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At a Meeting of the
Hacketstown Coalkeeper
Dispensary Committee
held at Hacketstown
26 May 87.
Wm Murphy Esq chairman
in the chair.

The following officers were
elected for the ensuing year

Lord Rathdonnell Chairman
Wm Murphy Esq Vice Chairman
Wm E Jones Hon Sec

William E Jones
Hon Sec

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Mrs

Murphy Ann Feb 1879
admitted Mad Ho
Expenses medical £1 80
to July 1879

Refund to Board 7th Aug
bill of £1 4 0 rec'd
paid Jno Lennon
to admission to Asylum
and also Ch Commissioners
Inspection £2 4 0 in the
Dept

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Charlestown
April 22
1867

To the
Board of Guardians
Shillelagh Union

Sir I Make an application
before the Board for
allowance of out door
Relief as D. King

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has sent me out for
the Change of air Blanket
my Request be granted
I shall return the Guardians
many thanks gentlemen
the reason of me Looking
for Relief is I have no
means of Supporting myself
while I am out

yours very truly

James Downes

Dr King Coroner
on this case held
with J.B.
22nd April 87

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Dr Kingsbridge
on this case next
week J.B.
22nd April 87

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Shillelagh Union.

NOTICE OF ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING.

Sir,—

You are hereby informed that the next Ordinary Meeting of the Board of Guardians of the Poor of the Shillelagh Union will be held at Shillelagh on Friday, the 20th day of May, 1887, at 12.30 o'clock, p.m., to take into consideration the area of charge for cost of Tinahely Water Supply; which Meeting you are requested to attend.

Signed this 6th day of May, 1887.

B. HOPKINS,
Clerk of Union.

To _____

Guardian of the Poor of Shillelagh Union.

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SHILLELAGH UNION.

DIETARY FOR THE SICK.

Class	DIET CLASS.	BREAKFAST.	DINNER.	SUPPER.
2	I. Adults. II. Children from 9 to 15. III. do. from 2 to 9.	4oz. Bread and 3 Pints Mixed Milk daily. 4 do.	1½ do. 1½ do.	—
3	I. Adults.	7 oz of Oat and Indian Meal, and 2 nags. Sweet Milk.	12 oz. White Bread, and 4 nags. Sweet Milk,	—
	II. Children from 9 to 15.	5 oz of Oat and Indian Meal, and 2 nags. Sweet Milk.	8 oz White Bread, and 4 nags. Sweet Milk.	—
	III. do. „ 2 to 9.	4 oz. of Oat and Indian Meal, and 2 nags. Sweet Milk,	6 oz White Bread, and 4 nags. Sweet Milk.	—
	IV. Infants.	12 oz White Bread, and 6 nags. Sweet Milk daily,		—
4	I. Adults.	8 oz. Bread, and 4 nags, S. Milk.	12 oz. White Bread, 6 oz. Meat, and 2 nags. Sweet Milk	—
	II. Children from 9 to 15.	6 oz. Bread, and 4 nags, S. Milk.	8 oz. White Bread, 4 oz. Meat, and 2 nags. Sweet Milk	—
	III. do. „ 2 to 5.	4 oz. Bread, and 2 nags, S. Milk,	6 oz. White Bread, 4 oz. Meat, and 2 nags. Sweet Milk	—
5	Adults.	6 oz. W Bread, ⅛ oz. Tea, ½ oz. Sugar	12 oz. White Bread. 4 oz. Meat, and 4 nags. Sweet Milk	—
	Children.	6 oz. W Bread, do.	do. do.	—
6	Adults.	6 oz. W Bread, ⅛ oz. Tea, ½ oz. Sugar	12 oz. Bread, 12 oz. Meat, and 4 nags. Sweet Milk.	8 oz. Bread, and 4 nags. S. Milk.

By Order,

September 3rd, 1875.

B. HOPKINS, Clerk of Union.

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To the Chairman
of
Shillelagh Poor Law Board.

We, the undersigned, respectfully invite the attention of your Board to the great want of Water, for human use, in Kilpriggan, and earnestly solicit and make Application to your Board to erect a Pump in the Village. — The dearth of water, especially in Warm Weather, is sufficient to produce Epidemics among the inhabitants, who number more than 100 persons. We confidently hope that your Board will favourably entertain this Application.

William Byrne P.P.

Patrick Byrne P.P.G.
James R. Hall
J. Martin [redacted]
Pat[k] McGuire
Laurence Byrne
Thomas Thorpe
Thomas Fallon
William Creagh N. Teacher.

Committee appointed to report by this day week

Mr Martin
Mr Byrne
Mr Thorpe
Mr Fallon

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Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of April 1887

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	196
Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse	50	1
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds		
Total	931	197

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 9 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls			
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	17	46	35	35	14	15	16	7	9	195
Admitted during the Week,	14	6	2		1	2	1			26
TOTAL	31	52	40	35	15	15	17	7	9	221
Discharged during the Week,	14	4	4		1		1			24
Died,										
Total Discharged and Dead,	14	4	4		1		1			24
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	17	48	36	35	14	15	16	7	9	197

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 49 / Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 1 — Total 50	In separate Wards, 16 / In Wards with other Inmates, — — Total 16	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	14	5	2	21
No. in Workhouse at date	5	1	1	7

No. at corresponding period last year, 229

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16th day of April 1887 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.	21	29				
No. II.	33	54				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 22nd *day of* April 1887

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Francis J. Brooke Esq D.L. V.C.

Other Guardians:— Honble Hugh L. C. Boscawen J.P., Mrs E. E. Newton J.P., Ralph D. Lawrenson J.P., Edward Byrne, Patrick Byrne and Joseph Hopkins,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 398 *to No.* 449 *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. 0 *to No.* 0 *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 - - - - - £ 0 " 3 " 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 104 " 15 " 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 867 " 11 " 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	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 for the entire Union.

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

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,*	42	1	8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	27	16	2
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	5½
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	0

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

365 4 lb. Loaves of Bread
20 lbs Butter
64 Eggs
237 lbs Beef
10 lbs Mutton
46 Gallons Buttermilk
176 Gallons Sweetmilk

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 16th *day of* April 188 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	4	15	6
In Kind,			
Total,	£ 4.	15	6

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

		£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

				£	s.	d.
1	Dr Francis M Brady	Registration fees		2	4	0
2	Dr Richard Croly	Same		1	18	0
3	Anne Kehoe	Swine fever	1.5.0			
4	Michael Healy	Same	14-0			
5	John Doran	Load limit	1.1.0	3	3	0

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.
4	Samuel Correll	on a/c	20	0	0
5	Robert Ellis	Same	20	0	0

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 Correll, Relieving Officer, applied for and was granted leave of absence for three days from Wednesday next. Mr Bowyer and Mr Ellis to do his duty.

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

"I have to report that I bought a load of lime for whitewashing purposes from John Moran for £11-1-0 on the 20th Inst."

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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 12,946 1887 – Miscellaneous 20th April 1887

Circular Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland, adverting to their Circular letter of the 29th of October last forwarding for the information of the Guardians copies of some suggestions made by Mr Charles Whitehead F.L.S. F.G.S. for dealing with the Hessian Fly, and to enclose therewith to be laid before the Guardians a copy of a notice which has been issued by the Agricultural Department of the Privy Council Office, London to County Local Authorities in Great Britain, calling attention to the discovery of the pupa cases of the insect mentioned among the light grains & refuse from threshing machines, & upon imported Straw.

A letter was read from Mr Farmer, Revising Valuator, as follows viz:—

In compliance with the wish of the Guardians I shall attend at—

Tuahelly – Thursday 28th Instant
Hacketstown – Friday 29th —
Clonegall – Saturday 30th —

With regard to the foregoing Communication the Clerk was directed to have Handbills printed & posted in the places specified by Mr Farmer as soon as possible

A proposal in writing was read from Mr Doyle of Ardoyne to supply the Workhouse with 4 Tons of good dry Oaten Straw at 1/9 per Cwt. which was accepted.

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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 42

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 54

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)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 22nd day of April 1887

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

OTHER GUARDIANS. Hon^ble Hugh L-t B^rc^ Brabazon M.P.

Mess^rs G. G. Newton, Ralph D. Lawrenson J.P. Edward Byrne, Patrick Byrne and Joseph Hopkins

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

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

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

No. 4422/87 16th March 1887

Circular Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland, with reference to Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of Shillelagh union on the 28th January last: And request that they may be informed whether the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Hacketstown & Corkanno Tinahely and Askanagh Dispensary Districts have since complied with the Law.

With reference to the subject of the foregoing letter the Relieving Officers were directed to report thereon

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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*]:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 29th
day of April 1887.

Signed, Jas Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Fran Brooke
Chairman

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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 22nd day of April 1887.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Wm Francis Y Brooke Esq D.L. V.L.

Other Members:—

Hon^ble Hugh L W.S. Boscawen L.P.
Thos^s G. Newton L.P. Ralph A. Laurenson L.P. Edward Byrne
Patrick Byrne and Joseph Hopkins

A printed list received from the Land Commission Court was read to state the hearing of Cases under the Labourers (Irland) Acts in this Union will be commenced at Shillelagh on the 9th May 1887 at 1 O' Clock.

The Clerk was directed to transmit same to Mr Brown Solicitor, for his information and guidance.
No 15,606 Miscellaneous 19th April 87

Circular letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland, addressed to the Clerk, to inform him that an Order has been made by the House of Commons for a Return showing the working of the Labourers (Irland) Acts, the number of Cottages erected, and the expenses in connection therewith up to the 31st March 1887; and with a view to the required Return being presented, and to request that he will be so good as to furnish on the enclosed form the particulars asked for so far as they relate to this Union.

Your Special attention is invited to the instructions printed at the foot of the form.

The Return should be prepared & forwarded with the least possible delay.

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A letter was read from Mr. Brown, Solicitor, as follows viz:—

"I am in receipt of your letter of 18th Inst. and have written a pressing letter to the Secretary of the Land Commission on the subject. A valuer will certainly be required to give evidence ~~=~~ ~~to~~ the Land Court respecting the lands required and I understood that Mr. Berry the Engineer of the Board was prepared to give evidence upon the subject."

The Board agreed to approve of Mr. Berry, Engineer, to give evidence, as mentioned in the foregoing letter, as Valuer, to the Land Court, and direct the Clerk to inform Mr. Brown of same; and also request him to be good enough to communicate with the Engineer on the subject and state the said Court is fixed to be held at Shillelagh on the 9th May next at 1 O' clock

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Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 29th day of April 1887

(Signed) Bus Hopkins

Executive Sanitary Officer.

Frank Brooke

Chairman

Shillelagh UNION.

pulation in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £*

TATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of April 1887

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	190										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	3										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	931	193										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			14	48	36	35	14	15	16	4	9	194
Admitted during the Week,			31	4	1		2			1	1	39
Born during the week												
TOTAL			48	52	39	35	16	15	16	8	10	234
Discharged during the Week,			30	8		2	2	1		1		44
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			30	8		2	2	1		1		44
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			18	44	39	33	14	14	16	4	10	193

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	52	In separate Wards,	16
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates,	"
TOTAL,	55	TOTAL,	16

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	40	4	3	47
No. in Workhouse at date	3	"	"	3

No. at corresponding period last year, 215

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of April 1887 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.	21	29					Bt. forward,						
No. II.	33	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.						
Br. forward,							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 29th *day of* April 1887

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Francis C. Brooke Esq J.P. V.C.

Other Guardians:— Mrs C.C. Newton J.P., Phillips Newton J.P., Ralph D. Laurenson J.P., Louis Montpetit, Edward Byrne J.P., Robert Taylor, Thomas F. Hackins Richard James, Peter Foley, Geo Conkins, Nicholas C. Cook, Pierce Butler, John Lyons, Edward Byrne, Patrick Byrne, Joseph Hopkins, John Kelly, Andrew Wolohan, Chas Dowling, Edward Grange and Peter Walker

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 441 *to No.* 494 *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 Notice of motion given by Mr. O. Toole four weeks ago was presented to the Board as follows, viz:—

'I hereby give notice of motion to move on this day four weeks for an explanation upon the Returning Officer of how the mistake occurred in sending out Voting Papers to Mr. Edwd. Kealy of Hacketstown, on the occasion of the late Election for Poor Law Guardians for that Division, when it afterwards was made to appear that that gentleman was actually in arrears in the sum of five Shillings, as was afterwards shown by Rate Collector Moody during the Scrutiny, and, as a consequence, Mr. Kealy was deprived of his votes. I will require to know exactly if the Rate Collector marked out these Arrears of Mr Kealy's to the Clerk before the Voting Papers were issued as the Collector was bound to do, and thereby mark the name in Arrears, as was done in the Case of James Neill and James Byrne. I will then on that day move a resolution on the subject for the information of the Local Government Board.'

