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

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

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

	£	s.	d
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	29	11	9
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - -	30	1	10
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - -		3	5
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - -		4	4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -		6	2

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

293 1/4 lb. loaves Bread
2 1/4 Dozen Eggs
215 lbs. Beef & mutton
1 1/2 . Boneless Beef
2 1/4 Gallons Buttermilk
1 1/2 . Sweetmilk
36 lbs. Butter
20 . Bacon

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 5 day of January 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	10	1	0
In Kind			
Total ... ... £	10	1	0

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
1. *Clothing Account.*			

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 was ... ...

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

Shillelagh *Union.*

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

No Meeting

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, ~~at a Meeting~~ held on Friday the 11 day of January 1895.

PRESENT—~~In the Chair,~~

OTHER GUARDIANS,

W. William Speares only

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

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

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

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

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

Read Letter from_____ dated_____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 18 day of January 1895

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

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Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

~~Minutes of Proceedings~~ No Meeting of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, ~~at a Meeting~~ held on Friday the 11th day of January 1895.

~~PRESENT—In the Chair,~~

~~OTHER GUARDIANS—~~

Mr. William Speares only

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

No. Meeting

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 11th day of January 1895.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Members:— Mr. William Spears only.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 18 day of January 1895

(Signed) D. Joseph Russ
Clerk of the Union.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 10364-15-0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of January 1895

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	163
Temporary Buildings ..		
Additional Workhouse ..		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	2
Fever Sheds		
TOTAL	931	165

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	18	10	36	30	4	3	9	5	9	154
Admitted during the Week -	7	4	1		4	1			1	14
TOTAL,	25	14	37	30	4	4	9	5	10	141
Discharged during the Week -	3	2	1							6
Died - - - - - -										
Total Discharged and Dead -	3	2	1							6
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	22	12	36	30	4	4	9	5	10	165

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	68	In separate Wards	12
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates	-
TOTAL,	70	TOTAL,	12

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	5	2	2	9
No. in Workhouse at date	1	1	2	4

No. at corresponding period last year, 152

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of January 1895 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.	64	104					Bt. forward						
No. II.	43	51					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 18th *day of* January 1895.

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

Other Guardians:— Messrs Edward Byrne, P.P., William Kennedy, Abraham D. Symes, William Speares and Joseph Hopkins.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Frank Brooke
Chairman.

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 18th day of January 1895

Signed, D Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2977 *to No.* 3011 *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 28 Dec. 94 - - - £ 114 : 0 : 0

Paid during the week same period - - - £ 364 : 4 : 9

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £ 408 : 10 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -			
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. Not entered up			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - Do - - -			
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - -		3	5
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - -		4	4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -		6	2

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

296. 4 lb Loaves of Bread
220 Eggs
230 lb. Beef
14 " Boneless Beef
24 gallons Buttermilk
176 " Sweetmilk
4 cwt Sugar
36 lbs Butter

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 12 day of January 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2 *Establishment Account.*

			£	s.	d.
40	Mary Anne Baker	Maint. Kennedy	6	10	-
41	Dr. & J.G. King	Indscha. collection	1	.	.
"	William Duckett	Exp. Lab. cottages	2	10	.
"	Philip Doyle	"		12	9

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
69	Eliza McGuirk	meat	20	9	10

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

4 *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

42	Michael O'Toole	on q/c	30	.	.
43	Robert Ellis	.	25	.	.

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

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

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

Miss Bolger, Schoolmistress of the Workhouse applied for and obtained one weeks leave of absence, the Schoolmaster to look after the School.

On the recommendation of the Workhouse Medical Officer the Board ordered that a Mentz Bandage be procured for a patient named Robert Hope.

The Master of the Workhouse, Mr. Dowyer, gave notice of his intention of resigning his post as Master on this day month: and asked to be allowed a fortnights leave of absence from to-day. The notice was accepted by the Board and the leave applied for granted; The Matron taking charge of the Workhouse with the assistance of the Schoolmaster.

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. 134 - M/94 - Miscellaneous 3rd January '95

The Local Government Board wrote requesting to be furnished with particulars respecting any Rates made or agreed upon in the Union during the 3 months ended the 31st ultimo

No. 1 M/95 8 January '95

Read circular from the L.G. Board forwarding for the information of the Board of Guardians, a statement showing the receipts & expenditure of all the Unions and the number of persons who received Relief in Ireland during the year ended 29 Sept. last.

No. M. 686/94 9 Jany '95

From same calling for a return respecting the persons of unsound mind in the Workhouse of the

Union on the 31st of December 94.

No-952 10 January 95

With reference to the Guardians minutes of the 4th instant the Local Govt. Board wrote to state that they presumed that the Medical Officer of the Workhouse approved of the arrangement made for the discharge of the duties of the Infirmary Nurse during her absence on leave.

The clerk stated that he had informed the Local Government Board that the arrangement had been approved of by the Medical Officer

No. 128 M/94 14 Jany '95

Read circular letter from the Local Govt. Board asking for a statement showing the liabilities and assets of the Union at the close of the financial year ended on the 29th Sept. last together with the balances of loans remaining due to the Commissioners of Public Works. or others. on that date

No. 5 - M/95 14th January '95

A circular letter was also received from the Local Government Board calling the attention of the Returning Officer to the General order dated the 2nd January. 1863. regulating the conduct of Elections of Guardians in the several Unions in Ireland.

A copy of a resolution adopted by the Cavan Board of Guardians with regard to the distribution of Seed Potatoes. was received.

The clerk reported that James H. Drury Esq. auditor attended at the Workhouse on Thursday. the 10th. instant. and audited the accounts of the Union which he certified to be correct. Mr. Drury made the following entry in the ledger viz:- Having made arrangements to

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to audit the accounts of the adjoining Unions of Rathdrum & Gorey on other days of this week I could not without much inconvenience & loss of time meet the wishes of the Guardians by postponing this audit as I would otherwise gladly have done. Owing to the manner in which the clerk has prepared the accounts & left the necessary documents ready I have not experienced any difficulty: the Master having afforded me any assistance required.

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

The clerk brought under the notice of the Board the state of the collection of the Rates and mentioned that three of the collectors had not attend to have their Books examined since the 14th Ultimo.

It was ordered that the clerk write to the Rate collectors and inform them that owing to the very backward state of their accounts the Board wished to see them at their next meeting.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	35
Ditto disallowed	
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	110
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	2
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	

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

Shillelagh *Union.*

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 18th day of January 1895

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

OTHER GUARDIANS, Messrs Edward Byrne D.C.

William Kennedy, Wm Speares. A. D. Symes

and Joseph Hopkins.

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

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

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

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

_____Dispensary District.

Account of Mr._____for _____Amount, £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended_____18 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended_____18 .

_____District, - - - £
_____District, - - - £
_____District, - - - £
_____District, - - - £

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____Dispensary District, Mr._____of_____

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

Order dated_____(state subject).

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

No. 159 Read Letter from the Local Govt. Board dated 9 January 95 stating that

they approved of the payment of £1 to W. King as remuneration for his services in attending a Dispensary patient residing at Springfield in the Coollattin District, under the circumstances set forth in the minutes of the Guardians of the 20th Ultimo.

Dr. Brady. Medical officer of the Coollattin and Clonegall Dispensary District. certified that he had successfully vaccinated 39 persons between the dates 29 Sept. 94 and 31st Dec. 94.

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Fryday the 25th day of January 1895

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

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 18th day of January 1895.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq DL. J.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS— Messrs Edward Byrne DL Wm Kennedy. Wm Speares A. D. Symes and Joseph Hopkins.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Hacketstown	Dr Whelan	House	In bad state of repair walls in danger of falling.

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

No. 50.619/94 4th January '95

An order under Seal was received from the Local Government Board assessing a sum of £104.19.0½ upon the Union under the Diseases of Animals Act 1894.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 25th day of January 1895.

(Signed) D. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 18th day of January 1895.

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

Other Members:— Messrs Edward Byrne D.L. Wm Kennedy. Abraham D. Symes Wm Speares. and Joseph Hopkins.

No 348 4th January 1895

The Board of Works forwarded an order for the payment of £100 to the Guardians for 6th instalment of loan under Labourers acts.

No 2050 14 Jany 1895

Read letter from the Local Government Board forwarding extract from the report of their Engineering Inspector, Mr. O'Brien Smyth, on his recent inspection of the cottages erected in the Union under the Provisional order, dated 19th July '90, and requested that they might be furnished with a return showing the expenditure and liabilities incurred by the Guardians in respect of the Schemes for the Electoral Division of Clonegall.

If the Raw costs had been ascertained and apportioned, the balance required to close the loan in this case could be recommended for issue when the return would be received.

No. 136 M/94 14th Jany '95

A circular letter was also read from the Local Government Board stating that the Labourers

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(Ireland) Act, 1883. (46 Vict & 47 Vic ch. 60) & many unrepealed enactments amending or affecting that Act, in so far as they were temporary in their duration, were continued until the 31st day of December '95.

14 January 95

No 1,712

The local Government forwarded, to be laid before the Board of Guardians a further letter which they had received from Thomas Doyle relative to his application for a cottage and requested to be furnished with the Guardians observations on the subject.

The Guardians decided to inform the local Government Board that the Representation on behalf of Thomas Doyle had been rejected at a special Meeting, and that the Board now declined to alter their decision.

Mr. Peter Foley A.C.E. pursuant to request of the Board inspected the cottage recently erected at Coolballintaggart and reported that the tenants complaint to the Board, as to its condition was well founded. He recommended certain repairs to be executed.

The clerk was instructed to ascertain from Philip Doyle, contractor, what he would charge for carrying out the repairs pointed out by Mr. Foley.

Mr. Boulger, contractor, submitted a claim for £72:13:0 for extra works alleged to have been performed at Lackaboy cottages.

It was ordered that the account be forwarded to the Engineer with a request that he report fully thereon by next Board meeting.

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Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 25th day of January 1895

Signed, D Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

E. Byrne Ch.

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Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value*, £ 5036 : 15 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19 day of January 1895

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	166
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	1
Fever Sheds		
TOTAL	931	164

	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	22	42	36	30	4	4	9	5	10	163
Admitted during the Week -	11	3	1	2			1			18
Born -									1	1
TOTAL,	33	45	34	32	4	4	10	5	11	182
Discharged during the Week -	11	3				1			1	16
Died - - - - -			1							1
Total Discharged and Dead -	11	3	1			1			1	17
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	22	42	36	32	4	3	10	5	10	164

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	43	In separate Wards	12
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates	
TOTAL,	44	TOTAL,	12

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

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

No. at corresponding period last year, 151

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19 day of January 1895 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.	63	92				
No. II.	49	54				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.						

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

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 25th *day of* January 1895

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— ~~Mr Ford~~ Edward Byrne Esq D.L. D.V.C.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Richard James, Thomas Dowling, Peter Foley, Nicholas O'Toole, Patrick Byrne, Edward J. Byrne, Joseph Hopkins and A. D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3012 *to No.* 3032 *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 - - - - - £

Treasurers a/c not received this week

Paid during the week - - - - - £

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	25	15	-
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	30	15	10
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -		3	5
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - -		4	4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -		6	2

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

290 ; 4 Lb. Loaves Bread
240 Eggs
230 lbs Beef
15 . Boneless Beef
24 Gallons. Buttermilk
146 . Sweetmilk
36 lbs Butter
20 . Bacon
1 Hyde Butt Leather
1 lb. Hemp
1 Box Dipt candles
Drugs and appliances for Workhouse Hospitals.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 19 *day of* January 189 5 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money	10	11	6
In Kind			
Total ... ... £	10	11	6

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2 *Establishment Account.*

		£	s.	d.
45	The Royal Bank for Steward Institution	6	10	-
46	Thomas D. Lawrenson Rent	20	10	-

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

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3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
4/+	Ellen O Hara Jirewood	2	8	0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

Mr. Ellis R.O. applied for leave of absence on Friday next and stated that Mr. O'Toole R.O. would do his duty — allowed.

Mr. O'Toole R.O. reported that he was obliged to take a nurse-child named J. J. Breen from the care of Catherine Kehoe, Redbog, during the week, as the foster-parent had been removed to the Infirmary of the Workhouse.

The Board approved of the steps taken by the Relieving Officer, and decided to place the boy out at nurse with Mary Cummins, Carnew, who subsequently perfected the necessary contract.

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):—

The Board was specially convened to consider the question as to whether, for the purpose of increasing the remuneration of the Teachers of National Schools within the Union, they were willing to become a contributory Union within the meaning of the National Schools Teachers Act.

On the motion of Mr. P. J. Byrne it was resolved that the Board do not become Contributory.

The Rate collectors attended before the Board in compliance with request when the clerk stated that their Books had been presented for examination during the week, and no action was taken.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 21

Ditto disallowed ... ... "

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 2

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 6

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 112

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

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

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

Shillelagh *Union.*

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 25 day of January 1895

PRESENT—In the Chair, Edward Byrne Esq D.L. & J.P.

OTHER GUARDIANS, Messrs Richard James. Thomas Dowling. Peter Foley. Nicholas O Toole. Patrick Byrne. Edward J. Byrne. Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

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

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

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

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

Coollattin Dispensary District.

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

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

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

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

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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

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

Enniskerry and Askeaton

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

That the parents be warned by the Relieving Officers.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 1st day of February 1895.

