	35	10	19	17	15	26	16	193
Admitted during the Week,			55	9	1	1	1	2	5	4	2	80
Born											1	1
TOTAL			62	57	36	11	20	19	20	30	19	274
Discharged during the Week,			46	13				2	4	4	3	72
Died,			"									"
Total Discharged and Dead,			46	13				2	4	4	3	72
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			16	44	36	11	20	17	16	26	16	202

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
In Workhouse Hospital 55	In separate Wards, 8	
In Fever Hospital 1	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL, 56	TOTAL, 8	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	51	5	12	68
No. in Workhouse at date	6	"	"	6

No. at corresponding period last year, 224

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 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
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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.
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 April 188 1

PRESENT : *In the Chair*— ~~Edward~~ Charles Byrne Esq.

Other Guardians :— Moses Abraham Hopkins J.P.

Ralph Lawrenson James Hopkins William Hopkins

~~and~~ Andrew Grolahan and John Whelan.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3230 *to No.* 3357. *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 the 4th April last. . £ 184 . 0 . 0

Paid during the week Same time . . . . £ 294 . 6 . 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 230 . 6 . 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £26 : 18 : 1

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - - 33 : 12 : 3

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - : 3 : 6

Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - - : 4 : 1

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - - - : 5 : 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 W Loaves of Bread
10 lb. Butter
¼ Cwt. Oatmeal
4 d. Indian Meal
228 lb Meat
18 Gallons Swatmilk
4 lb d. Buttermilk
1 Pair of Blankets in Canvas
1 W. Stars
1 Pair of Calico
1 Pair of Linen
1 Coat Jeans
1½ Dozen Hearing Brushes

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 188 *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.*

149	P. Kelly advertising	3	11	3
"	George Matthews Notice Board, (Collector)	7	6	
"	Railway Parcels	2	8	
		4	1	5
150	John W. Rogers Registration	2	5	-
151	Richard Cosby D.	2	6	6
152	George P. Rogers D.	4	-	-
153	John Malcolm Fees	9	-	-
154	Fellow Board ½ superannuation	4	3	4
155	P. A. Leslie & Co. Drugs	10	9	9
156	Hunt & Co. D.	16	14	4
157	Denis Cunny Car Hire	3	7	-

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.*

148 Robert Ellis's relief	4	15	6

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 Contracts to supply the Workhouse with Bread, Meat, Oatmeal, Indian Meal and Butter expiring on the 17th May next, the Clerk was directed to invite Tenders to be Considered on this day fortnight & supply same.

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

The Master reports that he employed Denis Fitzpatrick as Temporary Tailor at 2/ per day & that he has been working since 11th April inst.

That John Council who came from gaol on the 15th April tore up Workhouse clothing on the nights of the 17th & 19th inst.

Ordered to be prosecuted

That a new Roller is required for the Workhouse farm: a piece of timber large enough to make the body for the old frame would do.

Ordered to be procured

Two dozen pairs of boots required for Nurse children—

Ordered to be purchased at Mr. Ellison's Shillelagh

I beg also to draw the attention of the Guardians to the very inconvenient and irregular way of procuring water

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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:—~~

at the Infirmary: the female assistants having to go through the Mens yard to Male Idiot yard for that purpose- and I would suggest that a door way be made through the wall at the back of the Infirmary direct into the Male Idiot yard which could be done at a very slight expence.

The Clerk was directed to invite Tenders to be considered on this day fortnight, from persons willing to erect a door in the wall as above mentioned: and also supply a pipe to convey some water from the Male Idiot yard into the mens yard.

Average per centage of cream for the week 8½ degrees

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. 107 M/81 — 6th April 1881

Miscellaneous — Circular read from the Local Government Board for Ireland for Returns of Officers of Dispensary Committees

No. 9631 — 14th April 1881

From Same to acknowledge the receipt of Abstracts of Rate Collected and lodged in the Shillelagh Union to the 2nd Instant from which it appears that although the period fixed for the Completion of the Collection has already expired in all the Collectors Districts except that of Mr. Allen, in whose District it will expire on the 5th proximo, Rates amounting to the large sum of £1376. 19. 4, or nearly one-third of the entire rate, remain uncollected, while there was only a sum of £265 Collected and lodged during the four weeks previous to the date of the latest Abstract Return; and the Local Government Board request that the Guardians will urge upon the Collectors the necessity for using greater exertion in Collecting the outstanding Rate.

In reference to the above subject the Guardians desire to observe that the Collectors since the Returns mentioned appear to have Collected the sum of £360; and are using exertion to Collect outstanding rate.

No. 1000. 32 — 14th April 1881

From Same in reply to Guardians' resolution proposing that Michael Darcy, the Tailor of the Workhouse be paid his usual wages, viz at the rate of 2/- per day, during a period of two months for which he has been granted leave of absence, and that a person be employed to discharge Darcy's duties during his absence, and the Board desire to state that they will not object ~~to~~ to the proposed arrangement

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was... .. ..

Ditto disallowed ... ...

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

127
0
2

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 ... ...

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.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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:

Dunkettle & Carrigtwohill Dispensary District.

15/ Account of Mr. Hunt & Co. for Drugs Amount, £ 11 . 15 . 11

The Guardians agree to disallow the sum of £2 . 1 . 0 in the amount of the Medicine Contractors Account, for articles which appears supplied the Medical Officer at Dunkettle not in the List of requisitions for Medicines, & no funds to supply same.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3, *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2), *in pursuance of Article* 27 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

Carrigtwohill & Glenegal Dispensary District, &c.

Duncan MacFarlane	Wm. Bradden	Thomas Hopkins
John Bryce J.P.	John Smith	Joseph Hopkins
Wm. W. Bradden J.P.	James Hopkins	William Livingston
Charles Totenham J.P.	Capt. Layman	Peter Doyle
Geo. W. Masters M.D. J.P.	Thomas S. Dunlop	William Kennedy
Alexander Dunlop J.P.	John N. Penland	James Dickinson
Abraham Hope J.P.	Edward Grange	Henry Higginbotham
Colonel J. S. Tighe J.P.	Thomas Barker	
A. L. Dunlop	Benj. Hopkins	
Thomas Swan	William Hopkins	

A Letter was read from William Dawson Esq. resigning the Office of Member of the Committee of Management of Carrigtwohill & Glenegal Dispensary District

Mr. Lawrence proposed Mr. Hope J.P. seconded & passed Unanimously as follows, Viz:

"That Mr. Edward Todd of Mary be appointed, in the room of Mr. Dawson resigned, as Member of the Committee of Management of the Carrigtwohill & Glenegal Dispensary District."

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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