With reference to the foregoing Notice the Clerk as Returning Officer gave an explanation which the Board considered Satisfactory as follows, viz:—

I carefully examined List of Votes assisted by the Collector when a small Arrear of Rate (6/4½) appeared returned uncollected by the late Hugh Neill Collector from Mr. E. Kealy of Hacketstown, as Immediate Lessor, which I considered might have been an omission of the said late Collector to receive, and the present Collector Wm. Moody expressed his belief that Mr. Kealy would pay the small Arrear in question when applied to by him, Under these circumstances I did not deem it advisable to withhold Voting Papers in this Case, + the votes on same in the opinion of my Assessor Mr. Sherlock Q.C. might have been allowed only for the evidence of the Collector at the Counting of the Votes that Mr. Kealy refused to pay them the said Small Arrear of rate when applied for subsequently to the examination of the Voters list.

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week - - - - - £ 199. 0. 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 130. 7. 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 946. 4. 0

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.*	20	3	1
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	24	14	1
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	0

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

373 4 lbs Loaves of Bread
21 lbs Butter
56 Eggs
237 lbs Beef
10 lbs Mutton
46 Gallons Buttermilk
148 do Sweetmilk
4 Cwt. Soap
60 Yards Tweed
1 Piece Calico

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 23rd *day of* April 188 7 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	4	15	6
In Kind,			
Total,	£ 4	15	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	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.
4	John Driver	Swine Fever	4	0	0
8	Patrick Broughan	Swine Fever 2. 5. 0			
8	Benj. Hopkins	Cattle Plague 2 0 0	4	5	0
9	William Pollard	Swine Fever	4	10	0

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.
6	Eliza Mc Gurk	Meat Supplied	11	19	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 :—

A letter addressed to the Clerk was read on the last Board day from Wm Erwin, Rate Collector, & considered satisfactory relative to the complaint of a receipt for Poor Rate given by mistake to the Revd Wm Lahan Aghowle & P. as follows, viz:-

"In answer to your letter of the 18th Inst. I beg to state that I did in error fill up and give a wrong receipt to William Lahan of Cromlea instead of William Lahan of Aghowle. There being two men of the same name it was a mere inadvertance and I shall be more cautious in future."

The Medical Officer, Dr King, wrote in his Journal as follows viz :—

"I beg to state that I consider that James White should be supplied with a special truss suitable to his case. He is suffering from Hernia"

"Also that an elastic Stocking should be procured for Edward Byrne, both are inmates of the House."

Ordered to be procured

The Clerk was directed to invite Tenders to be considered on this day fortnight to supply the Workhouse with Bread, Meat, Oatmeal, India Meal & Butter for 3 months from the 17th proxims. Contracts expiring on that date.

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

The Master was directed by the Board to have some alterations made in the Infirmary Nurse's room which was recommended by the Members of the Visiting Committee, viz- The building up of one door way, and opening out another, as it will afford more room for patients at a small cost.

With reference to the case of Mr Edward Kealy in regard to the non-payment of arrear of rate mentioned by Mr O'Toole the Clerk was directed to write to the Collector William Moody to attend the next Meeting of the Board.

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

The Board agreed to direct the Clerk to write to ask Dr. Toomey to be good enough to inform them whether a decree has been issued in the case of John Hannon for Seed Rate & also apply to the Clerk of the Peace if such has been obtained.

The Matron Mrs. Corrigan, applied to the Board for some remuneration for extra services for the month she was in charge of the Infirmary owing to the resignation of one of the Nurses and removal of the other to the Fever Hospital

Mr. Newth. Major handed in the following Notice of Motion to be considered on this day fortnight, viz.

I propose that Mrs. Corrigan should get £1-5-0 as remuneration for the time she acted as Nurse - or some other Guardian for me

29/4/87 G.G. Newton

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 12.946/87 25th April 1887

Circular read from the Local Government Board for Ireland to forward for the information of the Board of Guardians a copy of a Notice which has been issued by the Agricultural Department of the Privy Council office London, relative to the appearance of the pupa cases of the Hessian Fly"

No 58. M/87 Miscellaneous. 22nd April 1887

From same Circular read relative to the mode of payments to Clerks of Unions & Poor Rate Collectors as compensation for duties imposed on them by the Parliamentary Voters Acts.

No 16.942. 1887 26th April 1887

From same letter read to acknowledge the receipt of the resolution of the Board of Guardians of this Union of the 15th Inst. proposing to allow a sum of money to

the Clerk of the Union to enable him to procure assistance in carrying out the provisions of the Parliamentary Voters Acts in the present year; and I am to state that the Local Government Board consider that the proper time for deciding on the amount of remuneration to be allowed for the purpose referred to, would be when the services have been discharged for which the remuneration is to be allowed.

Mr Butler read his Notice of Motion as follows viz.

"I hereby give Notice of Motion to rescind the resolution regulating the quantity of Sugar allowed to each Pauper at present viz. one half ounce to each and that we double said amount from henceforward"

It was proposed by Mr. P. Newton J.P. & seconded by Mr. Lawrenson J.P. that an allowance of half as much Sugar more be given to the Inmates on Tea diet which on the opinion of the Medical Officer was withdrawn & Mr Butlers proposition was unanimously adopted and the sanction of the Local Government Board requested for same.

Mr. Lyons gave his Notice of Motion as follows viz:—

"I hereby give Notice of Motion to move on this day four weeks for a Return from the Clerk of all persons owing Seed Rate, with a view to move a resolution either to proceed for the recovery of same by process of law or have the item removed from the Rate-book as irrecoverable as it appears from the late Scrutiny of Votes for the Electoral Division of Hacketstown that Charles Kavanagh lost his votes by reason of the Seed Rate, for which a tenant of his named John Hannon was liable but failed to pay, although John Hannon is an owner of property in Hacketstown, and was allowed votes in respect for said property."

The Clerk as Returning Officer gave the following explanation viz:— With regard to the votes on the paper of Charles Kavanagh my Assessor ruled such he not determined unless it showed effect the Return and in that event to allow the votes

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We the committee appointed to take Stock of Provisions & Clothing for the half-year ended 25th March 1887, recommend the following Articles of Clothing to be condemned as unfit for Clothing use. (Signed) Patrick Byrne, Joseph Hopkins } Poor Law Guardians
Benjn Hopkins. Clerk of Union

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Bedding	Mens Clothing	Womens Clothing	Boys Clothing	Girls Clothg
73 Sheets	9 Trowsers	21 Gowns	19 Coats	36 Frocks
37 Blankets	22 Shirts	50 Petticoats	16 Waistcoats	9 Petticoats
14 Rugs	5 Shoes	49 Shifts	18 Trowsers	35 Shifts
9 Bedticks	17 Stockings	89 Aprons	14 Shirts	69 Aprons
12 Bolsters	1 Flannel Vest	26 Handkerchiefs	8 Shoes	23 Shoes
		22 Shoes	17 Stockings	37 Stockings
		31 Stockings	12 Hats	
		16 Caps		
		1 Flannel Vest		

It was proposed by Major Newton seconded by Mr Taylor & resolved that the foregoing resolution be adopted, & that the undermentioned utensils used up in the house be struck off the Workhouse Books viz.

80 Brushes. 2 Mats. 2 Fire irons. 3 Coal Boxes. 6 Saucepans. 3 Frying pans. 2 Table covers. 4 Candlesticks, 4 Kettles. 4 Shovels. 200 Tins. 6 Dishes & Plates. 2 Gallons 3 Jugs, 6 Buckets. 4 Cans. 6 Towels. 3 Forks, 30 chambers. 2 Spades. 6 Basins, 4 Jugs & Bowls & 3 Tea pots.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

Shillelagh UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 29th day of April 1887

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts.

Present—In the Chair, Francis L Brooke Esq DL JP.

Other Guardians. Mrs E L Newton JP, Phillips Newton JP, Ralph A Lawrenson JP, Louis Montfort JP, Edward Byrne, Robert Taylor, Thos H Haskins, Richard Lamey, Peter Foley, Jere Tomkins, Nicholas Toole Purce Butler, John Lyons, Edward Byrne, Patrick Byrne, Joseph Hopkins John Kelly, Andrew Nolohan, Thomas Dowling, Edward Grange & Peter Dallon

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

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

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

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

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

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

The following letter was read from Mr. O'Toole Honorary Secretary of the Hacketstown & Coolkenno Dispensary Committee viz.

"April 28th 1880

Mr. Murphy called the attention of the Committee to the fact of his having paid for advertising for a Medical Officer by instructions of the Committee on 3rd Feby 1879 and for which he holds receipts and requests payment also the payment of incidental expenses to the amount of £1-8-0 while acting as Hon Sec" vide Meeting of the Committee of 21st July 1879 on the motion of Mr. Jones seconded by Mr. Lyons the Committee recommended payment should the Local Government allow it"

(Signed) Nicholas O'Toole
Hon Secty

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

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

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

Read Letter from The Local Government Board for Ireland dated 23rd April 1887

No 16945 1887 stating that—

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland stating they have had before them the Minutes of the Board of Guardians of this Union on the 15th Instant, containing an entry of their letter of the 7th Instant, relating to the report of their Inspector, Dr Burke, upon his recent inspection of the several Dispensary Districts upon which no order appears to have been made by the Guardians; and the Board request that the matter may receive the consideration of the Guardians.

The Board postponed consideration of the subject of the foregoing letter to the next meeting of the Board.

No 16626 1887 28th April 1887

From same letter read transmitting copy of a communication which they have received from the Honorary Secretary of the Coollattin & Lonegal Dispensary Committee, relative to the appointment of Dr Brady as temporary Medical Officer of the District, and the Board request that they may be furnished with the Guardians observations on the subject.

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

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

Copy of Letter referred to as follows viz

Coollattin & Lonegal Dispensary Committee. Ballykelly

To the Secretary The Local Government Bd. Shillelagh Co Wicklow

Sir I beg to inform you that Dr F. J. Brady was appointed locum tenens Medical Officer of the above Dispensaries on 4th March 1887 at a remuneration of £3.3.0 per week from said date pending his appointment being sanctioned by you.

I am Sir your obedt Servt.

Thos D Lawlenson Hon Secty

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

With reference to the subject of the foregoing Communication the Guardians unanimously agreed as follows viz:—

"That Dr Brady be paid at the rate of £3.3.0 per week from the 4th day of March 1887 to the 23rd of same month and desire the sanction of the Local Government Board for same."

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]:—

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Letter read from Mr Berry. Architect, as follows, dated 27th Inst. viz

"I have received a Notice from Mr Brown to attend in Shillelagh upon Monday 9th May before the Land Commission I therefore propose to attend the Board upon the 6th May in reference to this and also to the Tinahely Water Works.

(Signed) Joseph Berry"

Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 6th day of May 188 7

Signed, Bury Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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 April 1887

PRESENT: In the Chair— Francis W. Brooke Esqr J.P. V.L.

Other Members:—

Messrs George L. Newton J.P., Phillips Newton J.P., Ralph A. Lawrenson J.P. Louis Montfort J.P., Edward Byrne J.P., Robert Taylor, Thomas H. Haskins, Richard James, Peter Foley, Coe Tomkins, N. C. Cook, Pierce Butter, John Lyons, Edward Byrne, Patk Byrne, Joseph Hopkins John Kelly, Andrew Wolohan, Thomas Dowling, Edward Grange and Peter Dillon.

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Shillelagh UNION.

ulation in 1881— Present Net Annual Value, £

ATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of April 1887

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	202
Temporary Buildings,...		
Additional Workhouse...		
Permanent Fever Hospital...	50	3
Fever Sheds...		
Total,...	931	205

	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.	~~46~~ 18	44	34	33	14	14	16	7	10	193
Admitted during the Week,	46	10	1	1	1	5	3	1	1	69
TOTAL	64	54	35	34	15	19	19	8	11	262
Discharged during the Week,	43	6		2	1	1	2		2	57
Died,										
Total Discharged and Dead,	43	6		2	1	1	2		2	57
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	21	48	35	32	14	18	17	8	9	205

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 52; Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 3; TOTAL 55	In separate Wards, 16; In Wards with other Inmates, 0; TOTAL 16	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	38	4	10	52
No. in Workhouse at date	3	2	4	9

No. at corresponding period last year, 224

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of April 1887 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	24	29				
No. II.	33	54				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 6th day of May 1887

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

Other Guardians:— Messrs Ralph A. Lawrenson D.L., Thos. S. De Lacy D.L., Edward Byrne D.L., Robert Taylor, Ralph Lawrenson, Nicholas O'Toole, Edward Byrne, Joseph Hopkins, Richard M. Dowse and Thomas O. Lawrenson

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 6th day of April 1887

(Signed) Jury Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 495 *to No.* 541 *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 - - - - - £ 184. 1. 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 75. 4. 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 1054. 19. 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 Rate Hugh Neill & Denis Doyle Rate Collectors Cheque Books accounts which the Guardians agreed to as printed. V

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Division arranged for Collectors' districts	Rates Uncollected last week	Rates Uncollected due	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and not lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
Hugh Neill	Kinnan			358	9 18 3	24 14 7
	Hacketstown		1 9 2 8 6		6 4 3	8 13 4
	Ballydonagh		4 11 4		8 4 9	19 18 10
			21 7 5 8		24 7 3	53 6 9
Denis Doyle	Moneylea			149 5 5.		10.
	Rath			145 4 8.		2 2 7.
	Tomdeely			104 17 6.		1 1 5.
	Killinure			165 10 6.		9 14 7.
	Aghowle			138 14 7.		3 3.
				703 12 8	" " "	13 5 8.