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

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 25th day of January 1895

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

OTHER GUARDIANS— Messrs Rich James Thos Dowling, Peter Foley, Nicholas O'Toole, P. Byrne, E.J. Byrne, Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D Symes.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

No. 135 M/1894 – Miscellaneous 18 Jany 95

The Local Government Board wrote forwarding, for the information of the Sanitary Authority, a copy of the Housing of the Working Classes Act. 1894. 57 and 58 Vic. Ch. 55.

Referring to a notice served upon him requiring him to repair a cottage in occupation of Peter Byrne at Rathnapshoge. Mr. Michael Pollard wrote stating that he would comply with the request of the Board; but asked that the matter should be allowed to stand over until a decision was arrived at by the County Court Judge on the Ejectment served on him (Byrne) for non-payment of six and a half years rent and which was adjourned till next sessions. If Byrne paid the rent he would proceed with the repairs presently.

The Guardians decided to allow the matter to stand over as requested.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 1st day of February 1895

(Signed) D. FitzPatrick
Clerk of the Union.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 25th day of January 189 5.

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

Other Members:— Messrs. Rich^d James. Thomas Dowling, Peter Foley. Nicholas O Toole. Patrick Byrne, Edward J. Byrne. D. FitzPatrick and A. D. Symes.

Mr. Ramsay Engineer, wrote returning Mr. Boulgers Claim for alleged extras at Rackabeg four Labourers Cottages. together with his report thereon. in compliance with the request of the Board. He certainly thought the Board were not liable to pay a penny of it from the wants of the specification.

The Board postponed the consideration of the report.

The following letter was read from Mr. Brown, Solicitor, viz:- Re Labourers Houses - 7th January 95

"Referring to your inquiry about the maps of sites for Labourers houses I beg to state that the Boards Engineer has supplied the necessary maps which however cannot be used at present as no further steps can be taken until the Provisional order becomes absolute and this will only take place after the petitions have been heard by the Privy Council. Berry v. Guardians

"The Master has made a report in this case and finds that Plaintiff not having received notice of

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of the resolution prior to his dismissal he (the Master) considered himself bound to enquire what the Plaintiff would be entitled to on foot of Schedule I if wrongly dismissed, and he assesses the amount at £99:11:6 less £14 admittedly due for certain work. On foot of Schedule II he finds Plaintiff entitled to £74:16:0

"As a result he finds that if Plaintiff is entitled to recover on both schedules he should have a verdict for £48:15:0 over the sum lodged in court, and if only entitled on foot of Schedule II, the verdict should be for the defendants. This question still remains to be decided by the court. I have served notice to vary the Masters certificate for Saturday or the first opportunity after when the case will be argued before the court."

The Guardians, pursuant to notice, proceeded to consider a Representation from the Hacketstown E.D. on behalf of William Byrne, which had been adjourned to enable the medical officer to report as to the condition of the existing house which was sought to be replaced.

Dr. Whelan reported that Byrne's house consisted of two apartments on the ground floor with a loft overhead. The roof was in bad repair and let in the water when there was heavy rain, and the loft was shaky in parts. He recommended that notice be served upon the landlord to repair the roof and loft where required.

The Board resolved to reject the Representation and ordered that notice be served upon the landlord to carry out the recommendation of the medical officer.

A Representation was received from the Hacketstown

Division for the erection of a cottage on behalf of Matthew Byrne, which the Board decided to consider on the 22nd proximo, together with one received on the 10th Dec. last, and nominated the following as a committee to report on the applications - Viz:- Messrs. Wm. P. Jones J.P. John Lyons, M. O'Toole James Shannon and Rev. Thomas Monaughan P.P.

The Clerk was directed to instruct Dr. Whelan to furnish a report as to the Sanitary condition of the existing houses occupied by the applicants.

The making of Improvement Schemes in respect of the Electoral Divisions of Moyacomb and Coolballintaggart was further adjourned for four weeks.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £* 5036 : 15 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of January 1895

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	164										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	1										
Fever Sheds												
TOTAL	931	165										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			22	42	36	32	4	3	10	5	10	164
Admitted during the Week			14	5	3				1			23
TOTAL			36	47	39	32	4	3	11	5	10	190
Discharged during the Week			11	5	2				1			20
Died						1						
Total Discharged and Dead			11	5	2		1		1			20
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			25	42	37	32	6	3	10	5	10	170

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	4	In separate Wards	3
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates	"
TOTAL,	5	TOTAL,	13

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

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

No. at corresponding period last year, 154

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26th day of January 1895 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.	64	93				
No. II.	49	56				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.						

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

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 1st *day of* February 1895.

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

Other Guardians :— Messrs Wm Speares, A. Leybourne, Abraham D. Symes, Richard M. Dowse and Joseph Hopkins.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 1st day of February 1895.

Frank Brooke
Chairman

Signed, J. Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Dollard Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3033 *to No.* 3042 *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 - - - - - £———

Treasurer's A/c not received this week

Paid during the week - - - - - £———

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	14	4.	3
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	29	10	2
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -		3	5
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - -		4	4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -		6	2

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

316 . 4 lb. Loaves Bread
21 Dozen Eggs
60 4 lbs. Butter
161 . Beef
30 . Beef (Boneless)
24 gallons Buttermilk
180 . Sweetmilk
2 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 26 *day of* January 189 5 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money	10	11	6
In Kind			
Total	£ 10	11	6

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
1. *Clothing Account.*			

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

2 *Establishment Account.*

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

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8. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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Miss Boulger. Infirmary Nurse, applied for and obtained leave of absence for one day next week. the Schoolmisress to discharge her duty.

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. 3334 26th January 1895

With reference to the minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 18th instant the Local Government Board wrote transmitting questions for answers to be signed by the clerk and the person who might be appointed to the vacant office of master of the Workhouse.

The clerk was instructed to advertize for a Workhouse Master at a salary of £50 per annum, with rations, fuel and light & apartments Applications to be received and considered on the 15th instant.

Mr. Symes moved & Mr. Spears seconded, and it was unanimously resolved:—

"That the matron, Mrs. Corrigan, be paid the sum of £1. 10 - 0 and Mr. Furlong, Schoolmaster, £1. for discharging the duties of Workhouse Master during his absence on leave from the 18th Jany to 12th February '95." to which we desire the sanction of the Local Government Board."

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 10

Ditto disallowed ... ... "

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

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 113

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

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

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

Shillelagh *Union.*

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 1st day of February 1895

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

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Messrs Wm Speares, A. Reybourne, Abraham D. Symes, Richard M. Dowse and Joseph Hopkins.

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

That the clerk transmit same to the contractors

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

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

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

_____Dispensary District.

Account of Mr._____for_____Amount, £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended_____18 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended_____18 .

_____District, - - - £
_____District, - - - £
_____District, - - - £
_____District, - - - £

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____Dispensary District, Mr._____of_____

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

Order dated_____(state subject).

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

The Honorary Secretary of the Coollatten and Clonegall Dispensary Committee of Management reported that at a meeting held to-day (Friday) the Committee appointed Mrs Mary Anne Coburn as Caretaker of Carnew Dispensary in room of Mrs Morton retired. at a Salary of £4 per annum inclusive of fuel. And further the committee recommended payment of a sum of £1.15.0 to Mrs Coburn for acting as temporary Caretaker from 29 Sept last to date.

The Board of Guardians approved of the payment recommended and desire the sanction of the L.G. Board thereto.

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 8th day of February 1895.

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

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PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 1st day of February 1895.

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

OTHER GUARDIANS— Messrs Wm Speares. A. Leybourne. Abraham D. Symes. Richard M. Dowse and Joseph Hopkins.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

No. 3,825 31st January 95

The Local Government Board wrote that they had had before them the clerks letter of the 21st inst. relating to the application of the Rural Sanitary Authority for sanction to a loan of £100 in addition to a sum of £350 already sanctioned in Boards letter of the 22nd of November last. for the improvement of the sewerage of the Workhouse, and the Board desired to express their sanction to the loan in question, in pursuance of section 23rd of the Public Health (I) Act, 1878, repayment to be spread over a period of thirty years, and the loan to be issued in one instalment.

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

The Board decided that application be made for the loan.

A letter was read from Richard Byrne, Road contractor, Clonegall stating that one of the fountains of Clonegall Waterworks, at High Street, had caused him great inconvenience and loss. There was a continual overflow and waste of water which was most injurious to his contract. He had already brought the matter under the notice of the county Surveyor. A Sewer or water drain from the fountain

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showed be constructed

Ordered - to be referred to the Guardians of the Electoral Division for a report by next Board Meeting.

The clerk mentioned that the caretaker of the Clonegall Waterworks reported to him that the fountain at Mr. Hopes, at Clonegall was leaking and required to be repaired, also that the main pipe opposite Rossitors was burst.

It was directed that the local Guardians be asked to have the main repaired, if possible. Otherwise to report to the Board.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 8th day of February 1895.

(Signed) J. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 1st day of February 1895.

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

Other Members:—

Messrs Wm Speares, A. Keyborne, Abraham D. Symes, Richard M. Dowse and Joseph Hopkins.

The following letter, addressed to the clerk, was read from W. Brown, Solicitor viz:—

Berry v Guardians 29 Jany 95

It will be necessary for you to attend before the Queens Bench Division on Thursday next with the minute Books which were produced before the master.

The clerk informed the Board that he had attended at the Queens Bench in compliance with W. Brown's request, when on the application of W. Berry's counsel, the case was adjourned to Monday

W. Boulger, Building contractor, wrote to apply for an immediate settlement of his account for alleged extra works at Lackabeg Labourers cottages. He asserted that a number of the statements made in the report of the Board's Engineer were inaccurate.

It was ordered that the clerk communicate with W. Boulger and inform him that the Board were

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were willing to submit the case to arbitration
and ask him to appoint an arbitrator to meet the
person to be appointed on behalf of the Board.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 50364.. 15:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of February 1895

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse	887	162
Temporary Buildings ..		
Additional Workhouse ..	50	1
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds		
TOTAL	937	163

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	25	42	34	32	6	3	10	5	10	140
Admitted during the Week -	8									8
TOTAL,	33	42	34	32	6	3	10	5	10	148
Discharged during the Week -	11	1		1				1	1	15
Died - - - - - -										
Total Discharged and Dead -	11	1		1				1	1	15
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	22	41	34	31	6	3	10	4	9	163

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	40	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates	
TOTAL,	41	TOTAL,	13

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

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

No. at corresponding period last year, 163

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of February 189 5 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.	64	93					Bt. forward						
No. II.	49	56					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 8th *day of* February 189 5

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

Other Guardians:— Messrs Abraham D. Symes, John O'Sullivan and Joseph Hopkins.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

E. Byrne Chairman.

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 8th day of February 189 5

Signed, D Hopkins

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3043 *to No.* 3059 *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 18th Jany. 95 - - - - £413. 2. 8

Paid during the ~~week~~ same period - - - - £196. 18. 10

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £192. 6. 3½

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	22	2	8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	32	13	4
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	5
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	2

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

326 4 lb. Loaves Bread
19 Dozen Eggs
212 lbs. Beef & Mutton
30 " Boneless Beef
40 " Butter
24 Gallons Buttermilk
172 " Sweetmilk
1 Piece Frieze
1 " Barragon
4 Cwt Oatmeal

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of February 189 5 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	10	8	6
In Kind			
Total	£ 10	8	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	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	John J. Fortune	Blankets	26	.	.

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

2 *Establishment Account.*

			£	s.	d.
79	Dr. Y. Y. Brady	Registration fees	2	14	6
80	Dr. L. J. Whelan	"	2	4	.
81	Dr. John Bolster	"	1	4	6
"	Joseph Bourger	Repairing harness		14	6
"	Jane Doyle	Cooperage		19	.
"	Anne Corrigan	Remuneration	1	10	.
"	Peter Furlong	"	1	"	.
83	Stephen J. Brown	Exp. hab. cottages 9/8	48	15	.
84	John Hopkins	"	8	12	.

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
4/4	Michael Neill	Milk	60	16	6
4/8	Eliza McGurk	Meat	16	2	11
81	James Condell	onions	1	2	6

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

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. 5.704/95 4th Feby 95

With reference to the minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 1st inst. the Local Govt. Board wrote to express their sanction to the payments of sums of £1:10:0 and £1 to the Matron and Schoolmaster of the Workhouse, respectively for their services in discharging the duties of the Master of the Workhouse during the absence of the latter from the 18th Ultimo to the 1st instant.

Pursuant to advertisement the Guardians proceeded to consider Tenders for the usual Quarterly supply of Provisions to the Workhouse, from the 14th inst. when the following, being the lowest, were accepted:—

Thomas Kenny	best White Bread at 4d per 4 lb loaf.
Eliza McSubR	Beef at 7½d per lb.
Ditto	Mutton 4½d "
Ditto	Beef without bone or fat 6½d per lb.
Patrick Cullen	Oatmeal £10:4:0 per ton
Ditto	Indian Meal £5:15:0 "
Ditto	Irish Bacon 5¼d per lb.
Thomas Doyle	Butter at 9½d "
John J. Elliron	Eggs @ 11d per dozen.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 14

Ditto disallowed 4

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 11

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 113

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

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

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

Shillelagh *Union.*

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8th day of Feby 18 95.

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

OTHER GUARDIANS, Messrs Abraham D. Eymes John O'Sullivan and Joseph Hopkins.