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	20	17	0
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	28	4	7
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	0

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

339. 4 lbs Loaves of Bread
22 lbs Butter
2 lbs Tobacco
240 lbs Beef
10 lbs Mutton
50 Gallons Buttermilk
184 Do. Sweetmilk
1 Box Dipt Candles
1 Piece Linen

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 30th *day of* April 188 7 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	4	17	0
In Kind,	"	"	"
Total,	£ 4	17	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.
10	Mary Doyle	Straw Supplied		6	7	9
11	Jane Doyle	Cooperage	- 16 - 6			
"	Matthew Murray	Shoenails	2 3 - 4	2	19	10
12	Mary Carroll	Salary as Nurse		2	1	11
13	Kate Kenny	Same Fever	2 - 0 - 0			
"	Laurence Brenghan	Same	- 13 - 0	2	13	0

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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

The Master was directed to supply a suit of Clothes to a ~~child~~ girl named Mary Byrne, at Nurse on Out-Door Relief; and is now of age for a situation

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

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

No 18651/87

2nd May 1887

Letter addressed to the Returning Officer was read from the Local Government Board for Ireland to transmit herewith a communication which they have received from Messrs Wm & Jones and George L Hopkins objecting to the recent Election of Guardians for the Hacketstown Electoral Division; and the Board request to be furnished with his observations thereon.

The Rate Collector, William Moody, attended, as requested, before the Board respecting a complaint of not having applied for an Arrear of Rate to Mr Kealy of Hacketstown; when Mr Kealy made no appearance, and the Guardians considered there appeared to be no grounds for Complaint against the Collector.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

Shillelagh UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 6th day of May 188[illegible]

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Francis T. Brooke Esq J.P. V.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

Mess^rs Ralph D. Lawrenson J.P., Thos S. De Bergy J.P., Edward Byrne J.P., Robert Taylor Ralph Lawrenson, Nicholas C. Cooke, Edward Byrne, Joseph Hopkins, Richard M. Dowse and Thomas D. Lawrenson.

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

The Clerk was directed to forward same to the Contractors

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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was...	46
Ditto disallowed	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	0
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	"
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	54
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	11

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

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

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

With reference to the subject of the letter of the Local Government Board No 1693 dated 25th April 1884. the Clerk was directed to draw the attention of the several Dispensary Committees of Management, in the Union, respectively, thereon.

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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*]:—

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Mr. Joseph Berry, Engineer, for Water Supply at Tinahely attended before the Board, and submitted Plans Specifications &c for same and Estimate Cost of works about £600

The Board agreed to invite Tenders to be considered on this day three weeks in accordance with the Specification and Plans prepared by Mr. Berry for the execution of Water Works at Tinahely, and also to consider on this day fortnight the Area upon which the Cost of such Works may be charged, subject to the approval of the Local Government Board.

Frank L. Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 13th day of May 188 4

Signed, Benj. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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Shillelagh UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS,

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 6th day of May 188 4

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

Other Members:—

Messrs. Ralph D. Lawrenson J.P., Thos. S. De Lacy J.P., Edward Byrne J.P., Robert Taylor, Ralph Lawrenson, Nicholas Poole, Edward Byrne, Ralph Hopkins, Richard M. Dowse and Thomas D. Lawrenson.

A Communication addressed to the Clerk was read from the Land Court Office as follows viz:—

"I beg to inform you that this Sub-Commission will sit at Shillelagh on Monday next the 9th instant, to hear Cases under "Labourers Act"

L. Downing
Deputy Reg.

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Frans A Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 13th day of May 1887

(Signed) Denis Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of May 1887

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse	88	203										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	5										
Fever Sheds												
Total	93	208										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			21	48	38	32	14	18	14	8	9	205
Admitted during the Week, . . Born during the week			28	11	2	1	1	1		1	1	45
TOTAL			49	59	40	33	15	19	14	9	10	251
Discharged during the Week, . .			27	8	1		1	3	1	2		43
Died, ...												
Total Discharged and Dead, . .			27	8	1		1	3	1	2		43
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . .			22	51	39	33	14	16	16	4	10	208

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	56	In separate Wards, 16	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other Inmates, 0	
TOTAL,	61	TOTAL, 16	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	28	11	3	42
No. in Workhouse at date	5	5	"	5

No. at corresponding period last year, 228

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4th day of May 1887 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.	21	29				
No. II.	33	54				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 13th *day of* May 1887

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Francis T. Brooke Esq DL JP.

Other Guardians:— Mess^rs Ralph D. Lawrence J.P. G. G. Newton J.P. Louis Montgt J.P. Edward Byrne J.P. Robert Taylor Thomas H. Hastings Richard James Ralph Lawrence Robert Carey Thomas Swan Joseph Hopkins Thomas Dowling Edward Grace and Thos D. Lawrence

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 542 *to No.* 600 *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. 11 *to No.* 11 *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 - - - - - £130 : 5 : 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £103 : 12 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £1081 : 12 : 0

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 for the entire Union.

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

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.*	19	19	8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	24	1	2
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	0

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

390. 4 lbs Loaves of Bread
23 lbs Butter
6 Dozen Eggs
265 lbs Beef
10 lbs Mutton
52 Gallons Buttermilk
186 Gallons Sweetmilk
1 Piece Linen
1 Do Flannel
1 Piece Bengal Stripe

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 4th *day of* May 188 4 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	4	14	0
In Kind,			
Total,	£ 4	14	0

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

			£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

			£	s.	d.
14	Dr. John Bolster	Registration fee	2	0	6
"	Same	Vaccination fee	1	8	0
"	Same	Vaccination fee	2	6	0
16	William Mc Phail	Printing & advertising	5	14	6
14	Dr. J. W. Brady	Remuneration as Medical Officer	13	3	6
18	James & Hara	Firewood	9	0	0
19	Joseph Berry	Remuneration as Clerk of Works	1	12	6
			10	0	0

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

		£	s.	d.
15	Kate & Symes Milk Supplied	20	4	7

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. Cornell, Relieving Officer, applied for and was granted leave of absence on the next Board day, Mr. Dowzer and Mr. Ellis to do his duty.

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

I have to report that the troughs in the Laundry are out of Order and want to be thoroughly repaired, or removed as the water runs through the bottoms owing to their rottenness.

Those in the Fever Hospital also require to be repaired

Two Hearthstones are required, one each for Women's day room and old Ward

Nothing has been done to rectify the smokey state of the Infirmary Women's Kitchen

The Schoolmaster Mr. Furlong Complained to me this Morning of the insubordinate Conduct of some of the Schoolboys and desires to have them brought before the Board

The milk contract will expire the 1st July.

The Board agreed the question of the new Trough mentioned by the Master to the Visiting Committee as also the Complaint of the Schoolmaster respecting some of the Schoolboys when subsequently Messrs. Edward Grange Edward Byrne J.P. and Robert Taylor as a Committee

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recommended a New Trough for the Laundry similar to the old one & also informed the Guardians that they admonished the School Boys relative to the Complaint of the Schoolmaster

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

The Master was directed to make arrangements to have a patient named James Downs in the Infirmary placed in the Mater Misericordiæ Hospital Dublin for Surgical and Medical treatment as the Medical Officer Dr. King recommended the same

The Board agreed to Consider on this day fortnight the terms of an advertisement for the supply of Milk to the Workhouse, for 12 months from the 1st July next.

(as Page 10 previous Minute)

~~The Guardians were requested to write to the Clerk of the Union to this day fortnight to supply an extract from the Laundry to the Workhouse passed at the Meeting held on the~~

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 19,190 1887 9th May 1887

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland adverting to Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Shillelagh Union on the 29th Ultimo, I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to state that they approve of the Change therein proposed in the dietary of the Inmates of the Workhouse.

No 19,985 addressed to the Clerk of Returning Officer 8th May 1887.

From same to acknowledge the receipt of ~~this~~ letter of the 7th Instant relating to the recent Election of Guardians for the Hacketstown Electoral Division of this Union, and I am to request that the Board may be informed who pays the Rates on the holding in respect of which James Whelan voted, and in whose name are the rate receipts issued.

You will be good enough to forward to the Board the statement

of Claim lodged by Patrick O'Gorman, and the voting papers executed by Henry Pollard and Henry Pollard, Junior, respectively.—

I am at the same time to request that the Board may be furnished with a copy of the rating of the tenement in respect of which Thomas Kenny voted, and also that the statement of Claim to vote in respect of beneficial Interest in this case may be forwarded to the Board.—

No 62. M/87—Miscellaneous 12th May 1887

From Same Circular read to request that the Clerk will be so good as to furnish them with a Return in the enclosed form, showing the amount paid on a/c of new or Additional Salaries to Sanitary Officers for Half-year ended the 25th March last.

No 63 M/87—Miscellaneous 12th May 1887

From same Circular read to transmit therewith a Form to be filled up and returned to their Office, duly certified as soon as the expenses Chargeable on the Parliamentary Grant for Medical & Educational purposes for the Half-year ended the 25th March last, shall have been accurately ascertained

No 19,382 12th May 1887

Letter read from same to state that they have had before them the Abstracts of Rate Collected and lodged in this Union from the 26th March last to the 23rd Ultimo from which they observe that the only lodgment made during that period was that of a sum of £41. by the Collector Moody, and that, with the exception of Mr. Moody, none of the Collectors attended for the examination of their accounts during the time; and in reference thereto I am to request that the Guardians will be so good as to call upon the Collectors to proceed more actively with the Collection of the outstanding rates and to attend regularly for the examination of their Accounts.

With reference to the Subject of the foregoing letter the Board agreed that the attention of the several Rate Collectors be requested to same, and also observe from the Abstract of Rate Book the Collectors attended for examination of Accounts the week following that notified.

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The Board proceeded as advertised to consider tenders to supply the Workhouse for 3 months from the 1st Instant with the best quality of White Bread, Bay and Mixture, Oatmeal, Indian Meal and Butter when the proposal of Laurence Kinny was read to supply Bread at 5¼ per 4lb. loaf; and that of Richard M'Guinness for same at 5½ per 4lb loaf.

It was proposed by Major Newton, seconded by Mr. Darling & agreed unanimously that the following tenders be accepted viz. Laurence Kinny for the best White Bread at 5¼ per 4lb loaf
Same Oatmeal at £11.0.0 per ton
Same Indian Meal at £6.0.0 do.
Edward M'Guirk for the best Bay at 3½ per lb.
Same Mutton at 4 per lb.
Thomas Bishop butter at 9¾ per lb.

The Board agreed to direct the Clerk to invite tenders to be considered on this day fortnight to supply Mast a few Wooden Troughs for the use of the Laundry in the Workhouse of well seasoned timber similar to the old one

(Page 8 read)
The Master was directed to procure the two Headstones mentioned by him & also have the Troughs in the Fever Hospital repaired, and the Smoky state of the Infirmary Women's Kitchen rectified

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	58
Ditto disallowed	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	0
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	54
The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	11
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	11

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

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

Shillelagh UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 13th day of May 1864

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Francis H. Brooke Esq J.P. V.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

Messrs. Ralph D. Lawrence & T. G. Newton & C. Louis Dent & J. Edward Byrne & Robert Tighe, Thos. H. Hawkins Richard James, Ralph Lawrence, Robert Carey, Thos. Lucas, Joseph Hopkins Thos. Darling Edward Gaynor and Thos. Lawrence

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

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

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

No 18,682 /87 — 6th May 1887

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland to transmit herewith, to be laid before the Board of Guardians of this Union, an Extract from Minutes of Proceedings of the Committee of Management of the Coolkenno & Hacketstown Dispensary District at a meeting held on the 28th Ultimo, relative to the payment of certain expenses incurred by Mr. W. Murphy while acting as Honorary Secretary of the District; and the Board request that they may be furnished with the Guardians observations on the Subject.—

The Board agreed to postpone the Consideration of the subject of the foregoing letter

No 19192. — 7th May 1887

From same advising to Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of this Union on the 29th Ultimo, the Local Government Board for Ireland desire to express their sanction to the remuneration, viz., at the rate of £3.3.0 a week, proposed to be allowed to Dr. Brady for his services as Temporary Medical Officer of the Coolattin & Clonegall Dispensary District from the 4th to the 23rd March last under the circumstances stated in the Minutes.—

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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*]:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 20th
day of May 1887

Signed, Rec[illegible] D Laurenson
Ch

Signed, Bury: Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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 13th day of May 1887

PRESENT: In the Chair— Francis L Brooke Esq J.P. V.L.

Other Members:—

Mess[rs] Ralph D. Laurenson J.P., G G Newton J.P., Louis Montfort J.P., Edward Byrne J.P., Robert Taylor, Tho[s] F Haskins Richard Sams, Ralph Laurenson, Robert Cary, Thomas Swan, Joseph Hopkins, Thomas Dowling, Edward Grange and Thomas D. Laurenson,

9th May 1887

Letter addressed to the Clerk was read from Mr Brown Solicitor, as follows viz:—

"The rents terms and conditions upon which the Guardians are to take the plots of ground for the schemes of 1884 were settled to day and orders will shortly be issued by the Land Commission under which possession of the plots of ground can be obtained.

You should at once apply to the Local Government Board for the necessary forms of application for a loan

The plans and specifications originally prepared seem to be very imperfect and I strongly advise that new plans and specifications should be prepared by your present Architect, Mr Berry, and he has promised in order to save time to have them ready by next Board day. I understand from Mr Berry that the plans and specifications prepared by him will answer for the schemes at present under consideration or any future schemes that may be adopted.

Letter addressed to the Clerk was read from Mr Berry, Architect, as follows viz:—

Enclosed I am sending you duplicate copies of Specification and Estimates and one copy of plan; A second

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copy of plan will follow by next post.

If your Board approves of these, you can forward one set of documents to the Local Government Board and retain the other and by sending telegram to Dublin you can have the enclosed advertisement inserted in Saturday's paper thus saving a week.

I should be much obliged by your kindly asking your Board to let me have £10..0.0 tomorrow upon account of works done for them.

This the first remuneration I have asked for. It is now several months since I received my first Shillelagh appointment and I have since then expended a good deal of time upon the business of your Board.

The Board agreed to pay Mr. Berry the sum of £10 on account and postponed the Consideration of new Plans to the next Meeting

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Ralph D. Lawrenson

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 20th day of May 1884

(Signed) Chas Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of May 1884

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	201										
Temporary Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	3										
Fever Sheds												
Total	931	204										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			22	57	39	33	14	16	16	4	10	208
Admitted during the Week,			31	5			3	2				41
TOTAL			53	56	39	33	17	16	18	4	10	249
Discharged during the Week,			30	9	1		3	2				45
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			30	9	1		3	2				45
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			23	47	39	32	17	13	16	4	10	204

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.			
Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	58	In separate Wards,	16
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates,	=
TOTAL,	61	TOTAL,	16

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	26	5	5	38
No. in Workhouse at date	2	1	"	3

No. at corresponding period last year, 214

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14th day of May 1884 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.	21	29				
No. II.	33	57				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 20th *day of* May 1884

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Ralph D. Lawrenson Esq D.L. J.P.

Other Guardians:— Mrs Edward Byrne J.P., Robert Taylor, Peter Doyle, Nicholas Poole, Edward Byrne, Patrick Byrne, Joseph Hopkins, Peter Dalton, Andrew Wolohan, Edward Grange, and Michael Hayden,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 601 *to No.* 630 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4 *to No.* 4 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week £ 103 . 0 . 0

Paid during the week £ 23 . 3 . 6

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 1184 . 12 . 0

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 for the entire Union.

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

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.*	29	13	3
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - - *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	27	14	4
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - -		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - -		3	6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -		6	11

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 :—

397 4lbs Loaves of Bread
62 Eggs
4 Cwt. Oatmeal
274 lbs Meat
48 Gallons Buttermilk
188 Gallons Sweetmilk

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 27th *day of* May 188 /. *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	5	2	6
In Kind, ...			
Total, ...	£ 5	2	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	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.
21st	Eliza McGuirk Meat supplied	10	12	4

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

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

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

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

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

The master was directed to supply a suit of Clothes to a school boy named Patrick Doran who is going to a situation.

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

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

No 43- M/87 - Miscellaneous 17th May 1887

Circular letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland to state that the Annual Return of Statistics of Local Taxation for the year 1886 is now in preparation for presentation to Parliament, and, with a view to its completion they request that the Clerk will be good as to prepare and forward to their Office, as was done last year, a statement of the several particulars indicated in the enclosed Form. the required return at the earliest practicable period

No 9,635 — 1887 19th May 1887

Letter read from same adverting to their letter of the 15th of March last, in reference to the appointment of Miss Margaret Ellen Deegan as Infirmary Nurse of the Workhouse of this Union. I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to request that a report may be obtained from the Medical

Officer as to the manner in which Miss Deegan has performed her duties since her appointment, and as to her fitness for the post of Nurse.

With reference to the subject of the foregoing letter the following Communication was read from Dr. King Workhouse Medical Officer, Viz

"I beg to state that Miss Deegan, since her election to the post of Infirmary Nurse, discharges her duties very carefully & satisfactorily, and I have pleasure in stating that if she continues to bring the same care & attention to her work in the future she will be likely to become a very Competent nurse."

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Shillelagh UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 29th day of May 188[illegible]

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts.

Present—In the Chair, Ralph D. Lawrence Esq.

Other Guardians.

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

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

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

The 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	29
Ditto disallowed	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	4
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	54
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	11
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	11

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

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

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Report Form P read from the Medical Officer of the Hacketstown & Coolkenno Dispensary District to certify that he has successfully vaccinated 13 persons from 11th February 1887 to the 25th March 1887

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

A letter addressed to the Presiding Chairman dated 16th Inst was read from F. J. Brooke Esq the Rt Hon Earl Fitzwilliams Agent as follows Viz As neither Mr Laurence or myself can attend the Board of Guardians next Friday I have asked Mr Spaine to be in attendance if the Board will see him so as authorized to state the views of Taxation for the

Inahely Water Works which would meet with Lord Fitzwilliam's approval

Mr. W. Spears attended before the Board & submitted for Consideration area of Charge for the approved Works as follows viz

The entire townland of Inahely. The portion of Corbrass except that part in possession of Mr. Haddon & Mr. William Grandy. The entire of Churchland except that in possession of the said Mr. Wm. Grandy. That part of the townland of Laydeff in occupation of Mrs. Timmins Dr. Richd. Foley Messrs Owen Malone, A. D. Symes, Thomas Swain Mrs. Margaret Symes & Rev. J. J. Bushe.

Mr. Edwd. Byrne deputed to the area of Charge, as mentioned & produced in writing an area of Charge which the Board agreed to adopt as follows, viz.

"The entire townland of Inahely except the portions occupied by Thomas Lawler & Patrick Byrne, who do not reside in the town of Inahely and will derive no benefit from the Water Supply

The entire townland of Corbrass except that part in possession of Mr. Henry R. Haddon & Mr. William Grandy.

The entire townland of Churchland except that portion in possession of the said Mr. William Grandy.

That portion of the townland of Laydeff in occupation of Mrs. Elisa Timmins, Dr. Richard Foley, Messrs Owen Malone A. D. Symes, Thomas Swain & Mrs. Margaret Symes.

That part of the townland of Ballinacew in occupation of Messrs Winkworth Taylor & John M'Donnell.

And also that part of the townland of Whitefield in occupation of John M'Donnell & Mrs. Reps. John Grant who are residents of the town of Inahely."

Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 24th day of May 188 4

Signed, Byrne Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Shillelagh UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS,

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 20th day of May 188 4

PRESENT: In the Chair— Ralph D. Lawrenson Esq D.L.

Other Members:—

Messrs Edward Byrne P., Robert Taylor, Peter Doyle, Nicholas Poole, Edward Byrne, Patrick Byrne, Joseph Hopkins, Peter Dalton, Andrew Wolohan, Edward Grange, and Michael Hayden.

A letter was read from Mr. Berry, Architect, as follows viz:—

"In compliance with your request I have again looked into the plans. I am sorry I cannot advise the Guardians to accept Contracts upon them, for they are very vague and incomplete.

The specification is thoughtfully prepared. The estimate is priced too low. I consider it should be increased about eight per cent.

These plans do not comply with the requirements of the Local Government Board.

The plan which I sent you has already received the sanction of same."

The Board agreed to adjourn until this day fortnight the further consideration of the selection of a new plan for the erection of Labourers Cottages, for which Provisional Orders have been obtained.

The Guardians directed the Clerk to telegram to Mr. Berry the Architect to notify in the General Advertiser the adjournment of the consideration of Tenders for the Water Supply at Inahely until the 3rd June next.

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Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 24th day of May 1889

(Signed) Burgess Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of May 1889

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse	88	200										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	4										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	93	204										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			23	47	39	32	17	13	16	7	10	204
Admitted during the Week,			24	7		2	2				1	36
TOTAL			47	54	39	34	19	13	16	7	11	240
Discharged during the Week,			25	5		2	2		1		1	36
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			25	5		2	2		1		1	36
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			22	49	39	32	17	13	15	7	10	204

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.	Number	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
	in Hospital on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	52	In separate Wards, 16
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other Inmates, —
TOTAL,	56	TOTAL, 16

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week,	18	4	1	23
No. in Workhouse at date,	4	2	"	6

No. at corresponding period last year, 209

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21st day of May 1889 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	21	29				
No. II.	33	54				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 24th *day of* May 1889

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Francis F. Brooke Esqr DL DL

Other Guardians:—

Messrs Ralph D Lawrenson JP. Geo G. Newton JP. Thos L. DeRenzy JP Louis Montfort JP. Robt Taylor. Thos F. Haskins. Geo Jones Kins. Patk Byrne. Jos Hopkins. John Kelly. Thos Bowling Richd M. Dowse & Edwd Grange & Ralph Lawrenson

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 630 *to No.* 670 *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 - - - - - £ 215 . 0 . 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 32 . 4 . 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 1344 . 4 . 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	22	3	2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - - Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	28	12	0
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - -		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - -		3	6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -		6	0

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

371 4 lb Loaves of Bread
75 Eggs
20 lbs Butter
267 lbs Beef
10 lbs Mutton
48 Gallons Buttermilk
184 Gallons Sweetmilk
24 lbs Worsted
72 yards Linsey (Brown)
1 Piece Calico

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 21st day of May 188[illegible], whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	5	0	6
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
Total, ...	£ 5	0	6

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
21	Laurence Kenny	Bread Meal &c	84	3	7

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

22	Samuel Correll	On a/c	20	0	0
23	Robert Ellis	on a/c	15	0	0

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

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

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

The Medical Officer Dr King wrote in his Journal as follows viz :—

"I beg to state that I found it necessary to remove a cancerous growth from the lip of Michael Darcy lately admitted to the Infirmary and that as I considered it inadvisable to postpone the operation I procured the assistance of Dr Brady in its performance on the 26th of May"

Frances L. C. King

The Board agreed to allow Dr Brady a fee of £1.1.0 for assisting Dr King in the operation referred to and desire the sanction of the Local Government Board for same.

The Master was directed to supply a suit of clothing each to Bridget Donegan, Eliza Doyle, John Toole and John Kennedy, Workhouse School children on leaving the House for service—

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

The Master reports that the Workhouse Cart is completely worn out : it requires a new body and shafts

The Board agreed to direct the Master to have the Cart repaired at once.

Supplied a Coffin for a child named John Ellis 1 year old, who died at Clonegall, on a requisition from Mr Correll R.C. and sent Clarke for the body which was brought in here yesterday and buried in Workhouse graveyard.

John Lee recently admitted for Medical treatment as also Michael Doolan have been discharged from the Infirmary and are now in the body of the House.

It is time to advertise for Coal—

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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 Board agreed to direct the Clerk to invite Tenders on the same terms as last year to be considered on this day four weeks to supply the Workhouse with New Milk and Buttermilk for 12 months from the 1st July next.

The Guardians also agreed to advertise the same as last year for the supply to the Workhouse of 145 Tons of the best Whitehaven Coal; and 30 Tons of the best Kilkenny Coal; and Tenders for same to be considered on the 24th June next.

A Tender was read from Edward Boulger to erect a wooden Trough in the Laundry, as advertised, for the sum of £7-14-7 which was not accepted as the Board considered it too high and directed the Clerk to again invite Tenders for same to be considered on this day four weeks.

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 20-407 21st May 1887

Letter, addressed to the Clerk of Returning Officer, read from the Local Government Board for Ireland requesting a reply to their letter of the 12th Inst. relating to the recent Election of Guardians for the Hacketstown Electoral Division of the Shillelagh Union.