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

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

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

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

Hacketstown Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. L. Y. Whelan for Dec^r. Fees Amount, £3 : 6 : 0

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

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

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

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

Read Letter from_____ dated_____ stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 15th day of February 1895.

(*Signed*), R. Hoey Kirwan
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh *Union.*

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8th day of February 1895.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Edward Byrne Esq. D.L. & J.P.

OTHER GUARDIANS—

Mess.rs Abraham D. Symes

John O'Sullivan and Joseph Hoey Kirwan.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 15th
day of February 189 5.

(Signed) J. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8th day of February 189 5.

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

Other Members:— Messrs Abraham D. Symes. John O'Sullivan and Joseph Hopkins

The following letter was read from Mr. Brown Solicitor dtd 5th Feby 95

Berry v. Guardians

"The motion to vary the findings of the master by declaring the Plaintiff entitled to no remuneration for the work done under second scheme was refused yesterday with costs, I do not see any ground for further contesting the matter and the Guardians must now pay the Plaintiff the amount which has been found by the master together with the costs when taxed. I leave ask the Board to send a cheque on Friday next for the amount found by the master viz- £78:15:0 The Plaintiff is entitled to mark judgment for this amount without waiting for the costs to be taxed."

It was resolved that a cheque for the amount (£78:15:0) be drawn in favor of Mr. Brown.

In reply to the Boards letter of the 2nd instant, Mr. Bourger immediately wrote agreeing to submit his

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his claim to arbitration: but in case of a disagreement he should have a right to the appointment of an Umpire on equal terms with the Board.

The clerk was instructed to write to Mr. Bouleger & appoint his arbitrator by the next meeting of the Board.

On the motion of Mr. Joseph Hopkins seconded by Mr. A. D. Symes it was resolved:-

"That the clerk be paid the sum of £18:12.0 for expenses of witnesses attending at Dublin in the case of Berry & the Board of Guardians."

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £* 5036 : 15 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of February 1895

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse	88	164
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	8
Fever Sheds		
TOTAL	138	172

	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	22	41	34	31	6	3	10	4	9	163
Admitted during the Week	15	5		1		1		2	1	25
TOTAL,	37	46	34	32	6	4	10	6	10	188
Discharged during the Week	11	2						1		14
Died			1	1						2
Total Discharged and Dead	11	2	1	1				1		16
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	26	44	36	31	6	4	10	5	10	172

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	40	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	8	In Wards with other Inmates	
TOTAL,	48	TOTAL,	13

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

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

No. at corresponding period last year, 162

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9th day of February 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	65	94					Bt. forward						
No. II.	44	57					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 15th *day of* February 1895.

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

Other Guardians:— Major G.G. Newton P. Colonel J. Paddell P., Wm S. R. Dawson P., P. Connolly P., R. Montfort P., E. Byrne P., J. Acker P., A. Dawson P., J. H. Hoskins, R. Dawson, R. James, A. Nolahan, R. M. Rourke, W. Spears, P. Doyle, W. Kennedy, P. J. Byrne, P. J. Ferris, J. Dowling, P. Foley, J. D. Dawson, D. O'Toole, J. Lyons, P. Butler, J. Kavanagh, P. Byrne, A. Leyburn, W. Hoskins, M. Toole, J. Hoskins, A. D. Symes and John O'Sullivan.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 15th day of February 1895

Signed, J. Hoskins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3066 *to No.* 3084 *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 - - - - - £

Treasurer's a/c not received this week

Paid during the week - - - - - £

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	36	5	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	31	15	-
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -		3	8
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - -		1	4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -		6	2

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

343. 4 lb Loaves Bread
8 Dozen Eggs
44 lbs Butter
210 . Beef & Mutton
36 . Boneless Beef
24 Gallons Buttermilk
176 . Sweetmilk
1 Barrel Paraffin oil
2 Boxes Dipt candles
16 Loads Firewood

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money	10	8	6
In Kind			
Total	£ 10	8	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	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.
85	Joshua Willis Exempt Lat. pot. Co. Cess	1	9	8

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.
86	Michael O'Toole	O.D.R.	30	"	"

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

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

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

On the application of W. Ellis, R.D. the Board granted him leave of absence on next Friday. Mr. O'Toole, R.D. to do his duty

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. 5 R/95 13th February 1895

Read circular letter from the Local Govt. Board forwarding to the Returning Officer copies of the notice of the election of Guardians - form E.

The following letter was read from Mr. Dowzer viz:-

"I hereby tender my resignation of the office of Master of Shillelagh Union Workhouse, and at the same time trust that the Guardians will kindly grant me a Superannuation allowance, such as they are empowered to do under the act, and in accordance with my time of service, and allowances recommended by the Local Government Board. I have been 22yrs years Master of the Workhouse, am nearly 61 years of age and as the

Guardians are aware have given my whole time to the Boards business, so that I have no other resource to fall back upon but that which may be allowed by the Board. Thanking the Guardians for the uniform Kindness I have received at their hands."

The Masters resignation was formally accepted and Mr Gymes handed in the following notice of motion. viz:- "I hereby give notice of motion that on this day five weeks, 22nd March 1895, I will move or some other Guardian for me. that Mr. Michael Dowzer be granted such Superannuation allowance as he may be entitled to under the Poor law Superannuation act. in consideration of his services as Master."

Copy of a resolution adopted by the Waterford Corporation was read as follows:-

"That having read with pleasure the statement of the Right Honble the chief Secretary for Ireland, of his having taken steps to comply with the repeated demands of the Irish people that the christian Brothers should get a share of the monies annually granted by Parliament for primary Education in Ireland, we confidently hope that now, once for all he will deal with the matter in a broad and statesman-like manner, and thus satisfactorily settle a question that has been so long and so earnestly engrossing the public mind of Ireland, and that copies of this resolution be sent to the Right Honble the chief Secretary, to the Irish members of Parliament, Corporations, Town Commissioners, and Boards of Guardians."

Mr. E. Byrne proposed the adoption of the resolution, which was seconded by Mr. E. Conolly PC and passed nem. con.

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The Board, pursuant to advertisement, next proceeded to consider applications for the office of Master of the Workhouse at a Salary of £50 per annum, with rations, fuel, light, and furnished apartments.

Applications were read from the following viz- Joshua Roberts, Patrick Allen, Patrick Fox (Porter) Peter M. Furlong (Schoolmaster) Thomas Byrne and William Weir.

It was proposed by Mr. Kerr and seconded by Mr. James that Mr. William Weir be elected master.

Mr. Wm. Hopkins proposed, and Mr. Ralph Lawrenson seconded, the appointment of Mr. Joshua Roberts.

The election of Mr. Peter M. Furlong was moved by Mr. Edward J Byrne and seconded by Mr. Nicholas O'Toole

Mr. E Byrne Sr. proposed that Mr. Patrick Fox be appointed. This was seconded by Mr. Edmund J. Ferris.

On a poll being taken 2 Guardians voted for Mr. Weir 13 for Mr. Roberts, 11 for Mr. Furlong and 6 for Patrick Fox.

A final poll was then taken when fifteen Guardians voted for Mr. Roberts and seventeen for Mr. Furlong who was accordingly declared duly elected.

Mr. Furlong subsequently gave notice of his intention to resign the position of Schoolmaster of the Workhouse on that day month which was received.

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	25
Ditto disallowed	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	2
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	4
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	1/2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	1/4
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	"

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

Shillelagh *Union.*

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8th day of February 1895

PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq P.L.G.

OTHER GUARDIANS, Major Newton P.L. Colonel T. Braddell D.L., Mess^rs R.D. Lawrenson P.L. E. Conolly P.L. R. Montfort P.L. E. Byrne P.L. P.H. Kerr P.L. A. Lawrenson P.L. T.H. Hawkins, R. Lawrenson, R. James, A. Nolahan, R.M. Bourke W. Speares, P. Boyle, N. Kennedy, E.J. Ferris, T. Dowling, P. Foley, T.D. Lawrenson N. O'Toole, J. Lyons, P. Butler, J. Kavanagh, P. Byrne, E.J. Byrne A. Keyburn, W. Hopkins, M. Toole J. Hopkins, A.D. Symes and John O'Sullivan.

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

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

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

It was resolved that Mr. Dowzer - ex. master - discharge the temporary duties of Workhouse Master for one month from this date at the rate of £50 per annum. for which the Guardians desire the sanction of the Local Government Board.

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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 Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. Mary A. Coburn for Salary Amount, £1:15:0

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

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

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

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

No. 5705

Read Letter from the Local Govt. Board dated 13th. February 95 stating that

begs to their sanction to the proposed payment of a sum of £1:15:0 to Mrs Coburn as remuneration for her services in acting as temporary caretaker of the Carnew Dispensary under the circumstances stated in the Guardians minutes on the 1st instant.

No. 14 M/1895. Miscellaneous 14th Feby 95

The Local Government Board also wrote forwarding a copy of an order made by them on the 4th inst. reducing the limits of age prescribed by their order of the 2nd of August 1888, at and after which persons might be re-vaccinated by medical officers of Dispensary Districts.

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 22nd day of February 1895.

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

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 15th day of February 1895.

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

OTHER GUARDIANS—Major Newton V.P., Colonel J. Riddell V.P. Messrs R. Lawrenson V.P. P. Conolly V.P., R. Montfort V.P., P. Byrne V.P., J. Kerwin V.P., A. Lawrenson V.P. T.F. MacKinn, R. Lawrenson R. James, A. Nolahan, R.M. Dowse, W. Speares, P. Doyle W. Kennedy, P.J. Ferris, J. Dowling, P. Foley, J.D. Lawrenson, H.O Toole, Shipsey, P. Butler, J. Kavanagh, P. Byrne, P.J. Byrne, A. Rigburn, W. Hopkins, M. Toole, P. Hopkins, A.D. Symes & J.O. Sullivan

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

District Officer	Name of Officer District	General Subject	Particulars
Dr. Whelan	Hacketstown	Typhoid Fever	House of Ellen Cody of Killalongford

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

Writing in connexion with the overflow from fountains at Clonegall Mr. Kennedy P.L.G. stated that himself and Mr. Donohoe (in the absence of Mr. P. Doyle P.L.G.) visited the waterworks with Richard Byrne, Road contractor, and the Waterworks Caretaker but could not arrive at any definite arrangement as they considered it would take a practical man to see to it. They also recommended that the pipe which had burst should be repaired as soon as possible.

The consideration of the matter was deferred.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 15th day of February 1895.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Frank Brooke Esq DL DK L.C.

Other Members:—

Major Newton W. Colonel Braddell W. Hussey R. D. Lawrenson W., E. Donelly W., R. Montfort W., E. Byrne W., J. Kerr W., A. Lawrenson W., T. Hayes Rins, R. Lawrenson, R. James, A. Nolohan, R. M. Doyle, W. Speares, P. Doyle, W. Kennedy, P. J. Ferris, T. Dowling, P. Foley, T. D. Lawrenson, R. O'Toole, Lyons, P. Butler, Kavanagh, P. Byrne, D. J. Byrne, A. Leyburn, W. Hoyes Rins, M. Toole, D. Hoyes Rins, A. D. Symes and John O'Sullivan.

Mr. Edward Bouleger, Building contractor, attended before the Board and stated that he had appointed Mr. Frederick Morley of 190 Gt. Brunswick Street Dublin as his arbitrator in connection with his claim for alleged extra work performed at Rockabey Jnr. Labourers cottages.

The Board agreed to appoint Mr. Bunsy, Wicklow, as arbitrator on their behalf, provided his charges did not exceed £3.3.0 and travelling expenses.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 22nd day of February 1895.

(Signed) D. Hoyes Rins
Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £* 20364 : 15 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of February 1895

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	163
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	6
Fever Sheds		
TOTAL	931	169

	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	26	44	36	34	6	4	10	5	10	142
Admitted during the Week -	8	2	1		1	1	1			14
TOTAL,	34	46	34	31	6	5	11	6	10	156
Discharged during the Week - Died - - - - -	4	4	1		1	2	1			13
Total Discharged and Dead -	8	4	1		1	2	1			17
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	26	42	36	31	6	4	9	5	10	169

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	72	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	6	In Wards with other Inmates	"
	TOTAL, 78	TOTAL, 13	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	6	2	3	11
No. in Workhouse at date	"	"	"	"

No. at corresponding period last year, 163

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16 day of February 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	65	94					Bt. forward						
No. II.	47	54					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 22nd *day of* February 1895.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Wm Speares Esq J.P. sub. Frank Brooke Esq J.P. V.C.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Ralph D. Lawrenson J.P. Edward Byrne J.P. Andrew Wolahan, ~~William Speares~~, William Kennedy, Thomas Dowling, Patrick Byrne, Edward J Byrne Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 22nd day of February 1895

W. Speares Ch

Signed, D Hopkins

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3085 *to No.* 3094 *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 8th inst *- - - - £* 203 : 0 : 0

Paid during the ~~week~~ same period. *- - - £* 934 : 13 : 11

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was £* 724 : 0 : 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	25	19	10
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	33	8	9
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -		3	5
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - -		4	4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -		6	2

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

330, 4 lb Loaves Bread.
44 lbs Butter
222 . Beef & Mutton
40 . Boneless Beef
30 . Irish Bacon
4 cwt Indian Meal
4 cwt Oatmeal
24 gallons Buttermilk
184 . Sweetmilk
1 Chest Tea
6 cwt. Sugar
280 Eggs
16.000 Shoe nails

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 16th day of February 189 5 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.
90	William Hughes	car hire	1	12	6
91	Wicklow Star Printing Co.	advts.	2	16	2
92	Edward Gleeson	carriage pchs.	5	10	3

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
87	Laurence Mulligan	Yea. &c.	48	19	3
88	Elya McGuirk	meat	10	-	8
89	Joseph Twamley	meal	4	12	6
90	Richard McGuinness	Indian meal	1	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:—

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On the application of Bridget Donegan Lodgewoman the Board allowed her a pair of Boots in lieu of her own which were worn out in the Workhouse.