No 22-498-1887 26th May 1887

From same to acknowledge the receipt of his letter of the 19th Inst. in reply to the Boards communication of the 12th Inst. relating to the recent Election of Guardians for the Hacketstown Electoral Division of this Union, and I am to request that you will ascertain and inform the Board who was the person actually in occupation at the time of the Election, of the holding for which Moses Darcy is rated,

and who was in occupation of the same at the time the last rate was made, and in whose name was the rate receipt issued. You will be good enough to forward the Voting Paper executed in this case. It is not clear from your communication of the 7th Inst whether the person who signed the voting Paper as Moses Darcy is the person who is rated by that name and the Board must request your further observations on the subject.

I am to request that you will state whether you had any reason to doubt the authenticity of the letter which was produced at the Scrutiny to prove that Mrs Whelan is the legal occupier by the Will of her late husband, of the holding in respect of which James Whelan Voted, and if not, upon what ground did you decline to act upon the evidence so tendered to you.

I am also to request that you will state whether you are satisfied from the evidence tendered to you that Patrick O'Gorman is not the Owner in fee of the premises in respect of which he voted as such. The Board would wish to know what is the real nature of O'Gormans interest in the premises. If he pays no rent for the premises, as stated in the claim you may be able to ascertain why such is the case.

You will be good enough to state whether the Thomas Kenny who voted as Occupier and Immediate Lessor is the person who is rated in the rate books for the holdings valued at 10/- & 5/- respectively and also whether he pays the rates for the same.

No 22-499-1887 26th May 1887.

From same letter read to forward a letter of complaint which they have received from a pauper Inmate named Essey Doran in regard to the proposal to hire out to service her son above stated to be 11 years of age; and the Board request the Guardians observations on the subject.

The enclosed letter should be returned.

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10 General Survey & Valuation of Office 6 Ely Place. Dublin Ireland

Letter read from J. Ball Greene Esq Commissioner of Valuation to transmit for the use of the Board of Guardians the Valuation Lists relating to the several Electoral Divisions of this Union.

With reference to the subject of the foregoing letter the Guardians have to inform the Local Government Board that the boy Patrick Doran has not attended in the Master Tailor's Department for three months and has learned no trade; and that the boy now at his own request has been permitted by the Board to go to service with Mr James Goss.

With reference to the subject of the letter of the Local Government Board No 16942 dated 26th April 1887, the Guardians agreed as follows viz:-

"That the work required under the Parliamentary Voters Acts in filling up the Requisition Forms having been completed we recommend the expense incurred by the Clerk amounting to £3.3.0 (as per bill submitted) be sanctioned by the Local Government Board in accordance with our resolution of the 15th ultimo."

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 40

Ditto disallowed 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 0

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 50

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 54

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)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 27th day of May 188 7

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts.

Present—In the Chair, F. J. Brooke Esq.

Other Guardians.

Messrs R. D. Lawrence
G. G. Newton Thos S. DeRinzy Louis Montgt Robt Taylor Thos F. Hunter
Geo Jas Keys Jas Byrne Jas Hopkins Jas Kelly Thos Darling
Richd Doran Edw Greene and Ralph Lawrence.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

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

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

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

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

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

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

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

~~*Read Letter from* _____ *dated* _____~~

~~*stating that*~~

Mr. Taylor proposed Mr. Doyle seconded & passed unanimously that the sum of £2 per annum be paid Earl Fitzwilliam for rent of the Lacnen Dispensary.

Report Form A read from Dr. Rogers, late Medical Officer of Coollattin & Clonegal Dispensary District to certify that he successfully vaccinated 59 persons between the dates October 5th 1885 & March 2nd 1886.

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

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

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

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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*] :—

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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 27th day of May 1887

PRESENT: In the Chair— Francis F. Brooke Esq D.P.V.L

Other Members:— Messrs Ralph D Lawrenson J.P. Geo. E. Newton J.P. Thos. L. DeRenzy J.P. Louis Montfort J.P. Robt. Taylor Thos. F. Hawkins Gore Tom Kins. Patk. Byrne. Jos. Hopkins. John Kelly. Thos. Dowling. Richd. M. Dowse, Edward Grange & Ralph Lawrenson.

Ralph D. Lawrenson

4/-

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 3rd day of June 1887

Signed, Day Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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Ralph D Lawrenson
Ch—

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 31st day of June 1887

(Signed) Duty Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of May 1887

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	195
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	4
Fever Sheds		
Total	931	199

	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	49	39	32	17	13	15	7	10	204
Admitted during the Week,	13	11	2	1	3	2	4	1		37
TOTAL	35	60	41	33	20	15	19	8	10	241
Discharged during the Week,	15	15	1	0	2	4	2	3		42
Died,										
Total Discharged and Dead,	15	15	1		2	4	2	3		42
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	20	45	40	33	18	11	17	5	10	199

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	54	In separate Wards,	16
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,	58	TOTAL,	16

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	7	10	9	26
No. in Workhouse at date	0	0	0	0

No. at corresponding period last year, 208

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28th day of May 1887 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.	22	30				
No. II.	33	54				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 3rd *day of* June 1887.

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Capt D. Lawrenson R. D. & C.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Ginge G. Newton, Edwd Bypass P. Richard James, Edward Bypass, John Kelly, Peter Foley, Nicholas Doyle, Jeremiah Butler, Edwd Woolahan, Thos Dowling, Daniel Kenny & Michael Hayden.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 671 *to No.* 709 *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 - - - - - £ 107 - 0 - 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 28 - 18 - 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 1422 - 6 - 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was · *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.*	25	9	2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was · · · · · · *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	27	11	7
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was · · · · ·		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary · · · · ·		3	6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital · · · · ·		6	0

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

383 - 4lb Loaves of Bread
26 lbs - Butter
240 lbs Beef
12 lbs Mutton
50 Gals Buttermilk
184 do Sweetmilk
1 Chest of Tea
3 bags Sugar
2 doz. Wine
1 Piece Bed ticken

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 28th *day of* May 188 7 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	5	0	6
In Kind, ...			
Total, ...	£ 5	0	6

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

			£	s.	d.
24	Benjn Hopkins	Salary Cattle Plague &c	2	-	-
2	same	Anne Longhlin Swine Fever	1	10	-

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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

The Master reports that twenty six Workhouse School children were sent to the Fever Hospital by the Medical Officer on Tuesday as they were affected with Whooping Cough.
The Medical officer also informed the Board that 9 more children were sent to Hospital to day

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

An able bodied man named George Barrett applied to the Board for admission which the Guardians refused but permitted him to remain until Monday when it was directed he be discharged

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 9. 635 1887 — 1st June 1887

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland stating they have had before them the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of this Union on the 20th ultimo containing an entry of a report from the Medical Officer of the Workhouse as to the manner in which Miss Marg.t Ellen Deegan has discharged the duties of Infirmary Nurse since her appointment, and in reference thereto I am to state that the Local Government Board now approve of Miss Deegans appointment to the office in question, on the terms proposed, viz = at a Salary of Fifteen Pounds a year and rations

No 65 Misc.y Miscellaneous — 2nd June 1887

Circular read from Blane calling attention to certain rules in regard to the treatment of night lodgers or casuals in Workhouses in Ireland.

Mr. O'Toole gave the following Notice of Motion viz:-
I hereby give Notice of Motion to move on this day fortnight a resolution to the effect that the Salary of the School Teachers be increased in proportion to the work performed as compared with the neighbouring Unions
Nicholas O'Toole"

"June 3rd 1887"

Mr. O'Toole also gave Notice of Motion as follows viz:-
I hereby give Notice of Motion to move on this day fortnight a resolution to have the bill of fare for Fridays changed as it appears from inquiry that none of the Roman Catholic Paupers use their allowance of Meat on that day. That we therefore substitute eggs instead on fast days and Fridays
Nicholas O'Toole"

"June 3rd 1887"

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The Rate Collector, Philip Doyle, attended before the Board in respect of the rates due by the Rep. Richd. H. Courtenay on Colballintagart Electoral Division of this Union, which he stated was already in the hands of Mr. Brown, Solicitor, & [illegible] proceedings for the recovery of same.

The Guardians directed the Clerk to draw the attention of Mr. Brown to the case referred to.

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 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 0

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 55

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)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

Shillelagh UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 3rd day of June 188[illegible].

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Ralph D. Laurence Esq.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

Messrs G. G. Newton J.P. Edward Byrne J.P. Richard James Peter Foley Nicholas O'Toole Jno. Butler Edward Byrne Mm Ruby Andrew Nolahan Thos Dowling Danl. Kenny and Mich. Hayden

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

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

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

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

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

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

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

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

~~Read Letter from~~ _____ *dated*

~~dating that~~

A letter was read as submitted from Mr. O'Toole, late Honorary Secretary of Hacketstown & Coolkenno Dispensary Committee of Management viz:-

Hacketstown Dispensary Comtee
May 26th 1887.

At a Meeting of the above Committee held pursuant to Notice Form A/ Mr. Murphy in the chair-
The following Members were also present viz-
Messrs Newton J.P. G.G. Newton J.P. Louis Montfort & Thos. Dowling Pierce Butler. John Lyons. Thos. F. Haskins, Patk Byrne J. Kelly Mick Lawrenson. Wm E. Jones, Nicks O'Toole & R. Fenton-
Lord Rathdonnell was elected Chairman Mr. William Murphy Vice-Chairman.
It was proposed & seconded that W.E. Jones be Secretary-
an Amendment was moved that inasmuch as the first annual Meeting was passed there could not be any change made with respect to either Honorary or Assistant Secty, according to article 7 of the General Rules for the Government of Dispensary Comtees
The Chairman called for a show of hands but subsequently ruled the motion out of order. The late Secretary refused to give up the books pending the decision of the Local Government Board.

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

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

An application for a new wooden limb for William Ubanks was considered by the Committee and on the recommendation of the Medical officer was ordered.
The Medical officer to give measurements in due time'

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

The Board agreed to supply William Ubanks with a wooden leg as recommended by the Committee

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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]:—

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No 22.693-1887 1st June 1887

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland to forward therewith a Form of Descriptive List respecting the area of charge proposed for the expenses incurred in connection with the Tinahely Water Works The form to be returned when filled.

The Board on proceeding to consider Tenders for the Tinahely Water Works agreed to postpone the consideration of same until this day three weeks: and appointed a Committee to examine the Plan Specification &c. to meet at Tinahely on the 8th Inst & report thereon by this day fortnight (three Members to form a quorum) as follows viz-

Mess~~rs~~ William Speares. Peter Murphy. Wentworth Taylor. Owen Malone. Abraham Dykes. Michael Hayden. Peter Dalton & Michael Murphy.

Ralph D Lawrenson
Ch

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 10th day of June 188 7

Signed, Benj^n D Norris
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 3rd day of June 188 7

PRESENT: In the Chair— Ralph D. Lawrenson Esq J.P. D.L.

Other Members:— Mess^rs Geo. G. Newton J.P. Edw^d Byrne J.P. Richard James. Edw^d Byrne. John Kelly. Peter Foley. Nich^s O'Toole Pierce Butler. And^w Woolahan, Tho^s Dowling. Daniel Kenny & Michael Hayden.

Major Newton, Mess^rs Nicholas O'Toole, Pierce Butler, Thomas Dowling. Peter Foley & John Kelly were appointed as a Committee to examine Plans for Labourers Cottages when they recommended the Plan submitted by Mr Berry adopted in the Baltinglass Union.

The Board agreed to adopt the Plan selected by the aforesaid Committee with the proviso that the floor of Kitchen to be concrete & the floors of bedrooms to be boarded.

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Ralph D Lawrenson
Ch –

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 14th day of June 188 7

(Signed) Chas J McNevin
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of June 1887

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	194
Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	35
Other Sheds		
Total,	931	209

	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,	20	45	40	33	18	11	14	5	10	199
Admitted during the Week, . .	22	7	–	3	3	–	1	–	–	36
TOTAL	42	52	40	36	21	11	18	5	10	235
Discharged during the Week, . .	15	6	1	3	1	–	–	–	–	26
Died, ...	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total Discharged and Dead, . .	15	6	1	3	1	–	–	–	–	26
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . .	27	46	39	33	20	11	18	5	10	209

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	53	In separate Wards,	16
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	31	In Wards with other Inmates,	–
TOTAL,	84	TOTAL,	16

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	21	6	3	30
No. in Workhouse at date	1	–	–	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 224

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4th day of June 1887 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	22	30				
No. II.	33	54				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 4th *day of* June 1887

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Ralph D. Lawrenson Esq P.D.V.C.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Joseph Hopkins and Edward Byrne.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 403 *to No.* 449 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1 *to No.* 1 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

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

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

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 164 = 6 = 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 1254 . 19 . 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 for the entire Union.

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

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	21	10	11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	24	15	4
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was			2 8
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	0

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

384	4 lb.	Loaves of Bread
8	Dozen	Eggs
261	lbs	Beef
22	lbs	Mutton
44	Gallons	Buttermilk
188	Do	Skimmilk
25	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 4th *day of* June 188 4 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	5	0	6
In Kind,			
Total,	£ 5	0	6

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

			£	s.	d.
25	William Moody	Porridge fes on 9/c	20	10	0
26	Joseph Burke	Same	25	6	6

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 :—

The Guardians agreed that the Clerk write to request the several Rate Collectors to give Public Notice that all rates due must be paid by the 12th July next under the provisions of the Parliamentary voters acts.

The master Shoemaker Thomas Bickley applied for one week's leave of absence owing to ill health, which the Guardians granted.

The Rate Collectors Messrs Moody and Burke applied for and was granted Poundage fees on a/c for rates collected, as allowed the last two years.

The Clerk applied for, and was granted leave of absence one day next week, his son to do his duty.

A man named Healy attended before the Board and applied for compensation for injury likely to be done to his crops in the carrying out of the Dunlavin Water Works when the Guardians referred him to the Committee.

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

The Master reports that he returned 4 qrs 1 lbs Meat to the Contractor on Monday last as owing to its thinness, there was an undue proportion of bone in it; much inconvenience is likewise experienced by reason of the meat usually coming in too late.

Thomas Bickley, Shoemaker for the Workhouse has been absent since Friday, being bad with Influenza

An Inmate named John Lenston fell out of a ladder, whilst whitewashing the Laundry on Tuesday, and had his Collar bone broken: he has been in the Infirmary since, but appears to be quickly getting well.

I beg most respectfully to ask the Board for two days leave of absence.

The Board granted the two days leave of absence as asked for by the Master; the Master to do his duty.

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

With regard to the Masters report in respect of the Meat, the Clerk was directed to write to ~~the~~ Caution the Contractor to be more punctual in future in the Delivery of same.

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

No 24,321 – 1887 8th June 1887

Letter addressed to the Clerk of Returning Officer was read from the Local Government Board for Ireland to acknowledge the receipt of his letter of the 2nd Instant, in reply to the Boards letter of the 26th Ultimo relating to the objections raised on behalf of Messrs W. & Jones and E. T. Hopkins to your return of the Election of Guardians for the Blackstown Electoral Division of the Shillelagh Union; and the Board desire to state that it is clear from your communication that no votes ought to have been recorded in respect of the voting paper bearing the name of Moses Carey.

The Board, however, before deciding as to the validity of the return, find it necessary to ascertain whether James Whelan is or is not the occupier of the premises

for which he is rated, and also to ascertain whether the votes of Henry Pollard, Senior, and Henry Pollard, Junior, were recorded in accordance with the wishes of the voters, and the Board will instruct their Inspector, Mr. Robinson, to hold an inquiry in regard to these points.

The statements of Claim and voting papers, forwarded by you to this Office, are returned herewith.

No 24,649 – 1887 9th June 1887

(must be taken at)

From same with reference to the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of this Union on the 3rd Instant, I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to request that they may be furnished with copies of the plan, specification, and estimate of the Cottages proposed to be erected by the Sanitary Authority under the Labourers (Irelands) Acts.

*(answer Labourers Act 3 Inst.)

No 23793 1887 9th June 1887

From same with reference to Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of this Union on the 27th Ultimo, – I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to express their sanction to the payment of a fee of One Guinea to Dr Brady for assisting the Medical Officer of the Workhouse in a difficult Surgical operation. –

No 23793/87 9th June 1887

From same to state that they have had before them the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of this Union on the 27th Ultimo containing an entry of their letter of the previous days date relating to the complaint of a pauper inmate of the Workhouse named Bessy Doran in regard to the proposal to hire out to service her son, a boy aged 11 years; and with reference to the Resolution on the subject, the Board have to point out that children under the age of 15 years cannot be compelled to go to service

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Contrary to the wish of their parents or surviving parent receiving relief at the same time in the Workhouse. —

addressed to the clerk was

Letter, read from Mr. Robinson Local Government Board, Inspector, as follows viz:—

"A Memorial against the return of Messrs O'Toole & Lyons as Guardians for the Hacketstown Electoral Division has been lodged with the L. G. Board by Messrs W. G. Jones and E. T. Hopkins —

In connection therewith the Local Govt. Board have instructed me to hold an inquiry upon oath as to the validity of the votes recorded by Mr. James Whelan and Messrs Henry Pollard Senior and Henry Pollard, Junior,

I beg therefore to inform you that I will hold the inquiry at the Board Room of the Shillelagh Workhouse on Thursday the 16th Instant at 12.30. O' Clock P. M.

I have to request that immediately upon receipt of this letter you will apprise Messrs Lyons, O'Toole, Jones and Hopkins of the time and place fixed for the inquiry" —

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	46
Ditto disallowed	"
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	4
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	"
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	55
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)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

Shillelagh UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 10th day of June 188[illegible]

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts.

Present—In the Chair, Ralph D. Lawrenson Esq J.P. D.L.

Other Guardians.

Mess[rs] Joseph Hopkins and Edward Byrne.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

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

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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*]:—

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS,

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 10th day of June 1887.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Ralph D. Lawrenson Resq DL DV.C

Other Members:— Messrs Joseph Hopkins and Edward Byrne.

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With reference to the subject of the foregoing letter the Clerk was directed to transmit to the Local Government Board the Plan Specification and estimate required, as furnished by Mr Berry and adopted by the Guardians.

The following letter addressed to the Clerk was read from Mr Berry architect viz:-

"I enclose plan specification amended in accordance with wishes of the Board for Labourers Houses and I shall send copy to the Local Government Board.

I also send application forms for loans with my part filled in.

Please send me report from Mr Spears re Water Works as soon as possible in order that I may get amended tenders from the Contractors."

Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 17th day of June 1887

Signed, Burr. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 14th day of June 1884

(Signed) Benj. Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of June 1884

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse	88	160										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	43										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	138	203										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			24	46	39	33	20	11	18	5	10	209
Admitted during the Week,			24	9	·	1	4	1	2	1	"	42
Born during week											1	1
TOTAL			57	55	39	34	24	12	20	6	11	252
Discharged during the Week,			33	9	·	·	4	"	2	1	"	49
Died,												
Total Discharged and Dead,			33	9	"	"	4	"	2	1	"	49
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			18	46	39	34	20	12	18	5	11	203

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 57	In separate Wards, 16	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 43	In Wards with other Inmates, "	
Total, 94	Total, 16	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week,	24	5	8	37
No. in Workhouse at date,	1	2	1	4

No. at corresponding period last year, 216

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of June 1884 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.	22	30				
No. II.	34	60				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 14th *day of* June 1884

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

Other Guardians:— Hon. H. L. D. Boscawen Mrs. G. G. Bowden Ralph D. Lawrenson Louis Montpet Edward Byrne Robert Taylor Thos. F. Hastings Richard James Ralph Lawrenson Nicholas O'Toole Robert Carey Edward Byrne Patrick Byrne Edw. Grange Joseph Hopkins Peter Dallard Andrew Wolohan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 750 *to No.* 802 *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 - - - - - £ 99 . 0 . 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 65 . 13 . 7

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 288 . 6 . 12

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 for the entire Union.

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

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	23	15	5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	24	19	6
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	0

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

42 Gallons Buttermilk
190 Gallons Sweetmilk
290 lbs. Beef
24 lbs. Mutton
1 Piece Wincey
1 Piece Striped Linsey
382 4lb. Loaves of Bread
9 Dozen 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 11th *day of* June 188 4 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	5	5	6
In Kind,			
Total,	£ 5	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.*

27	Revd. A. R. Ellison	¼ Salary		6	5	37	John Hope	¼ Salary		3	
28	Revd. W. S. Linnott	"		12	10	38	Margaret Gilbert	Do		5	
29	Dr. H. J. King	"	22 10 0			39	Margaret R. Dugan	Do		4	5 6
"	Same	Lunacy Fee	1 1 0	23	11	"	50 Chs. Bowes	Contract		9	2 2
30	Bryn. Hopkins	¼ Salary	20 0 0			51	Patrick Harte	¼ Wages		3	18 0
"	Same	Postage	2 7 2			"	Patrick Connolly	¼ Contract		0	15 0
"	Same	Burial Fee	3 0 0	25	4 2						
31	Michael Dowgan	¼ Salary		12	10 0	52	George Kurzom	¼ Salary		12	10 0
32	Anne Corrigan	Do		7	10 0	53	Chs. Walsh	¼ Contract		1	2 6
	Same	Lunatic Children		1	5 0						
33	Mary Lawler	¼ Salary		6	5 0	54	Dr. J. W. Borkey	¼ Superannuation		30	7 6
34	Peter Furlong	"		6	5 0	55	Philip Doyle	Conveyance		27	4 10
35	Samuel Cowell	"		8	0 0	57	Jas. B. Germaine			3	3 0
36	Robert Ellis	"		6	0 0	"	Johanna Mills	Cart Hire			10 6

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

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8. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
58	Kate B. Symes	Milk supplied	17	1	11

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

55	Samuel Carroll	O. D. Relief Nurses	22	19	1

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

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

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

The Medical officer Dr. King wrote in his Journal as follows viz :—

"I beg to state that I found it necessary to procure half a dozen "Hare-lip" pins for the case of Michael Darcy recently operated on in the Infirmary. These were obtained from the Contractor for Surgical Instruments."

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

Philip Doyle, late Collector, applied for and was granted Twenty pounds on account for amount Collected

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

A letter was received from W. Brown Solicitor relative to information which he required from Philip Doyle, late Collector, in regard to proceedings for the recovery of rates due in the Coolboolintagart Electoral Division by the Revd. Fr. Cantwell which the Clerk transmitted to the Collector in question.

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. 23,793 14th June 1887.

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland to express their sanction to the proposed payment of £3.3.0 in respect of expenses incurred by the Clerk in obtaining assistance in carrying out the provisions of the Tailoring Acts during the present year

With reference to letter No. 23,793 dated 9th June 1887, respecting the Ivy Tagueh Down the Guardians have to inform the Local Government Board that he expressed a decided wish to go to Swords & the woman Esther Dwyer is not responsible for the Ivy her Husband Wm Byrne having been prosecuted for deserting her and her children about two years ago, on which occasion he was sent to Gaol for 1 week the Magistrate Considering her to be more culpable than he was as she would not leave the Workhouse that time with him; and in Consequence with her Children she has been a constant burden on the Union ever since, she is Constantly taking her discharge from the Workhouse without the Children & returning and the Guardians do not Consider her to be either morally or legally responsible for them

Letter addressed to the Clerk was read from H. A. Robinson Esq. as follows. Vz.

Referring to my letter of to day on the subject of the Swords Inquiry I wish to say to you if you will have the enclosed Summons served on the parties named with the least possible delay

Kindly insert in the Summons of Mr Whelan & Mrs Judith Whelan their address as I do not know them

The Summons Server must serve the Copies and keep the originals & endorse particulars of Service on them

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Let him send his bill to me to the Local Government Board office.

Mr. O Toole proposed Notice of Motion as follows. Viz
"I hereby move a Resolution to have the Bill of Fare per Fridays Changed, as it appears from inquiry that most of the Roman Catholic paupers use their allowance of Meat on that day, That in lieu thereof substantial eggs instead, on fast days and Fridays."

The Board agreed that the Consideration of the above subject be postponed till the next Meeting, and Dr King Workhouse Medical Officer upon be asked in regard to the Delay of Patients in individual Cases.

Mr. O Toole also read the following Notice -
"I move a resolution to the effect that the Salary of the School Teachers be increased in proportion to the work performed, as Compared with the neighbouring Unions"

It was agreed to postpone the question of increase of the Workhouse School Teachers Salaries until the next Meeting, and Messrs R. D. Raymond, Edward Byrne and Robert Sayles were appointed as a Committee to examine into and report on the efficiency of the Schools.

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	52
Ditto disallowed	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	0
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	7
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	56
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)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

Shillelagh UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 14th day of June 1884

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts.

Present—In the Chair, Francis J. Brooke Esq J. P. & D.L.

Other Guardians. Mess^rs

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

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

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

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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 & Blongall Dispensary District.