A young woman named Mary Kavanagh with an infant child, was admitted to the Workhouse. She stated that James Gilbert of Kilballyowen was the father of her child which was now three weeks old.

The Master was requested to have an affidavit sworn by the woman and the clerk was directed to write to James Gilbert and inform him that the Board would have to proceed against him for the maintenance of the child.

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

"I have to report that the pipes bringing the water to the Kitchen and Laundry have been injured by the frost, so that the supply of water has been stopped.

"A supply of lime is required for lime-washing purposes."

Ordered – That the contractor repair the pipes as soon as the frost disappears; and that a load of lime be purchased.

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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):—

It was unanimously resolved to pay Mr. Edward Gleeson on behalf of the Dublin Wicklow & Wexford Railway Co. the sum of £5. 10. 3 for Railway freight on goods delivered at the Workhouse, from the 5th June 86 to 10th November 93.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 10

Ditto disallowed ... ... "

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 1

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 112

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 3

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

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

Shillelagh *Union.*

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 22nd day of Feby. 1895

PRESENT—In the Chair, Wm. Speares Esq Dub Frank Brooke Esq D.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS, Messrs Ralph D. Lawrenson J.P. Edward Byrne J.P. Andrew Nolahan. Wm. Kennedy. Thomas Dowling. Patrick Byrne. Edward J. Byrne. Joseph Hopkins and Abaham D. Symes.

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

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

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

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

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 1st day of March 1895.

(*Signed*), D. O'Toole Rins
Clerk of the Union.

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Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 22nd day of February 1895.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Wm Speares Esq Sub. Frank Brooke Esq JP DL DC

OTHER GUARDIANS— Messrs R. D. Laurenson W. E. Byrne Dr. A Wolfenden P Kennedy J Dowling P Byrne E Byrne J Hopkins and A. D. Symes

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

The caretaker of the Imaheley Waterworks wrote stating that one of the fountains in the town, opposite Mr. Carrolls, was out of order.

Mr. O'Toole, caretaker of Waterworks at Carnew, reported that the fountain near Laurence Byrnes Carnew was also out of order.

Owing to the severity of the frost the Board decided to defer the repairs to these fountains.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 1st day of March 1895.

(Signed) D. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 22nd day of February 1895.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Wm Spears Esq Sub Frank Brooke Esq D.C.

Other Members:—

Messrs Ralph D. Lawrenson D.L., Edward Byrne D.L., Andrew Nolahan, Wm Kennedy, Thomas Dowling, Patrick Byrne, Edward J. Byrne, Joseph Hopkins and Abraham D. Lyons.

In reply to a letter from the clerk W. Ramsay, Architect, wrote that he would be glad to act as arbitrator on behalf of the Guardians in the matter of W. Boulger's claim for extras. He would attend on Tuesday, the 26th instant and his terms for same would be 3 Guineas and travelling expenses.

The Board approved of the terms mentioned, and the clerk was directed to communicate with W. Boulger, as also with W. Ramsay requesting them to meet the arbitrators at the Board-room of the Workhouse on the aforesaid date.

The Board was specially convened to consider two Representations from the Hacketstown R.D. to replace two existing dwellings said to be unfit for human habitation.

The Divisional committee appointed by the Guardians

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Guardians recommended the erection of one cottage on the farm of John Whelan, Rathnagrew, and the second on the lands of Rathnafushoge, Michael Pollard - occupier.

Dr. Whelan, Medical Officer of Health, certified that the cottage in occupation of the applicant, Matthew Kennedy, was wholly unfit for human habitation and incapable of being made fit for human habitation: and that the cottage occupied by Peter Byrne, applicant, was in a very bad state of repair, and with insufficient accommodation, and scarcely worth repairing.

On the motion of Mr. Speares seconded by Mr. E. J. Byrne it was resolved – "That an Improvement scheme for Hacketstown E. Division is necessary to remedy the existing want for house accommodation viz:- two cottages at Peter Byrnes Rathnafushoge and Matthew Kennedys Rathnagrew."

It was ordered that Mr. Ramsay be instructed to mark the sites of these cottages (2) and prepare estimates. The making of the Improvement Schemes in respect of the Coolballintaff Knoyacomt and Hacketstown Divisions was adjourned for four weeks.

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 5036 : 15 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of February 1895

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			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
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Temporary Buildings ..												
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Fever Sheds												
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Admitted during the Week -			6	3	1	1					1	12
TOTAL,			32	45	37	32	6	4	9	5	11	181
Discharged during the Week -			8	4							1	13
Died - - - - - -												
Total Discharged and Dead -			8	4							1	13
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			24	41	37	32	6	4	9	5	10	168

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	69	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	10	In Wards with other Inmates	
TOTAL,	79	TOTAL,	13

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	5	2	1	8
No. in Workhouse at date	"	"	"	"

No. at corresponding period last year, 158

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of February 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		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
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No. III.							No. XI.						
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No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL						

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PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Wm Speares Esq Dub. E. Byrne Esq Dr. Dr. C.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs Wm D. Jones Dr., A. Nolahan, ~~Wm Spear~~ Edmund J. Ferris, Thos. Dowling, Jas Kavanagh, Patrick Byrne Edward J. Byrne, Abraham D. Symes and John O'Sullivan.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Wm. Speares
Ch.

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 1st day of March 1895.

Signed, D. Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3095 *to No.* 3120 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

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

The clerk mentioned that the woman Mary Kavanagh admitted to the Workhouse last Board day, had left the House the same evening with her illegitimate child & consequently he (clerk) had not written the reputed father of the child as instructed.

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 - - - - - £

Treasurers A/c not received this week *Paid during the week - - - - - £*

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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2. *The Provision Check Account.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

	£	s.	d
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - (*Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*)	22	14	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - (*Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*)	33	8	6
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	4
Average Cost in Infirmary		1	1
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	2

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

24 Gallons Buttermilk
182 . Sweetmilk
280 Eggs
36 lbs. Butter
160 . Beef & mutton
30 . Boneless Beef
300 4 lb loaves Bread
8 Doz lbs. Composite candles

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

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

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	£	s.	d.
In Money	10	18	0
In Kind			
Total	£ 10	18	0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d	By Order on Contractors: Article and Quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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.
93	Matthew Murray	Shoe nails	2	3	4

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

2 *Establishment Account.*

94	Thomas Hannon	Exphal. Cottage	2	17	10
95	Edward Boulger	Co. Cess Do. arbitrators award	15	.	.
94	Ditto	Do . costs	3	15	.

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.
95	Robert Ellis on a/c	25	-	-

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

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

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

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Relieving Officer O'Toole applied for leave of absence on next Board-day and stated that Wm. Ellis RO. would do his duty.

The application was acceded to.

It was ordered that Eliza Judd be charged at the rate of 2/- per week for her maintenance while in Infirmary: and also that Constable Hannon pay 3/- per week, being at present a patient in the Workhouse Infirmary.

Wm. O'Toole RO. submitted to the Board a notice served upon him, previous to the execution of an Ejectment decree, in the case of Colonel Tottenham, owner, v James Carroll, Clonegall, occupier

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

The Master submitted a sample of oats grown on the Workhouse farm to the Board for instructions as to its disposal.

Ordered - To be sold at 9/- per barrel.

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

No. 141

An order was received from the Chief Secretary's office, Dublin Castle, authorizing the payment of a sum of £133: 2: 6 on account to the Guardians in respect of the Probate Duty grant for the year ending the 31st March '95.

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. 8145/95 23rd Feby 1895

With reference to the minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians, on the 15th inst. the Local Govt. Board wrote to state that they would raise no objection to the payment of remuneration at the rate of £50 a year and rations to Mr. Michael Dowzer for his services while discharging the duties of master of the Workhouse for a period of one month, pending an appointment to that office.

No. 8145/95 25th February 95

A letter was also read from the Local Govt. Board transmitting questions for answers to be signed by the clerk and the person who might be

appointed to the office of Schoolmaster of the Workhouse.

No. 21. M 1895 - Miscellaneous 26th Feby 95

Read circular letter from the Local Govt. Board to forward, therewith, copies of the form in which the Returning Officers account of expenses in connexion with the election of Guardians should be made out.

No. 9785 28 February 1895

The Local Government Board further wrote acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the appointment of Mr. Peter Michael Furlong, to the office of Master of the Workhouse and the Board approved of the appointment on the terms specified, namely, at a salary of £50 a year and rations.

Mr. E. J. Byrne gave notice that he would move on this day fortnight that this Board take into consideration the propriety of making such arrangement as to the Schools as established in Baltinglass Union.

On the application of the clerk for an increase of Salary, Mr. Thomas Dowling, handed in the following notice of motion viz:- "I hereby give notice that I will move on this day fortnight (or some other Guardian for me) that the sum of £10 per annum be added to the Salary of the clerk in lieu of the amount fixed to be paid him at his appointment, and which he has been deprived of by the Local Government Board's order of the 23rd Sept 93. regulating the remuneration under Parliamentary Registration acts."

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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 26

Ditto disallowed ... ...

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 1

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 112

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

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

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

Shillelagh *Union.*

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 17th day of March 1895

PRESENT—In the Chair, Wm Speares Esq / Sub. P. Byrne Esq JP Dec

OTHER GUARDIANS, Mess^rs W. P. Jones Dr. A. Nolahan

P. J. Ferris, Thos. Dowling, Jas. Kavanagh, P. Byrne

P. J. Byrne, A. D. Symes and John O'Sullivan

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

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

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

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

_____Dispensary District.

Account of Mr._____for_____Amount, £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended_____18 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended_____18 .

_____District, - - - £
_____District, - - - £
_____District, - - - £
_____District, - - - £

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____Dispensary District, Mr._____of_____

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

Order dated_____(state subject).

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 8th day of March 1895.

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

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh *Union.*

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 1st day of March 1895.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Wm Spears Esq Vice Sub. P. Byrne Esq Vice

OTHER GUARDIANS— Messrs Wm P. Jones Sr. A. Nolahan P. J. Ferris. Thos Dowling Jas Kavanagh. P. Byrne, P. J. Byrne. A. D. Symes and John O'Sullivan

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 8th day of March 1895.

(Signed) D. Hoey Rms
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 1st day of March 1895.

PRESENT: In the Chair—Wm Speare by sub. E. Byrne Dy Br D.V.C.

Other Members:—

Messrs W. E. Jones Dr. A. Kolahan, Edmund J. Ferris, Thomas Dowling, Jas Kavanagh, Patrick Byrne, Edward J. Byrne, A. D. Symes and John O'Sullivan.

With reference to the claim of Wm. E. Boulger, Building Contractor, for alleged extra work performed at Lackabeg cottages the arbitrators Messrs Pansing and Morley, after carefully considering the matter awarded Mr. Boulger a sum of £4-5. The arbitrators fees and expenses, £7-10-0, to be equally divided between the parties concerned.

It was resolved that Mr. Boulger be paid the amount of the award.

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Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 8th day of March 1895.

Signed, D. Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Dollard Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 50364:15:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of March 1895.

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	160
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	8
Fever Sheds		
TOTAL	931	168

	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 3 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 3 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	24	41	37	32	6	4	9	5	10	168
Admitted during the Week	26	4	1		1					32
TOTAL,	50	45	38	32	4	4	9	5	10	200
Discharged during the Week	25	3	3		1					32
Died										
Total Discharged and Dead	25	3	3		1					32
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	25	42	35	32	6	4	9	5	10	168

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	64	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	8	In Wards with other Inmates	4
TOTAL,	72	TOTAL,	13

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	23	3	1	24
No. in Workhouse at date	"	"	"	"

No. at corresponding period last year, 155

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of March 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	40/50	97/65					Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 8th *day of* March 1895.

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

Other Guardians:— Messrs. Ralph D. Lawrenson J.P.

and William Speares.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3121 *to No.* 3141 *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 22nd Feb 95 - - - - £ 415 : 2 : 6

Paid during the ~~week~~ same period - - - - £ 156 : 11 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £ 268 : 9 : 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	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	48	1	-
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	34	18	6
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -		3	4
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - -		4	4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -		6	2

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

48 lbs. Butter
333 4 lb. Loaves Bread
314 Eggs
21 Bottles Porter
24 Gallons Buttermilk
184 " Sweetmilk
4 " 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 2nd *day of* March 189 5 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money	11	5	6
In Kind	"	"	"
Total	£ 11	5	6

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.* £ s. d.

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

2 *Establishment Account.*

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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The Schoolmaster, Wm. Furlong, applied for and obtained two days leave of absence, the Schoolmistress to take charge of the School.

The clerk submitted Bond, for the due performance of the office of Workhouse master to the Board which had been duly executed by Wm. Furlong and his Sureties Messrs. Thomas Bishop and Wm. H. Grandy.