40 Account of	Dr J. F. Brady	for 1/4 Salary	Amount, £ 25 . 0 . 0
"	Same	Salary two days	11 . 0
41	Eliza Taylor	1/4 Salary	1 . 15 . 0
42	Jane Morton	Do	1 . 15 . 0
43	Timothy Byrne	1/4 Rent	1 . 15 . 0
Hacketstown & Coolkenno			
44	Dr John Boleter	1/4 Salary	25 . 0 . 0
45	Jane Hurch	1/4 Rent	2 . 0 . 0
46	Anne Cooper	Do	1 . 10 . 0
Tinahely & Ballykeagh			
47	Dr Richard Croly	1/4 Salary	25 . 0 . 0
"	Jane	1/4 Rent	1 . 10 . 0
48	Charles Byrne	Do	1 . 10 . 0
49	Fanny Dowse	1/4 Salary	1 . 5 . 0

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
29	1	Dr Francis & G. King	2	10	0
30	4	Benjamin Hopkins	3	15	0
35	4	Samuel Correll	2	0	0
36	4	Robert Wells	1	10	0
40	Coollattin & Shongaul	Dr Francis H. Brady	3	16	7
44	Hacketstown & Borlin	Dr John Bolster	3	15	0
47	Tinahely & Ashtaugh	Dr R. Croly	3	15	0

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

A letter was read from Mr. Berry to state that he had not yet received the report from the Committee for the Tinahely Water Works

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Mr. Spain attended upon the Board on behalf of the Committee appointed to examine the Plans &c. for the Shankill Water Works, and presented a report to same, which the Board approved of

The Guardians unanimously agreed to the following resolution

"That the Engineer be instructed to prepare Plans & Specifications in accordance with the report of the Committee of the 8th Instant and that the same be forwarded by the Clerk of the Union to the Local Government Board for their approval

That if approved the Local Government Board be asked to sanction the Loan

That the Clerk advertise for tenders for the Work on Friday the 1st July next & that the Engineer be requested to lodge Duplicates of the Plans & Specifications in the Board Room on or before this day week & that the tenders already lodged be returned after the Contractor for the present plan has been approved"

It was agreed that Mr. Dalton be authorized to have the Water pumped into the Pond to the Dublin Corporation in Terenure

Ralph D Lawrenson
Ch.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 24th

day of June 1887

Signed, Benj. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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Shillelagh UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS,

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 17th day of June 1887

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

Other Members:—

Hon. Hugh L. D. Boscawen J.P., Majr. G. J. Newton J.P., Ralph D. Lawrenson J.P., Louis Montfort J.P., Edward Byrne J.P. Robt. Taylor, Thomas F. Haskins, Richard Lamie, Ralph Lawrenson, Nicholas O'Toole, Robert Carey, Edward Byrne, Patrick Byrne, Joseph Hopkins, Peter Dalton, Andrew Wolohan, and Edward Grange.

A letter was read from Mr. Divay, Engineer, enclosing Amended Copies of Plans &c. for the erection of Labourers Cottages; and also asking for report from the Watercourse Committee

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Ralph D. Lawrenson
Ch.

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 24th day of June 1887

(Signed) Guy Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of June 1887

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	381	169
Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	33
Fever Sheds		
Total	431	202

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 16 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	46	39	34	20	12	18	5	11	203
Admitted during the Week, . .	35	7	-	-	1	3	4	1	2	53
TOTAL	53	53	39	34	21	15	22	6	13	256
Discharged during the Week, . .	31	8	1	-	3	4	4	1	1	53
Died, ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Total Discharged and Dead, . .	31	8	1	-	3	4	5	1	1	54
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . .	22	45	38	34	18	11	17	5	12	202

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,	14
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	33	In Wards with other Inmates,	2
TOTAL,	101	TOTAL,	16

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	35	7	11	53
No. in Workhouse at date	5	"	"	5

No. at corresponding period last year, 215

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18th day of June 1887 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.	22	30					Bt. forward,						
No. II.	34	60					No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No.XVII.						
Car. forward,							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of *Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday the 24th day of June 1887

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Ralph D. Lawrenson Esq J.P. D.L.

Other Guardians:— Messrs G. G. Newton Louis Hamilton Edwd. Byrne Robt. Taylor Richard James, Ralph Lawrenson Geo Simkins Wm Butler Edwd. Byrne Thos. Swan Patrick Byrne Joseph Hopkins John Kiely Thos. Dowling Richd. M. Dowse Edwd. Grange Thos. D. Lawrenson and Michael Hayden

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 803 *to No.* 840 *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 - - - - - £ 64 . 0 . 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 146 . 5 . 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 122 . 1 . 0

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 for the entire Union.

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

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 24 : 6 : 11
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 28 : 4 : 0
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 2 : 8
Average Cost in Infirmary : 3 : 6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 6 : 0

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

384 4lb Loaves of Bread
96 Eggs
24 lbs Butter
240 lbs Beef
56 lbs Mutton
38 Gallons of Buttermilk
198 Do Sweetmilk
4 Cwt Soap

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 18th *day of* June *188*7 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	5	5	6
In Kind, ...			
Total, ...	£ 5	5	6

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.
Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

		£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

			£	s.	d.
60	Thomas Hickey	Wages as Schoolmaster	5	14	0
61	Patrick Kirwan	Do as Tailor	4	10	0
62	Thomas Dowse	Sundry repairs &c	2	7	0
63	Samuel Cowell	Insurance	4	13	6

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

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8. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
59	Eliza Mc Gurk	Meat supplied	20	12	10

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 following letter addressed to the Guardians was read from Dr. King. V.

Gentlemen

In case the Board wish to adopt a special dietary for Roman Catholic patients in the Infirmary I think that such a dietary as I have drawn out in the accompanying form would be suitable and I beg to submit the same to the Board as they requested on last Board day.

	Breakfast	Dinner	Supper
Adults	6 oz Bread ⅛ oz Tea 1 oz Sugar	8 oz Bread ⅛ oz Tea 1 oz Sugar	6 oz Bread 4 Baggins Stirabout
M. I children	do d. d.	do d. d.	do d. d.

W. I Diet only to be available on Fridays and for Roman Catholic patients only and subject to discretion of Medical Officer

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

The Guardians agreed to approve of the foregoing Dietary as selected by the Medical Officer for Roman Catholic Patients only, subject to the approval of the Local Government Board, Mr. Hopkins dissenting on the ground that a second authorized Standard dietary for certain patients only in the same Class and on the same number of diet, in the Medical Officers' Weekly Return Book, is not in accordance with the prescribed rules as read, (Poor Law Compendium) Article 13, Rule 13, for framing Sick dietaries.

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

A Tender was read from John Davis to make the Wash Trough for the the Workhouse Laundry with red Pine timber 1½ inch thick for the sum of Five Pounds

Major Newton proposed & Mr. Dowling seconded that the Tender of John Davis be accepted to make a new Trough for the Laundry of red pine timber similar to the old one for the sum of Five Pounds.

It was proposed by Mr. E. Byrne, seconded by Mr. James & passed unanimously that Thomas Hickey, Shoemaker, be paid during the period of his illness from the 4th June to the 27th June at 2/- per day and request the sanction of the Local Government Board accordingly.

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 26758/87 23rd June 1887

Letter read from the Local Government Board for Ireland to inform the Board of Guardians of this Union that they have received the Half-yearly Report of their Inspector Mr. Robinson on the Union which is of a very satisfactory character as regards its financial state, the general management & condition of the Workhouse and the performance of their duties by the several officers.

No 92 M/87 Miscellaneous. 22nd June 1887

From same to call the Clerk's attention to their Circular of the 9th April last requesting a Return of the Honorary Officers of the several Dispensary Committees in the Union without any further delay.

The Board proceeded to consider Tenders, as invited, to supply the Workhouse with Pure New Milk and Buttermilk from the 1st July 1887 to the 1st July 1888, when the same were read as follows viz.-

Mrs Kate B. Symes	Sweetmilk at	1¾d	per Imperial Gallon &
same	Buttermilk at	3d	do
Miss Elizabeth Hopkins	Newmilk @	1¾d	do
same	Buttermilk @	3d	do
Mr. Thomas Kenny	Newmilk @	1¾d	do
same	Buttermilk @	3d	do

Major Newton proposed & Mr. Swan seconded that the Tender of Mrs Symes be accepted for New Milk at 1¾d & Buttermilk at 3d per gallon; & also the Tender of Miss Hopkins for New Milk at 1¾d and Buttermilk at 3d per Gallon.

The Guardians also proceeded to consider Tenders as advertised to supply the Workhouse with 145 Tons of the best Whitehaven Coal; and 30 Tons of the best Kilkenny Coal. When the Tender of Mr. Edward Gleeson was read to supply 145 Tons of the best Whitehaven Coal at 21/2d per ton; as also the Tender of Patrick Doran to supply 30 Tons of the best Kilkenny Coal at 18/- per ton & likewise Michael Whelan at 19/6d per ton

Mr. L.D. Lawrenson proposed & Mr. Taylor seconded & passed unanimously that the Tender of Mr. Gleeson be accepted to supply 145 Tons of the best Whitehaven Coal at 21/2d per ton.

Mr. Dowling proposed and Major Newton seconded & passed that the Tender of Patrick Doran be accepted to supply the Workhouse with 30 Tons of the best Kilkenny Coal at 18/- per ton.

It was proposed by Mr. E. D. Byrne, seconded by Major Newton & passed unanimously viz.

"That when advertising for Whitehaven Coal in future the Board shall require the bill of lading to be produced on delivery of the Coal."

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The Committee appointed[10] to examine the reports &c on the Workhouse Schools made the following report viz-

"Your Committee have carefully examined the Inspectors Reports for a number of years of both Schools & judging from the favorable reports of Miss Lawler they have great pleasure in recommending her an increase of £5 per year.

The reports of Mr. Fiveleng not being quite so satisfactory we cannot recommend him any increase at present"

Signed { Ralph D. Lawrenson
E. L. Byrne
Robert Taylor

June 24th 1887

Major Newton proposed & Mr. Grange seconded that Miss Lawler's Salary remain unaltered,

Amendment proposed by Mr. Butler & seconded by Mr. Hayden that the recommendation of the Committee be adopted

The Board divided when Eight Guardians voted for the Amendment ~~which was declared carried~~ which was declared lost.

eight against it

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	4
Ditto disallowed	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	0
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	5
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	5
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	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)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

Shillelagh UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 24th day of June 1887

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts.

Present—In the Chair, Ralph D. Lawrenson Resg P. D. U. C.

Other Guardians. Mess^rs George L. Newton J.P. Louis Montfort J.P., Edward Byrne J.P., Robert Taylor, Rich^d. Lamb, Ralph Lawrenson, Joe Tomkins, Cuscie Butler, Edward Byrne, Thomas Swan, Patrick Byrne, Joseph Hopkins, John Kelly, Thomas Dowling, Richard M. Doyle, Edward Grange, Thomas D. Lawrenson and Michael Hayden.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

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

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from ~~dated~~

stating that

W. C. J. Byrne having informed the Board that in order to repair the Water Course at Tinahely, Mentioned last Board day, it would be necessary to get permission from each of the Occupiers of two Gardens named James Keppenach and John Bourke respectively to do so

Guardians authorized the Clerk to write and ask permission of the Occupiers Mentioned to trespass their Gardens in order to repair the Water Course

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

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

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

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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*] :—

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The following communication, addressed to the Chairman, was read as follows viz:—

"We the undersigned, respectfully invite the attention of your Board to the great want of water for humane use in Kilquiggin, and earnestly solicit, and make Application to your Board to erect a Pump in the Village. The dearth of water, especially in warm ~~weather~~ weather is sufficient to produce epidemics among the inhabitants who number more than 100 persons. We confidently hope that your Board will favourably entertain this Application"

"Signed" "William Byrne P.P.
Patrick Byrne P.L.G.
Martin Keely
James R. Wall
Patrick McGuire
Lawrence Byrne
Thomas Thorpe
Thomas Tallon
William Creagh Sat. Teacher"

The Board appointed Messrs. Thos. F. Haskins. Patk. Byrne. Jas. Wall. Thos. Thorpe + Willm. Speares as a Committee to inspect + report thereon by the next Board day.

Frank R. Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 1st day of July 188 7

Signed, Benj. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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 24th day of June 188 7

PRESENT: In the Chair— Ralph D. Lawrenson Esq J.P. D.V.L.

Other Members:—

Messrs. George L. Newton J.P., Louis Montfort J.P., Edward Byrne J.P., Robert Taylor, Richard Lamie, Ralph Lawrenson, Tom Tomkins, Piers Butler, Edward Byrne, Thomas Swan, Patrick Byrne, Joseph Hopkins, John Kelly, Thomas Dowling, Richard M. Dowse, Edward Grange, Thomas D. Lawrenson and Michael Hayden.