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):—

1st March 95

The clerk of the Medway Union (England) wrote forwarding an order for the removal of Jane McDonald, widow, to this Union.

The Master stated that the woman had been admitted to the Workhouse Infirmary.

Mr. Spicers and Mr. Lawrenson were asked to interview the woman and report on the case next Board-day.

A list of qualified candidates duly nominated for the office of Guardian, for the year ending 25th March '96, was submitted to the Board by the clerk.

It was agreed to pay Thomas Dowse a sum of £1. 13. 6 for boring and repairing pipes conveying water to Reservoir at Trinkely, erecting two new stoves pipes at Workhouse, etc.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 21
Ditto disallowed ... ... "
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 1

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 0
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 120
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was "

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was 6

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

Shillelagh *Union.*

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8th day of March 18 95

PRESENT—In the Chair, Frank Brooke Esq DL. J.P. V.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS, Messrs Ralph D. Lawrence and D.

and William Speares.

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

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

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

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

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 15th day of March 1895.

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

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh *Union.*

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8 day of March 1895

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

OTHER GUARDIANS—

Messrs. Ralph D. Lawrenson J.P.
and William Speares.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

No. 16 M/95 - Miscellaneous 2nd March 95

The Local Government Board wrote requesting that they might be furnished with a return of the number of cases of infectious disease in the Union, notified, in pursuance of the provisions of the Infectious Disease (Notification) Act 1889 to the Medical Officer of Health or to the Sanitary Authority of the District, during the year ended the 31st of December last.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8th day of March 1895.

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

Other Members:— Messrs Ralph Lawrenson J.P. and William Speares.

A letter was read from W. Ramsay C.E. to forward ordnance map no. 5, Co. Carlow, with two new cottage sites and two alternative ditto in Hacketstown Electoral Division marked thereon, which he and the local Guardians selected on the ground — also schedule and estimate for same.

When at Lackabeg last week, the tenants of the labourers cottages there asked him to let the Board know that they would like the following, viz:—

① Tenant of No 24 says rain gets in at junction of roof with house adjoining (which is a few inches higher) It has a fillet of cement — of course a lead flashing would be better but it would cost £1 or so.

② Tenant of No. 25 put in a small metal skylight to loft at own expense — the loft had very bad (borrowed) light and ventilation before. It is very well put in, & well worth 12/- which tenant thinks the Board should refund (as actual cost to him).

③ Tenants of Nos 26, 28, & 29 want handrails to the stairs, which have none (being between 2 partitions) and are rather steep and dangerous. They say children fell down.

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(Signed) J. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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(4) Tenants of Nos. 26, 27, 28 & 29 would like their upstairs rooms ceiled (which are only rendered) saying they are cold in winter - This would cost about £10.

The consideration of the matter was deferred for a week pending the attendance of the local guardians.

John Whelan, Rathnapew, came before the Board and said he objected to the proposed erection of a cottage on his land: when he was told he might appear at the local inquiry.

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Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value*, £ 50364 : 15 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of March 1895.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse	88	154
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	9
Fever Sheds		
TOTAL	93	166

	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	25	42	35	32	6	4	9	5	10	168
Admitted during the Week	11	6	1	1		1				20
TOTAL,	36	48	36	33	6	5	9	5	10	188
Discharged during the Week	9	4	2			1		1	1	21
Died		1								1
Total Discharged and Dead	9	5	2			1		1	1	22
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	27	43	34	33	6	4	9	4	9	166

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	69	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	9	In Wards with other Inmates	"
TOTAL,	78	TOTAL,	13

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	8	6	1	15
No. in Workhouse at date	2	"	"	2

No. at corresponding period last year, 156

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4th day of March 1895 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.	40	94				
No. II.	50	65				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.						

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

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 15th *day of* March 1895.

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

Other Guardians:— Major G.G. Newton D.L. Messrs Ralph D. Lawrenson W.P. Andw Nolahan, R. M. Doyne, E. J. Ferris, Thos Dowling, G. A. Tomkins, Jas Kavanagh, P. J. Byrne, Abm Keyborne, Joseph Hopkins, A. D'Eyncs & J.P. Sullivan.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

E. Byrne Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 15th day of March 1895

Signed, J. Hopkins

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3142 *to No.* 3168 *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 £*____

Treasurer's a/c not rec'd this week

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	22	10	8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	33	12	4
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	4
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	3½

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 :—

320 4 lb Loaves Bread
44 lbs Butter
200 " Beef
80 " Boneless Beef
24 Gallons Buttermilk
184 " Sweetmilk
304 Eggs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 9th day of March 1895 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.
99	John H. Parnell	Wood Wool	5	10	-

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

2 *Establishment Account.*

			£	s.	d.
100	Frank Mc Phail	Printing & advt	5	10	2
101	Thomas Dowse	Extra works	1	13	6
"	K. M. Allen	Test cards		6	-

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
98	Elija Mc Guirk	beat	16	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:—

In accordance with notice Mr. Furlong wrote resigning his position as Schoolmaster of the Workhouse, which the Board accepted.

On the recommendation of Dr. King it was decided that a special truss be ordered for a patient in the Workhouse Infirmary named James Grant.

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

One of the inmates got through the Bars of the window of her cell in Idiot Ward on Sunday night into the women's yard: it would be well if the bars were altered so as to prevent a similar occurrence taking place.

Ordered to be referred to the Visiting Committee.

The Board appointed Messrs Ralph D. Lawrenson Jr. and Richd. M. Dowse, as a committee with the clerk and master, to take stock of Provisions and Clothing in the Workhouse.

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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. 8642–95 Miscellaneous 8th March 1895

Read circular letter from the Local Govt. Board forwarding a copy of an order of the House of Commons, for a Return showing the total remuneration from all public sources of the clerk of each Union; the amount paid by the Guardians to the Solicitor to each Poor Law Board; and the total remuneration from all public sources of the Doctor of each Dispensary District in Ireland during the past two years; and the Board requested that the clerk would furnish them, without any delay, with the necessary particulars in regard to the Union.

The clerk stated that the Solicitor to the Board had not furnished his bill of costs for the past eight years but that he (clerk) had written requesting him to do so.

to enable him to prepare the required return.

Pursuant to notice, Mr. Dowling moved, and Mr. O'Sullivan seconded: "That the sum of £10 per annum be added to the Salary of the clerk, in lieu of the amount fixed to be paid him at his appointment and which he has been deprived of by the Local Government Board's order of 23rd September 1893 regulating the remuneration under Parliamentary Registration Act: to be payable from the 25th of March 1894."

A Guardian having taken exception to the wording of the motion Mr. E. J. Byrne proposed as an amendment:— "That the Salary of the clerk be increased from £65 to £75 a year."

This was seconded by Mr. E. J. Ferris

On a poll being taken 8 Guardians voted for and 3 against the amendment.

Mr. Dowling's proposition was then put when 3 Guardians voted against and 8 for which was declared carried.

Two Guardians declined to vote.

Mr. E. J. Byrne, in accordance with notice of motion, proposed and Mr. J. Hopkins seconded:— "That this Board take into consideration the propriety of making such arrangement as to the Schools as established in Baltinglass Union."

An amendment was proposed by Mr. Dowse and seconded by Mr. Dowling:— "That the Schoolmistress Miss S. A. Bolger be appointed principal Teacher of both the male and female Schools at an increase of Salary of £10 a year (without Results fees) and that the Master Mr. P. M. Furlong, be appointed to take charge of the boys before

before and after School hours at a remuneration of £5 per annum for which we desire the ratification of the B.G. Board. A show of hands was taken by the chairman who declared the amendment carried.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 24

Ditto disallowed ... ... "

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 3

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 120

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

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

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

Shillelagh *Union.*

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 15th day of March 1895

PRESENT—In the Chair, Edward Byrne Esq J.P. D.V.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS, Major Newton J.P. Messrs R. D. Lawerence J.P., A. Nolahan, R.M. Dowse, P.J. Ferris, J. Dowling, G.A. Tomkins, Jas Kavanagh, P.J. Byrne, A. Keybourne, J. Hopkins, A.D. Symes & John O'Sullivan.

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

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

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

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

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

Read Letter from W. Brown, Solicitor dated 8th March 1895 stating that

the cause of the delay re Medical Officers Residence Hacketstown, was owing to the Power of attorney sent over by Mr. Harrison from Australia having been mislaid. He was glad to say it had now been found and the lease could be executed within the next few days. He would be glad to know whether the Guardians had yet got possession of the premises and if so on what date. He presumed the term might be made to run from the 25th inst.

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

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

_____

_____

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_____

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

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

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Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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

OTHER GUARDIANS— Major Newton D.L. Messrs R.D. Laurenson D.L. A. Nolahan, R.M. Dowse, P.J. Ferris, J. Dowling, J. Kavanagh, P. Byrne, A. Leyburn, J. Hopkins, A.D. Symes & J.O. Sullivan

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
101	Thomas Dowse Repairs Enniskerry WW		15	:

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 22nd day of March 1895.

(Signed) D. Hobkins
Clerk of the Union.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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PRESENT: In the Chair— Edward Byrne Esq JP DLC.

Other Members:— Major Newton JP. Messrs R. D. Laurenson JP, And.w Wolahan, R. M. Doyle, E. J. Ferris, Tho.s Dowling, G. A. Tomkins, Ja.s Kavanagh, E. J. Byrne, Ab.m Keybourne, Joseph Hopkins, Abaham D. Symes and John O Sullivan.

13th March 95

A letter was read from the Privy Council Office, Dublin Castle, transmitting copy of a notice fixing Tuesday the 26th inst. at 12 o'clock for the hearing of the application of the local Government Bd. for an order in Council to confirm a Provisional order made on the 7th day of October 1894 entitled "The Shillelagh Union Labourers order 1894."

The clerk was directed to forward a copy of the notice to Mr. Brown, Solicitor, and ask him what witnesses would be required to attend at the hearing.

Two Representations for the erection of labourers cottages were received from the Electoral Divisions of Clonmore and Moyacomb.

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Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value,* £ 5036 : 15 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of March 1895.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse	88	157
Temporary Buildings ..		
Additional Workhouse ..		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	9
Fever Sheds		
TOTAL	138	166

	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	24	40	34	33	6	4	9	4	9	166
Admitted during the Week -	15	4		1			1	2	1	24
TOTAL,	42	44	34	34	6	4	10	6	10	190
Discharged during the Week -	19	2		1					1	23
Died - - - - -										1
Total Discharged and Dead -	19	2		2					1	24
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	23	42	34	32	6	4	10	6	9	166

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	68	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	9	In Wards with other Inmates	"
TOTAL,	77	TOTAL,	13

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	14	1	1	16
No. in Workhouse at date	1	"	"	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 163

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16 day of March 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
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No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL						

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PRESENT : *In the Chair*— Edward Byrne Esq J.P. Sub. Frank Brooke Esq D.C.

Other Guardians :— Major Newton J.P. Moss J.P. Jas H. Kerr D.C., Albert Laurieson D.C. Richd James. Wm Speares. Peter Foley. Gore A. Tomkins. Jas Kavanagh. Edwd Byrne. A. Leybourne. Michael Toole. Joseph Hopkins. A. D. Symes and J. O'Sullivan. H.W. E. Jones D.C.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

E. Byrne Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 22nd day of March 1895.

Signed, J. Hopkins

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the ~~week~~ since 8th March ult. - - - £ 463 : 14 : 3
Paid during the ~~week~~ same period - - - - £ 34 : 4 : 10
And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was £ 160 : 14 : 1
The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	20	5	1
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	31	13	6
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	9
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	3½

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 :—

320, 4 lb loaves Bread
4 4 lbs. Butter
220 " Beef
40 " Boneless Beef
24 Gallons Buttermilk
1903 " Sweetmilk
300 Eggs.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 16 *day of* March 189 5 *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.
135	Patrick Kirwan ½ Wages	4	10	.
136	Thomas Hickey "	4	"	.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

102	Revd H. C. Ellison	6	5	0	115	Geo. Newson	12	10	0
103	Revd W. S. Sinnott	12	10	0	116	Benj. Hopkins	23	16	4
104	Dr. J. J. G. King	22	10	0	117	Dr. J. W. Bookey	30	4	6
105	John Hopkins (5.5.0 2.4.9 5.15.0)	23	9	9	118	Richd. O'Toole	4	.	.
106	Richd. Dowzer	10	19	2	119	Robert Ellis	6	"	"
107	Anne Corrigan (7.10.0 1.5.0)	8	15	0	134	Richd. Johnson	2	13	9
108	P. M. Furlong (5.9.7 1.7.5)	6	17	0	138	John Kehoe	1	12	6
109	S. A. Bolger	4	10	0	139	Alex. Wilson Lord Rathdonnell		16	6
110	Annie Bolger	5	0	0	"			6	6
111	M. C. Deegan	5	0	0	"	J. B. Dawston		11	.
112	Patrick Fox	3	0	0	"	Jas. Shannon		10	.
113	Thomas Dowse	10	0	0	"	Chas. Tottenham		4	6
114	Patk Harte	3	18	0	"	Jno. Hatchell		5	6
					"	W. D. Duckett		4	6
					"	C. D. Guinness		6	.
					"	W. W. F. Dick		18	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.
140	Michael O Toole	on a/c Nurses	16	9	9
141	Ditto		30	"	"

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

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

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

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The Board agreed to allow the Widow Bowes of Shillelagh permission to attend Divine Service in the Workhouse Chapel, the chaplain approving

The Master was authorized to obtain the services of a Carpenter to re-fix windows in Female Idiot Ward at Workhouse in accordance with the suggestion of the Visiting Committee.