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Frans D. Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 1st day of July 1887

(Signed) Bury Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881— *Present Net Annual Value, £*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of June 1887

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	164
Temporary Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	34
Fever Sheds		
Total,	931	198

	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	45	38	34	18	11	14	5	12	202
Admitted during the Week,	27	5 2	"	2	"	1	"	2		39
TOTAL	49	50	40	34	20	11	18	5	14	241
Discharged during the Week,	29	4	3	1	2	1		2		43
Died,										
Total Discharged and Dead,	29	4	3	1	1	2	1		2	43
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	20	46	37	33	19	9	17	5	12	198

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 68	In separate Wards, 16	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 34	In Wards with other Inmates, "	
TOTAL, 102	TOTAL, 16	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	19	5	5	29
No. in Workhouse at date	"	"	"	"

No. at corresponding period last year, 205

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25th day of June 1887 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.	22	39				
No. II.	34	60				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward.						

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

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 1st *day of* July 1887

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Francis D. Brooke Esq J.P. V.C.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs Ralph D. Lawrenson J.P., Edward Byrne J.P., Piers Butler, Thomas Swan, William Hopkins, Peter Dalton, and Michael Hayden and Thomas Dowling.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 841 *to No.* 876 *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 - - - - - £ 135 " 0 . 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 86 " 9 . 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 121 " 11 . 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 for the entire Union.

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

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	34	14	0
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	26	14	10
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	0

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

380 4 lb Loaves of Bread
6 Dozen Eggs
1 Bottle Brandy
200 lbs Mutton
80 lbs Beef
34 Gallons Buttermilk
198 ~~77~~ Gallons Sweetmilk
1 Water Barrel
1 Slop Bucket
1 Saw
2 Hay forks

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 25th *day of* June 188 4

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	5	5	6
In Kind,			
Total,	£ 5	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:—

Mr. Robert Ellis, Relieving Officer, applied for and was granted leave of absence for three days next week to Commence 6th Instant. Mr. Carroll to do his duty.

The Board appointed Major Newton Messrs. P.D. Lawrenson Edward Byrne Thomas Swan, Price Butler, & Thomas Dowling as a Committee to consider the expenditure and financial condition of the Union, on this day fortnight

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

The Master reports that the hay crop grown on the Workhouse farm is now made into Cocks and ready for sale. 9 Cocks to be sold.

The Guardians agreed to have the hay referred to in the Masters report sold by auction.

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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 proposed by Mr. J. Byrne seconded by Mr Dowling and passed unanimously as follows viz!

"That the Clerk be directed to forward the last batch of Representations for Labourers Cottages which have been approved of by the Guardians in the Electoral Divisions of Hacketstown, Coolballintaggart, Clonmore and Shroldstown to the Boards Solicitor with instructions to have Schemes prepared by this day month."

The Clerk was directed to prepare by this day three Weeks Estimate of Rates to meet the Expenditure of the Union for the ensuing ~~present~~ year

Mr. Swan proposed Mr Dowling seconded and agreed unanimously that the sum of £1-5-0 be paid Mrs Corrigan, Matron, in accordance with Notice of Major Newton on Minutes of the 29th April last, as remuneration for her services during the vacancy in the Office of Infirmary Nurse; and request the sanction of the Local Government Board for same

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

Shillelagh UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 12th day of July 1887

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts.

Present—In the Chair, Francis J. Brooke Esqre J.P. V.C.

Other Guardians.

Messrs Ralph D. Lawrenson J.P., Edward Byrne J.P., Pierce Butler, Thomas Swan, William Hopkins, Peter Dalton, and Michael Hayden and Thomas Dowling.

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

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

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

The 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	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	0
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	"
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	56
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	11

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

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

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

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

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

_____

_____

_____

_____

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

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
~~Wardship Ashtown~~	~~Robt Bridge~~	~~Drainage &c~~	~~Repairs of Sewer "Sand Hill"~~

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

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

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] :—

A letter was read from Mr. Burr, engineer in which he expressed a doubt whether the plan & Specification of the Tinahely Waterworks would be Completed by the 24th Ultimo

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As the drawings and Specification for the Enaskey Water Works, in accordance with the report of the Committee, had not been received from Mr. Berry, nor Tenders from Contractors, the Guardians agreed as follows viz:-

"That the consideration of the question of Enaskey Water Works be postponed until this day week, and the Clerk to give Notice of same, and also receive new Tenders for such Works up to the hour of 12.30 o'Clock on the aforesaid day."

The Guardians unanimously adopted the following resolution viz:-

"That the Clerk write to Mr. Berry, Engineer, to inform him that his delay in furnishing Plans and Specifications for the Enaskey Water Works has caused the Board the greatest inconvenience; and that they must impress on him the absolute necessity of at once furnishing Copies of Plans and Specifications to the Clerk of the Union; and to let the Contractors see the Plans etc. in his Office so that the Board may have some tenders before them this day week. On which day the matter of the Enaskey Water Works will be thoroughly gone into."

Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 8th day of July 188 7

Signed Berry Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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 13th day of July 188 7

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

Other Members:—

Messrs R. D. Lawrenson J.P., Edward Byrne J.P., Piers Butler, Thomas Swan, William Hopkins, Peter Dallon, Michael Hayden and Thomas Dowling.

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Frank Brooke
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on Thursday the 8th day of July 1887

(Signed) Guy Hopkins
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Shillelagh UNION.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of July 1887

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	169
Temporary Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	34
Fever Sheds		
Total	931	203

	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,	20	46	39	33	19	9	17	5	12	198
Admitted during the Week, Born during the week	23	14	2		2		1		1	42
TOTAL	43	60	39	33	21	9	18	5	13	241
Discharged during the Week,	25	9			1		1		1	36
Died,							1			2
Total Discharged and Dead,	25	9			1		2		1	38
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	18	51	39	33	20	9	16	5	12	203

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,	16
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	34	In Wards with other Inmates,	"
TOTAL	103	TOTAL	16

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 16	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	23	12	2	37
No. in Workhouse at date	2	2	"	4

No. at corresponding period last year, 211

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of July 1887 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.	22	30				
No. II.	34	60				
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward,						

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

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* Friday *the* 8th *day of* July 1887

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Frances J. Brooke Esq DL & C.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs Ralph D. Lawrenson DL, Edwd Byrne DL, Robert Taylor, Thomas H. Haskins, Ralph Lawrenson, Peter Doyle, Nicholas Cole, John Lyons, Edward Byrne, Thomas Swan, Joseph Hopkins and Edward Grange. and Richard James.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 874 *to No.* 913 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1 *to No.* 4 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

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

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

Paid during the week - - - - - £

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Treasurer's a/c was not rec'd this week —

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	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 for the entire Union.

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

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

£ : : *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	23	12	5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - - - Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	26	16	4
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - -		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - - -		3	6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -		6	0

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

378, 4 lb. Loaves of Bread
1 Bottle Brandy
195 lbs Mutton
102 lbs Beef
24 lbs Butter
3 4 Gallons Buttermilk
198 Do Swutmilk
2 Sides Kip Leather

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 2nd *day of* July 188 4 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	5	5	6
In Kind, ...			
Total, ...	£ 5	5	6

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

			£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

			£	s.	d.
66	Benjamin Hopkins	Cattle Plague	2	0	0
"	Johanna Mills	Postage Requisition Forms	2	8	6
"	Samuel Matthews	Painting Notices		10	0
67	James Byrne	Swine Fever	1	2	6
68	Patrick Byrne	Repair Water Works Engine	1	0	0

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

			£	s.	d.
64	Elizabeth Hopkins	Milk Supplied	47	15	2
65	Kate B. Symes	Do	9	19	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 :—

Dr King, Workhouse Medical Officer, wrote in his Journal as follows :—

"I beg to state that I have discharged a patient named Ireland from Infirmary for insubordination. He is suffering from an affection of one eye and is now sufficiently improved in his condition to render him able to work and attend Dr Bolster's Dispensary."

Notice was read from Mr. Finlay, Auditor to state he will attend on Thursday the 14th Instant to audit the Union accounts

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

The Master reports that about three Tons of Straw are required for bedding purposes in the Workhouse

Ordered — The Master to procure the Straw mentioned

The Master was directed to supply a Suit of Clothing, to Margaret Sullivan, a School-girl, whose mother is taking her out of the Workhouse

The Master also reported the case of Daniel Kelly (a man of weak intellect for deserting his family) which was brought before the Board, when the Guardians of the Division Mr. Taylor & Mr. Bowe were requested to enquire into it by Friday next.

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

+ It was moved by Mr. E. J. Hynes seconded by Mr. Doyle and passed as follows

"That the Clerk allow Messrs. T. O'Toole and J. Hynes to inspect the list of Votes for the election of Guardians in Hacketstown Division, and the Statement of Claims Form A 1 of William Dwyer."

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 26762 – 8ᵍ

1st July 1887

Letter addressed to the Clerk of Returning Officer was read from the Local Government Board for Ireland with reference to their letter of the 8th Ultimo to inform him that they have received from their Inspector, Mr. Robinson, his report together with the minutes of evidence taken at the Inquiry held by him respecting certain of the votes recorded at the recent Election of a Guardian for the Hacketstown Electoral Division of this Union.

As already observed in the Board's letter above mentioned, it is clear from your communication of the 2nd Ultimo that no vote ought to have been allowed in respect of the voting paper bearing the name of "Moses Darcy" as you state that the person in occupation of the holding for which "Moses Darcy" is rated distinctly informed you that he had

not signed the voting paper in question, upon which, it appears two votes were recorded for Messrs O'Toole and Lyons.

From the evidence taken by Mr. Robinson at the inquiry there appears to be no doubt that the voting papers executed by the Messrs. Pollard were not recorded in accordance with the wishes of the voters. Henry Pollard, Senior, who is rated on a valuation of £32.10.0 :- and is, consequently entitled to two votes deposed that he duly executed the voting paper No 17 in favor of Messrs Jones and Hopkins, and Henry Pollard Junior, whose valuation is £8.15.0 :- and who is only entitled to one vote, deposed that he executed the voting Paper No 16 in favor of Messrs O'Toole and Lyons; it seems however, that 2 votes were recorded for Messrs O'Toole and Lyons and only one vote was recorded for Messrs. Jones and Hopkins on these papers.

From what is stated above it will be seen that three votes were wrongly recorded at the Election for Messrs. O'Toole and Lyons, and that Messrs. Jones and Hopkins were entitled to one vote in addition to those counted for them; and as the numbers of votes shown by your Return to have been recorded for the candidates are, for Messrs. O'Toole and Lyons 167 each, and for Messrs Jones and Hopkins 163 each, the alteration which would be effected by the deduction of 3 votes from those counted for Messrs O'Toole and Lyons and the addition of one vote to those counted for Messrs. Jones and Hopkins, would make the number of votes for each of the 4 candidates equal.

It appears, therefore, that Messrs O'Toole and Lyons did not obtain a majority of valid votes at the Election and the Board deem it necessary in pursuance of the power vested in them by the 23 Section of the 6 and 7 vic. Chap. 92 to issue an Order under Seal setting aside their return as Guardians for the Hacketstown Electoral Division of the Union, and they will issue a further order in due course for an Election to supply the

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vacancies thus caused in the representation of the Division

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... 56

Ditto disallowed 0

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 56

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)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

Shillelagh UNION,

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 8th day of July 1887

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts.

Present—In the Chair, Francis J. Brooke Esq J.P. V.C. D.L.

Other Guardians. Messrs Ralph D. Lawrenson J.P., Edward Byrne J.P., Robert Taylor, Thos. F. Haskins, R. Lawrenson Esq. Doyle, Nicholas Toole, John Lyons, Edward Byrne, Thomas Byrne, Joseph Hopkins and Edward Grangl, and Richard James.

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

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

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

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

_____ *Dispensary District.*

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

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

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

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

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_____

_____

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

The Guardians agreed to allow a man named Patrick Byrne the sum of £1 on account of cost repairing the Sewer, which conveys Water to the Public Cistern at Tinahely.

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Tinahely &c	Richd. Croly	Supply of Water	Repairs of Sewer & Sewer Well

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

The Guardians agreed on the last Board day that Mr. Hayden with Mr. Dallon be authorized to have the Sewer, which ~~The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:~~ conveys Water from the Mill Stream at Tinahely to the Public Cistern repaired as also the "Sewer Well" and procure pipes if necessary for the work."

The following letter addressed to the Clerk was read viz:—

"I have no objection to the Water Sewer through my garden being opened and I shall leave the Compensation to Mr. Dallon and Mr. Hayden Poor Law Guardians."

"James Pepperman"

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

The following letter addressed to the Clerk was read from ~~and Orders were made to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows]:—~~ Mr. Berry, Engineer,—

"I very much regret the inconvenience your Board was put to by not having the Tinahely Plan before them last Friday. I was quite unable to attend to my work last week and I was advised by my Doctor to rest.

I dictated a letter to you on this day week which would have explained the delay but I find it was not sent to Shillelagh. The only gentleman who called on me in reference to the amended plans was Mr. Dixon. I have requested Messrs Baird

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