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:—

No. 1965 20th March 95

The Local Government Board forwarded an order for payment of the sum of £176. 12. 2 to the Treasurer of the Union as the proportion of the actual expenses incurred by the Guardians in the half-year ended 29 Sept. last, for Educational and Medical purposes.

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. 13489/95 21st March 1895

Read letter from the Local Government Board to acknowledge the receipt of the resolution of the Guardians of the 15th inst., proposing to abolish the office of Schoolmaster of the Workhouse, and to request that they might be furnished with a return showing the average number of boys on the roll of the Male School, and of girls in the Female School, in each of the last three years.

With reference to the foregoing letter the clerk begs to state that the average number of boys on the roll of the Male School for the years 1892, 93 & 94 was 8.9; 8.7 and 8.3, respectively, and of girls in the Female School during the same period, 8.3; 9.0, and 8.2.

John Pilson of Slievemuvel, claimed to have his name inserted in the Rate Book instead of Richard P. McKenna deceased.

Ordered- To be referred to Revising Officer.

In pursuance of five weeks notice of motion Mr. A.D. Symes proposed, Mr. Joseph Hopkins seconded, and it was passed unanimously— one Guardian dissenting:— "That Mr. Michael Dwyer, late master of the Workhouse, be granted an allowance of £40 per annum (adding 10 years to his service for the purpose of the computation) under the Superannuation Act, to be payable from the date of his retirement, 15th March inst., for which we desire the ratification of the Local Government Board"

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 26

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 120

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

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

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

Shillelagh *Union.*

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 22 day of March 1895

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

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Major Newton D^r Mess^rs P.T. Kerr D^r. W.P. Jones D^r. A. Laurence D^r. R. James. W. Speares. P. Foley. G.A. Tomkins. J. Kavanagh. P.J. Byrne. A. Keybourne. M. Poole. J. Hoyle Kins. A.D. Symes & John O'Sullivan

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

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

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

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

Coollattin Dispensary District.

120	Account of Mr. W. F. Brady	for ¼ Salary	Amount, £	30 : 0 : 0
121	Eliza Taylor			1 : 15 : 0
122	Mary A. Coburn			1 : 0 : 0
123	Thomas Byrne	¼ Rent		1 : 15 : 0
124	Kate Lawless	¼ Salary		6 : 5 : 0
134	Dr. W. F. Brady	Vac. fees		3 : 18 : 0
Hacketstown Dist				
1275	Dr. Lawder T. Whelan	¼ Salary		30 : 0 : 0
126	Jane Hinch	¼ Rent		2 : 0 : 0
127	Anne Cooper	"		1 : 10 : 0
Tinahely District.				
128	Dr. John Bolster	¼ Salary £30: ¼ Rent £1.		10 : 0
129	Matthew Byrne	"		1 : 10 : 0
130	Fanny Doolse	¼ Salary		1 : 5 : 0
131	Mary White	"		6 : 5 : 0

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

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

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

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

On the motion of W. W. E. Jones Dr. seconded by W. Richard James it was resolved:— "That W. William Murphy of BallyKilane be elected a member of the committee of management of the Hacketstown Dispensary District in place of Major General J.C. Guise deceased."

The clerk was authorized to pay the Quarters Rent now due on Askakeagh Dispensary to Matthew Byrne, son of the late Anne Byrne who claimed to be her legal Representative.

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

Read Letter from Mr. Brown, Solicitor dated 16 March 95
~~stating that~~

Inwarding Lease and counterpart re. Medical Officers Residence. Hacketstown, for execution by the Board. The Lessors wished that the Sale days should be 24th of June and 22nd December.

The clerk was directed to return the Lease to Mr. Brown and inform him that the Board desired the term should be made to run from the 29 Sept. 95.

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 29 day of March 1895.

(*Signed*), D. Hop. Rus
Clerk of the Union.

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Friday Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 22nd day of March 1895.

PRESENT—In the Chair, C. Byrne Esq J.P. But. J. Brooke Esq J.P. &c.

OTHER GUARDIANS— Major Newton J.P. Messrs J. Kelly J.P. P.C. Jones J.P. A. Lawrenson W. R. James W. Spears P. Wiley G. Tom Russ. Kavanagh E. Byrne A. Keyburne M. Toole J. Hop Rus A. D. Symes and J. O'Sullivan.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
102		Dr. F. J. G. King ½ Salary	2	10	.
105		John Hoppers	2	10	.
118	Carnew	Michael O Toole Carnew Wks	1	15	.
			1	5	.
119	Hacketstown	Robert Elles ½ Salary	1	10	.
120	Coolattin	Dr. F. F. Brady	3	15	.
125	Hacketstown	Dr. R. J. Whelan	3	15	.
128	Tinahely	Dr. J. Bolster	3	15	.
132		Edward Healy Tinahely Wks	1	5	.
133		Laurence Byrne Clonegall		15	.

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

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

The Board ordered that a Plumber be engaged to repair the pipes and fountains at Tinahely. Carnew and Clonegall Waterworks. which had been reported as having burst during late frost.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 29th day of March 189 5

(Signed) D. O'Kelly Kirwan
Clerk of the Union.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 29th day of March 189 5.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Edward Byrne Esq D.L. Vice Sub. F. Brooke Esq

Other Members:— Major Newton D.L. Messrs J.H. Kerr D.L., Albert Lawrenson D.L., Richard James. William Speares. Peter Foley. P.A. Tomkins. Jas. Kavanagh. E.J. Byrne, Abraham Leyburn. Michl. Toole. Joseph Hopkins. A.D. Symes and John O'Sullivan. H.W.E. Jones D.L.

No. 36-M/95 18th March '95

Read circular letter from the Local Government Board requesting that the clerk fill up each of the forms of return therewith enclosed relating to operations under the Labourers (I) acts up to the 31st inst.

Mr. Brown, Solicitor, wrote, under date 16th March '95 to acknowledge receipt of notification of date fixed for Enquiry before the Privy Council; and stated that the witnesses who were examined at the Local Government Board Enquiry should attend at the hearing on 26th inst. in reference to the opposed sites.

The Board appointed the following as witnesses to attend at the Council chamber, Dublin Castle, on 26th inst. when the application for confirmation of "The Shillelagh Union Labourers order 1894" will be heard, viz:— Messrs E.J. Byrne, Wm. Speares, P. Foley, R.O'Toole, J. Byrne, J.B. Jackson M.D., J.J. O'Kavanagh, Patrick McGrath, Peter Kehoe and

and the clerk

A further letter was read from W. Brown, Solicitor, to state that he would furnish his a/c in full to the Board in about a fortnight. The cost and witnesses expenses in the case of Berry v The Guardians had been furnished at the sum of £203.16:1 and were at present under taxation.

The Board was specially convened to consider the making of Improvement Schemes in respect of the Electoral Divisions of Boolballintaggart, Hacketstown and Moyacomb, when same were signed by the chairman and countersigned by the clerk.

Mr. Joseph Wilson attended before the Board and offered to erect a labourers cottage in the townland of Rathmaforlogo, Hacketstown P.D. and to have it completed by the 29th of September next: when the Board decided that this cottage be omitted from the Scheme

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 50364 : 15 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of March 1895

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse	88	162
Temporary Buildings ..		
Additional Workhouse ..		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	11
Fever Sheds		
TOTAL	93	173

	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	23	42	34	32	6	4	10	6	9	166
Admitted during the Week - Born	18	3	2	1		1	1	2	2 1	30 1
TOTAL,	41	45	36	33	6	5	11	8	12	194
Discharged during the Week - Died - - - - -	16	1	2	1		1	1	1	1	24
Total Discharged and Dead -	16	1	2	1		1	1	1	1	22
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	25	44	34	32	6	4	10	7	11	172

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	42	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	11	In Wards with other Inmates	2
TOTAL,	53	TOTAL,	15

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	16	2	4	22
No. in Workhouse at date	"	"	"	"

No. at corresponding period last year, 159

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23 day of March 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	40	94					Bt. forward						
No. II.	50	65					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 29 *day of* March 1895.

PRESENT : *In the Chair*— Frank Brooke Esq^r D.L. & C.

Other Guardians:— Major Newton D^o, Colonel Biddell D^o, Mess^rs P. Whelan D^o, R.D. Lawrenson D^o, L. Montfort D^o, E. Byrne D^o, W.E. Jones D^o, A. Lawrenson D^o, J. Swan D^o, T.F. Hoskins, R. Lawrenson, Rich^d James, A. Nolahan, R.M. Dowse, W. Speares, Jas. Moran, W. Kennedy, E. Grange, J.D. Lawrenson, G.A. Tomkins, E.J. Byrne, A. Keybourne, W. Hopkins, J. Hopkins and A.D. Speares.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 29 day of March 1895.

Signed, D Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Dollard Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3195 *to No.* 3214 *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 - - - - - £

Treasurer's Pc not received this week

Paid during the week - - - - - £

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	29	2	5
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And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	9
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	3½

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 :—

320 4 lb Loaves Bread
44 lbs Butter
220 . Beef
50 . Boneless Beef
24 Gallons Buttermilk
193 . Sweetmilk
300 Eggs
4 cwt Sugar
4 Stone Rice
4 cwt Washing Soda
4 . Salt
5 Dozen Pint Tins
3 . Quart .
3 Noggin measures

1 Piece Calico
1 . Lining calico
1 Dozen Sweeping Brushes
1 . Scouring .
½ . Whitewash .
1 Piece Bed Ticken
44 lbs Butt Leather
44 . Kip .

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

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The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of March 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No.XVII.				
	Carried forward,					TOTAL,			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

			£	s.	d.
142	John Sutton	Flannel etc	26	4	5
143	Samuel Correll	calico	2	2	6
144	Patrick Maguire	Leather etc	14	8	6
145	Thomas Bassett	Bed Rugs etc.	12	.	4
146	Samuel Weir	Frieze	4	1	.

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

2 Establishment Account.

143	Samuel Correll	Table Linen		9	.
143	Ditto	Porters clothes	5	12	.
146	Samuel Weir	Brushes	1	1	.
147	Thomas Henshaw & co	Stores etc.	8	.	8
148	The General Advertiser Ltd	advertising	5	5	.
149	The Board of Public Works				

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

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8. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
142	John Sutton	Soap	4	11	8
143	Samuel Correll	Candles etc	4	10	8

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:—

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The Board being specially convened, proceeded to elect chairmen for the ensuing year.

It was proposed by Major Newton Dl seconded by Wm P. Whelan Esq and unanimously resolved:—

That the Right Honble Earl Fitzwilliam K.G. be re-elected chairman, Frank Brooke Esq DL Dh. vice chairman, and Edward Byrne Esq DL Deputy vice chairman.

The following members were appointed as a visiting committee to the Workhouse for ensuing year viz:— Major Newton DL Messrs Wm Spears, Edward J. Byrne, Abraham D. Symes and Andrew Holahan.

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. 13,789

28th March 1895

Read letter from the Local Government Board to say that they had had before them the resolution of the Board of Guardians of the 15th instant, proposing to increase the salary of the clerk of the Union from £65 to £75 a year; and the Board desired to state that as the clerk's salary was less than that allowed in Unions similarly circumstanced, and was also less than that which his predecessor received, the Board would raise no objection to the proposed increase.

22nd March 95

The Commissioner of Valuation wrote that he had appointed Mr. J. Farmer to make the annual

Revision of the Valuation of the Union

23rd March 95

A communication was also read from Mr. Farmer stating that he would attend at the Workhouse on Tuesday the 2nd proximo. at 11 O'clock to commence the Revision and requested that the collectors should meet him.

The clerk stated that he had written the collectors to attend.

Mr. Ellis R.O. applied for an obtained leave of absence on Friday next. Mr O'Toole R.O. to do his duty.

A school girl named. Margaret Doyle, was allowed an outfit of clothing on leaving the Workhouse.

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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 20

Ditto disallowed 4

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 4

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 120

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

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

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

Shillelagh *Union.*

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 29 day of March 1895

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

OTHER GUARDIANS,

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

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

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

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

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Coolattin & Clonegall | Imaheley & Askeagh | Hacketstown & Coolkenno

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The Right Hon. Earl Fitzwilliam D.L.	Earl Fitzwilliam D.L.	Earl Fitzwilliam D.L.
Hawk Brooke D.L.	George G. Newton D.L.	Lord Rathdonnell D.L.
Colonel C.G. Ffitcham D.L.	John Coates D.L.	Pilsworth Whelan D.L.
Thomas Swan D.L.	Edward Hunter D.L.	Thomas F. Haskins
Claude Braddell D.L.	William E. Jones D.L.	William Duckett D.L.
John Hatchell D.L.	Laurence W. Byrne D.L.	Hon. Hh. B. Boscawen D.L.
Richd. S. Godfrey	James N. Kirk D.L.	Hon. R.S. Stopford D.L.
Colonel T. Braddell D.L.	Edward Byrne D.L.	Albert Lawrenson D.L.
Eugene Donelly	Wentworth Taylor	George G. Newton D.L.
Thomas M. Baker	Abraham D. Symes	Louis Montfort D.L.
Ralph D. Lawrenson D.L.	Thomas Boland D.L.	John Ryan
Ralph Lawrenson	John Grange	Nicholas O'Toole
Robert Taylor	Michael Byrne	Pierce Butler
Edward Grange	Peter Foley	Revd Thomas Monahan D.L.
William Hopkins	Gore A. Jones	Thomas Dowling
Annesley St. Geo. De Renzy	Andrew Nolahan	Edmund J. Harris
Benjamin Hopkins	Joseph Hopkins	Patrick Byrne
Abraham Leybourne	Richard James	William E. Jones D.L.
Thomas D. Lawrenson	James Kavanagh	Michael Toole
Richard M. Dowse	Edward Byrne	John M. Young
Stephen Geraty	John O'Sullivan	William Murphy
William Speares		
Thomas Haskins		
Peter Doyle		
William Kennedy		
James Leary		
Martin McDonald		
James Moran		

The Revd J. F. M. Hynes, Revd W. S. Sumott, Revd John Byrne and W. Gerard Gregg were elected Wardens in Coolattin & Clonegall Dispensary District for ensuing year: Revd J. Busher, Revd J. Bennett, Messrs. Charles Gilbert, Richard Doyle, Thomas Carroll & Denis Byrne in Imaheley District: and in the Hacketstown Dispy Dist. Revd J. Gorman, Revd R. Doupe, Revd N. Byrne & Mr. Richd Fenlon.

~~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).~~

On the motion of Major Newton D.L. seconded by Mr. Speares it was resolved:- "That the lists of the Dispensary Committees as revised, constitute the several Committees of Management in this Union for the ensuing year; the time and days of meeting to be the same as last year."

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

No. 12 M/95

Read Letter from the Local Govt Board dated 28th March 95

~~stating that~~

to call attention to their circular of the 21st March '62 relating to the annual appointment of Dispensary Committees and wardens, and to request that the clerk furnish a return of the names of the several Dispensary committees in the Union when appointed.

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 5th day of April 1895.

(*Signed*), D Hopkins

Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 29 day of March 189 5

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

OTHER GUARDIANS—

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
149	The Board of Public Works	Expenses of loan Workhouse Sewerage	3	"	"

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

The following letter was read from Dr. Brady, medical officer of the Coollattin & Clonegall Dispy District viz:-

29 March 1895

"Having been called to see the case of a child in Baltiland named Byrne aged 8 years: The parents said the child had suffered from an eruption for the last month. On examination I found a number of cicatrices and scabs which would lead me to suppose the child had suffered from modified small pox. I consulted the Consulting Sanitary Officer who is of the same opinion as I am. I would recommend that the whole family be isolated & that the usual disinfecting be carried out."

The Board ordered that Byrne and his family be isolated and that Relieving Officer O'Toole warn them not to have any intercourse with other people.

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

No. 1994 22nd March 95

The Local Government Board wrote that the Paymaster General, Dublin Castle, had been authorized to pay the Treasurer of the Union the sum of £19. 10. 0 as the proportion of the actual expenses incurred by the Guardians in the half-year ended 29 Sept. for Salaries of Officers under the Public Health Act. 1878.

No. 2,790 24th March, 1895.

Read letter from the Commissioners of Public Works to state that they had received the recommendation of the Local Government Board for a loan of £450. to the Guardians, and the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury had been pleased to authorize that Board to make the advance, under the Public Health act. to the Sanitary authority for the purpose of improving the Workhouse Sewerage. The loan to be repaid in 30 years with Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent, per annum and would be issued in one instalment.

They requested that the sum of £3 should be lodged to meet expenses.

It was ordered that a cheque be drawn for the amount.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 5th day of April 189 5.

(Signed) D Flop Rus
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 29th day of March 189 5.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Frank Brooke Esq D.L. &c.

Other Members:—

Major G.G. Newton D.L.; Col. J. Braddell D.L. Messrs P. Whelan J.P. R.D. Lawrenson D.L. Louis Montfort D.L. C. Byrne D.L., Wm C. Jones D.L., A. Lawrenson D.L., J. Swan D.L., J.J. Hawkins, R. Lawrenson, R. James, A. Nolehan, R.M. Douse, W. Speares, Jas Moran, W. Kennedy, C. Grange, J.D. Lawrenson, E.A. Tomkins, P.J. Byrne, Aherbourne, W. Hoptkins, J. Hoptkins and A.D. Symes.

Mr. Brown, Solicitor, writing under date 27th March 95, stated that the opposition to the cottage on Hugh Gillespies farm had been withdrawn and that any witnesses who were to have attended to give evidence before the Privy Council, in respect of this cottage, might be countermanded.

The clerk informed the Board that he communicated with the witnesses on receiving this letter, but that two of them did not receive his letter and attended the Inquiry.

Mr. Moody, cottage Rent collector, reported that the following Tenants were in arrear of Rent at 25 March 95. Viz:— Patrick Darcy, Ballynakill, Michael Byrne, Belmount, Richard Ryan, Ellen Connors Redbog, John Nolan, Raheen, Michael Keogh, Ballyedmond John

John Kearney, Ballycdmond & John Nicholson, Coolmenagh.
The Board directed that the several
Tenants be served with notice to Quit.

The clerk mentioned that the existing contract
agreement between Mr. Ramsay, architect, and the Board
did not bind him to carry out the work of the
Schemes now in progress, when it was directed that
Mr. Brown be instructed to prepare a new agreement and
that the clerk communicate with Mr. Ramsay on the
subject.

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Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 5th day of April 1895

Signed, D Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Dollard Printinghouse, Dublin. P.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £ 5036 . 15 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 30 day of March 1895

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	165										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	11										
Fever Sheds												
TOTAL	931	176										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			25	24	34	32	6	4	10	4	11	143
Admitted during the Week -			14		2	1					2	19
Born												
TOTAL,			39	24	36	33	6	4	10	4	13	162
Discharged during the Week -			14		1			1				16
Died - - - - -												
Total Discharged and Dead -			14		1			1				16
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			25	24	35	33	6	3	10	4	13	146

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	44	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	11	In Wards with other Inmates	"
TOTAL,	55	TOTAL,	13

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	12	1	"	13
No. in Workhouse at date	1	1	"	2

No. at corresponding period last year, 154

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30 day of March 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	40	94					Bt. forward						
No. II.	50	65					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 5th day of April 1895.

PRESENT: *In the Chair—* William Spears Esq

Other Guardians:— The Honble H. L. D. Boscawen do, Messrs Ralph D. Laurenson do, Edward J. Byrne and Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3215 *to No.* 3236 *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 22nd March 25 - - - £668 : 9 : 4

Paid during the week same period - - - £262 : 0 : 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was £564 : 5 : 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	20	1	3
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	23	11	.
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	9
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	32

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

340 lb loaves Bread
44 lbs Butter
220 . Beef
60 . Boneless Beef
24 gallons Buttermilk
194 . Sweetmilk
300 Eggs.
1 chest Tea
100 yards linen
1 Piece Striped linsey also
Drugs etc.
Surgical Instruments for Workhouse Medical Officer.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 20 *day of* March 189 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

			£	s.	d.
158	C. O'Neill & Nephew	Nincy	2	14	4
163	Thomas Bassett	Barragon	4	5	.

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

2 Establishment Account.

156	John J. Ellison	Buckets etc	4	14	8
158	C. O'Neill & Nephew	Chambers &c	4	5	10
"	Ditto	Coppers	3	9	.
161	Michael O'Brien	Irons etc.		12	9
"	Michael O'Toole	Conveyance Papers	1	.	.
162	W. Drummond & Sons	Seeds	3	9	.
164	Robert Ellis	Conveyance Papers	2	4	.
165	Richard Fenton	Rent Cottage Plots	2	4	6

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

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8. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
150	Thomas Kenny	Bread etc	114	1	10
151	Eliza Mc Guirk	meat	11	2	8
152	Thomas Doyle	Butter &c	46	4	9
153	Patrick Cullen	meal etc	4	10	1
154	Michael Neill	milk	25	-	4
155	Susan Hopkins	"	43	2	9
156	John J. Ellison	Tobacco &c	20	5	6
157	Laurence Mulligan	Tea &c	22	1	10
158	C. O'Neill & Nephew	Soap &c	11	11	9
159	John Murphy	candles	4	4	.
160	Denis Dempsey	coal	9	4	.
161	Ellen O'Hara	firewood	1	4	.
"	Stephen Geraty	salt &c	1	14	8

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:—

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The Master was authorized to provide the Inmates with a Tea breakfast and meat Dinner, on Easter Sunday same as that supplied at Christmas

It was directed that Thomas Hennessy be informed that he must pay 1/6 a week towards the cost of the maintenance of his child so long as he allows it to remain in the Workhouse.

Dr. King Workhouse Medical Officer, having mentioned that the Fever Hospital nurse was suffering from Influenza, although discharging her duty, the Guardians authorized the Matron to engage a woman as temporary assistant to the nurse during her indisposition.

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

The Master reported that he had sold the oats grown on the Workhouse farm and had lodged the sum of £8. obtained therefor, with the Treasurer of the Union.

He also reported that an Inmate, named Mary Dunne, became so troublesome and insubordinate at Fever Hospital on Wednesday evening last that Dr. King and himself were obliged to remove her therefrom.

Ordered – That Mary Dunne be brought before the Magistrates.

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. 15201 29 March 1895

With reference to the minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 22nd inst. the Local Govt. Board forwarded questions for answers respecting Mr. Michael Dowyer late master of the Workhouse, to whom the Guardians proposed to grant a Superannuation allowance.

No. 15.201 4th April 1895.

Read letter from the Local Government Board to state that they had had before them the minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 22nd ult. containing a further entry relating to the proposal to amalgamate the Male and Female Schools of the Workhouse and to place them in charge of the Schoolmistress; and the

Board desired to state that the arrangement in the Baltinglass Union, to which the Guardians referred, was not identical with the present proposal, inasmuch as there only boys under 9 years of age were placed under the care of the Schoolmistress the other male children being taken charge of and taught by the Master during School hours.

The Board thought it very undesirable that all boys, of whatever age, who might be admitted to the Workhouse, should be placed in charge of a female teacher, and they should ask the Guardians to re-consider the matter.

It was decided that a special meeting be convened to re-consider this matter on the 19th inst.

No. 8642 4th April 1895

The Local Government Board also wrote to call attention to their letter of the 8th Ultimo, relating to the order of the House of Commons for a return showing the remuneration of certain officers in Poor Law Unions, and to request that the Clerk forward the information applied for in regard to the Shillelagh Union as soon as possible.

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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 22

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 120

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was 1

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

Shillelagh *Union.*

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 5 day of April 1895

PRESENT—In the Chair, William Speares Esq

OTHER GUARDIANS,

The Hon^ble H.L.D Boscawen &c

Messrs. Ralph D. Laweison &c, Edward J. Byrne

and Abraham D. Symes.

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

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

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

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

_____Dispensary District.

Account of Mr._____for_____Amount, £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended_____18 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended_____18 .

_____District, - - - £
_____District, - - - £
_____District, - - - £
_____District, - - - £

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____Dispensary District, Mr._____of_____

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

Order dated_____(state subject).

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

Read Letter from W. E. J. Byrne (Hon. Secty) dated 4th April 95 stating that

at the annual meeting of the Imahely and askaReagh Dispensary Committee of Management on 3rd inst. Major Newton D.L. was unanimously appointed chairman. W. W. Taylor Vice chairman and W. E. J. Byrne Hony Secretary for the ensuing year.

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 19th day of April 1895.

(*Signed*), D. Hoskins
Clerk of the Union.

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PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 5 day of April 189 5

PRESENT—In the Chair, William Spears Esq

OTHER GUARDIANS— The Honble Hl. D. Boscawen D.L. Messrs Ralph D. Lawrenson D.L. Edward J. Byrne and Abraham D. Symes

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
166		James De Courcy Repg fountains	2	3	.

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

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

It was resolved to pay James De Courcy Plumber the sum of £2.3.0 for executing repairs to fountains at Carnew. Clonegall and Tinahely Waterworks

Mr. O'Toole, Sub Sanitary Officer, reported that the notices served upon Colonel Tottenham and Henry Ryan requiring them to do certain works at a House in Clonegall in occupation of Edward Kinsella had not been complied with.

The Board ordered that the notices be forwarded to Mr. Brown, Solicitor, with a request that he advise the Board what steps they should take in the matter.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 5th day of April 1895.

PRESENT: In the Chair— William Speares Esq

Other Members:— The Hon.ble H.L.D. Boscawen D.L. Wm. Ralph D. Lawrenson D.L., Edward J. Byrne and Abraham D. Symes.

Wm. Patrick Whelan of Knockaroe Redgh attended before the Board and asked to get back an allotment fenced off his farm about the year 1888. (and which owing to a discrepancy in the maps was not sanctioned by the Land Commission) also to be allowed compensation for the time it had been out of his possession. He would accept £6.

It was decided that Mr. Foley, P.L.G., be written to for an explanation, by this day fortnight, as to why this case was allowed to remain in abeyance so long.

Mr. Moody, collector of Rents of labourers cottages, reported that the kitchen floors of two of the cottages at Kilmacart were completely broken up: Denis Dugley tenant of Curragh cottage had recently died (leaving his widow & sons in occupation) and that Thomas Lyons of Kilmacart had left the cottage in possession of his mother and was gone to live to Dublin.

The Board directed that notice to quit be served

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 19th day of April 1895.

(Signed) D. O'Toole Rms
Clerk of the Union.

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served on Thomas Lyons and Repd of Denis Quigley;
and the question of repairs to the floors of Kilmacart
cottages was referred to the local guardians.

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Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £* 50364 : 15 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 76th day of April 1895

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	80	156										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	15										
Fever Sheds												
TOTAL	130	171										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			25	24	35	33	6	4	10	4	13	146
Admitted during the Week			4	4	1	1			1	1		16
TOTAL,			32	28	36	34	6	4	11	8	13	162
Discharged during the Week			9	4	2	3			1	1		20
Died					1							1
Total Discharged and Dead			9	4	3	3			1	1		21
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			23	24	33	31	6	4	10	4	13	141

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			OBSERVATIONS
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	67	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	15	In Wards with other Inmates	2
TOTAL,	82	TOTAL,	15

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	6	4	3	13
No. in Workhouse at date	"	1	1	2

No. at corresponding period last year, 154

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6 day of April 1895 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.	40/50	97/5				
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No.VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forwd.						

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

No Meeting

~~COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings~~ of the Board of Guardians, ~~at a Meeting~~ held on Friday the 12 day of April 1895

PRESENT: ~~In the Chair—~~

~~Other Guardians:—~~

Being Good Friday.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Lucius Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 19th day of April 1895.

Signed, D. Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	24	: .	: 5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	33	: 4	: 10
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	: 9
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	: 5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	: 35

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 :—

3240 4 lb loaves Bread
44 lbs Butter
270 " Beef
60 " Boneless Beef
24 gallons Buttermilk
194 " Sweetmilk
300 Eggs
5 gallon Whiskey
4 cwt oatmeal
4 " Indian Meal

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 6 day of April 189[illegible] whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	11	5	6
In Kind	.	.	.
Total	£ 11	5	6

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.* £ s. d.

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

2 *Establishment Account.*

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 was ... ...

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

Shillelagh *Union.*

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

No Meeting

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 12th day of April 1895

Being Good Friday

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

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

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

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

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

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

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

_____

_____

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_____

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 19th day of April 18 95

(*Signed*), D. O'Hopkins

Clerk of the Union.

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Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

~~Minutes of Proceedings~~ No Meeting of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, ~~at a Meeting held~~ on Friday the 12 day of April 189 5 being Good Friday.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS—

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

No Meeting

~~MINUTES~~ of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, ~~at a Meeting~~ held on Friday the 12th day of April 1895 - being Good Friday.

~~PRESENT~~ ~~In the Chair~~—

~~Other Members~~—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 19th day of April 1895

(Signed) D. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 19th day of April 1895.

Signed, D. Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13 day of April 1895

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse	887	155
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	17
Fever Sheds		
TOTAL	937	172

	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	23	44	33	31	6	4	10	4	13	141
Admitted during the Week	12	4		1		1		1		19
TOTAL,	35	48	33	32	6	5	10	8	13	160
Discharged during the Week - Died	8	6		1		2		1		18
Total Discharged and Dead	8	6		1		2		1		18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	27	42	33	31	6	3	10	7	13	142

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	65	In separate Wards	13
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	14	In Wards with other Inmates	-
TOTAL,	89	TOTAL,	13

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	10	4	2	16
No. in Workhouse at date	2	.	.	2

No. at corresponding period last year, 148

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13th day of April 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	40	94					Bt. forward						
No. II.	50	65					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 19th *day of* April 1895.

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

Other Guardians:— Wm Spears, Thos Byrne DL, Thos Dowling, Nicholas O'Toole, James Doran, John Lyons, Pierce Butler, Edward J. Byrne, Abraham Leybourne and Abraham D. Symes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3239 *to No.* 3240 *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~~ same *5th April 25.* - - - £ 419 : 0 : 0

Paid during the ~~week~~ same period - - - £ 519 : 1 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favor *the Guardians was* £ 125 : 4 : 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	24	18	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	32	16	8
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	9
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	32

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 :—

350 4 lb Loaves Bread
44 lbs Butter
200 . Beef
50 . Boneless Beef
24 gallons Buttermilk
193 . Sweetmilk
300 Eggs
12 Dozen lbs Dipt Candles
8 cwt Sugar

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 13 *day of* April 189 5 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money	10	13	0
In Kind			
Total	10	13	0

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

			£	s.	d.

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

2 *Establishment Account.*

			£	s.	d.
1	Edward Doran	Lime		18	6
"	Richard Johnson	Horse-work	2	2	6
"	James Gray	Mason		4	.
2	John Hopkins	Salary	10	.	"
"	Ditto	Dispht. cot. Disp Witnesses	4	1	"
3	Patrick Whelan	" Compensation for Ht	6	.	"

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

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8. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
1	Ellen O'Hara	Jurewood	1	14	.

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

4 *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

4	Michael O'Toole	on q/c	30	.	.
5	Robert Ellis	.	25	.	.

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

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

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

The clerk was requested to write to Owen Balfe. Convent and inform him that the Board would require him to pay for the maintenance of his wife during the time she remains in the Workhouse.

Ellen Conroy and Thomas Conroy Schoolchildren were granted outfits of clothing on going out to service: An Inmate named Mary Byrne was allowed a pair of boots on leaving the Workhouse

It was ordered that Thomas Dowse contractor, be informed that there were many repairs required to be done at Workhouse buildings and that the Board expected to see them completed by that day week.

Margaret Moore, Shillelagh, was ~~allowed~~ permitted to attend Divine Service in the Workhouse chapel, subject to the approval of the chaplain.

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

The Master reported that he prosecuted the inmate, Mary Dunne, in accordance with the order of the Board, on Saturday the 6th inst. when the presiding magistrates sent her to Jail for fourteen days.

The Master was authorized to employ James Gray to remove boarding in Surgery at Fever Hospital etc. in order to have the sewers cleaned.

A grate was directed to be ordered for the female ward in Fever Hospital.

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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. 17,153/95 11th April 1895.

The Local Government Board wrote to acknowledge receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting Mr. Michael Dwyer, late Master of the Workhouse, to whom the Guardians propose to grant a Superannuation allowance, and requested to be furnished with a detailed statement showing the weekly value of the rations included in the item "other emoluments" in answer to query 4.

No. 52-M/95- Miscellaneous 4 April 95

Read circular letter from the Local Govt Board requesting a return respecting the rates made and agreed upon in the Union during the three months ended 31st March 95.

No. 26-M 95 9th April 95

A further letter was read from the Local Govt

Board forwarding extracts from the Merchant Shipping act 1894. on the following subjects viz:—

(I) Apprenticeship of boys to the Sea Service.
(II) Reimbursement to Unions of the cost of relief to Seamen's families
(III) Destitute Seamen, and
(IV) Exemption of Lighthouses, &c from rates.

Dr. King, Workhouse Medical Officer applied for one week's leave of absence, and stated that Dr. Brady would do his duty without expense to the Board.

The Guardians acceded to the application.

It was resolved to pay Esther Doran 1/- per day, for eight days, for assisting the Fever Hospital Nurse while suffering from Influenza.

The Board unanimously agreed to allow Margaret Kennedy of Carnew and her children the sum of £2.10.0 for the purpose of assisting to defray the expenses of their Emigration to America for which they desire the consent of the Local Govt. Board

A tender was accepted from Joseph Cahell for the purchase of Jute rags at 7/- per cwt and 1/6 per cwt for inferior.

The Board, being specially convened, proceeded to consider the letter of the Local Government Board, on the subject of the amalgamation of the Workhouse Male and Female Schools.

After some discussion Mr. R. O Toole proposed:— "That the Male and Female Schools of the Workhouse be not amalgamated under one Teacher."

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This was not seconded.

Wm. E. J. Byrne then moved and Wm. Symes seconded — That we adhere to our resolution of the 15th of March last relative to the Workhouse Schools.

Wm. Byrne's motion was put by the chairman and passed unanimously — Wm. O'Toole dissenting.

Copy of a resolution passed by the Bandon Board of Guardians was read as follows:— That as the Pasteur System for the treatment of Hydrophid Has been tested by an experience of several years, and found to be markedly successful, and as owing to the absence of any institution where the treatment can be obtained in this country. Patients Have now to be sent to Paris at large expense and often at great personal inconvenience, we are of opinion that the time has come when a Pasteur Institute should be established in Dublin; and we request the Local Government Board to take such steps as may be necessary to meet so grave a public requirement."

The adoption of the resolution by this Board was proposed by Wm. Speares and seconded by Wm. O'Toole and carried unanimously.

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 ... ... "

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 120

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

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

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

Shillelagh Union.

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 19 day of April 1895.

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

OTHER GUARDIANS,

Messrs. Edward Byrne J.P.

Wm Speares, James Moran, T. Dowling, W. O'Toole

Thos. P. Butler, E. J. Byrne, A. Keyborne, & A. D. Symes.

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

That the Requisitions be forwarded to the Contractors.

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

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

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

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

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

It was proposed by Mr. Lyons, seconded by Mr. Butler, and passed, nem con — "That Mr. James P. Healy, Hacketstown, be elected a member of the Hacketstown & Coolkenno Dispensary committee of management in room of the Hon^ble R.S. Stopford D.C., 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 from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from Mr Brown Solicitor dated 14 april 95 stating that Messrs Hayes & Son, Solicitors, for the Lessor, had consented that the Lease re medical officers Residence Hacketstown should commence to run from the 29 Sept 95.

The Lease was then executed by the Board and directed to be forwarded to Mr. Brown for stamping.

No. 50 - M/95 - Miscellaneous 8th April 95

Read circular letter from the Local Govt. Board requesting to be furnished with a return showing the expenses incurred in the Union for Medical & Educational purposes during the half-year ended the 25th of March last.

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

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

Hacketstown & Coolkenno

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

That the parents be warned by the relieving officers.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 26th day of April 1895.

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

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Shillelagh Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 19 day of April 189 5.

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

OTHER GUARDIANS— Messrs. D. Byrne P., Wm Spears, J. Moran, T. Dowling, N. Poole, J. Lyons, P. Butler, D. J. Byrne, A. Heybourne and A. D. Symes.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Hacketstown	D. L. Whelan	Open drain	Drain of filthy water running under the windows of Denis O'Brien's dwelling ho at Crosin

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

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

No 51 – M 95 Miscellaneous 9th April 95

A circular letter was read from the Local Government Board calling for a return showing the amounts which had been paid as Salaries to the Sanitary officers of the District for the half-year ended the 25th of March last.

No. 27 - M-95 9th April 95

The Local Government Board also wrote forwarding for the information of the Sanitary Authority, extracts from the Merchant Shipping act 1894 on the following subjects; –

(I) Bye Laws relating to Seamen's Lodging Houses, and
(II) Exemption of Lighthouses &c. from rates.

With reference to the notices served upon Colonel Tottenham & Henry Ryan requiring them to do certain works in order to put a cottage in Kilonegal in a Sanitary condition. Mr. Brown, Solicitor, stated that if Mr. Ryan was the immediate landlord it would appear to him that he (Ryan) was the proper person to proceed against. On hearing whether Mr. Ryan held by lease, by Statutory tenancy or otherwise he would, if required, send form of Summons.

It was directed that the clerk instruct Mr. Brown to institute proceedings against Mr. Ryan.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 26th day of April 189 5.

(Signed) J. D'Ofy Rins
Clerk of the Union.

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Shillelagh UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 19th day of April 189 5.

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

Other Members:—

Messrs E. Byrne J.P., Wm. Speares, James Moran, Thomas Dowling, Nicholas O'Toole, John Lyons, Pierce Butler, Edward J. Byrne, Abraham Reybourne and Abraham D. Symes.

Referring to the clerks letter as to an agreement for work under present and future schemes W. Ramsay, architect, wrote that he could not undertake them at the price he got for the former lot of cottages - viz:- £1:10:0 each. That price was for a large number in same localities at once, with a good deal of the preliminary work already done by his predecessor. The new schemes comprised only a few cottages at one time and those widely scattered over nearly all parts of the Union. and the time & cost of visiting one cottage would be the same as that of visiting a number together. He asked the Board to allow him £5.5.0 per cottage for the work, including mapping leases and deeds.

The Board resolved to offer W. Ramsay the following terms for his services re labourers cottages:- £3 for each cottage completed; 10/- per site for marking and valueing plots; 10/- for making enlarged maps of each

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cottage: £1:1:0 for attendance at local or other inquiries and travelling expenses. The ordnance sheets to be supplied by the Board.

Writing with reference to the plot fenced off Patrick Whelan's holding in Knocknarkeagh M. Foley C.E. stated that he could add nothing to the information already in the possession of the Board. Every attempt made to get it sanctioned by the Land Commission owing to Mr. Berry's blunders proved a failure. He thought the compensation of £6. claimed by the occupier moderate and reasonable.

The Board agreed to pay Patrick Whelan £6. as compensation in this case, and to restore him the plot.

The clerk was directed to write to Mr. Brown Solicitor, and ask him to hasten on the preliminaries relative to labourers cottages under Scheme No 3. as the Board are anxious to commence building in May.

It was agreed that a cheque be drawn in favor of the clerk for the sum of £4:1:0 for expenses of five witnesses attending at the Council Chamber, Dublin Castle, on 26th March last relative to opposed sites of labourers cottages.

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Jas. B. Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 26 day of April 189 8.

Signed, J. Hop Kirwan
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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