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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was - - - - - 12 : 16 : 3

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 18 : 14 : 6

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - : 3 : 0

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4 : 0

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : : :

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

1000 lb Beans	3 lb Tobacco
42 . Butter	4 . Candles
51 . Meat	56 . Soap
28 . Meal	1 1/4 . Starch
68 Eggs	1/4 . Blue
400 qts milk	4 gal P. Oil
1/2 St. Salt	
26 lb Tea	
112 . Sugar	
5 . Rice	
15 Sheepheads	
1/4 lb Pepper	

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

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

The Outdoor 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 Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - -	15	3	4
In kind, - - -			
Total, - - -	£ 15	3	4

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 Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Order on Contractors.	
		Article and quantity.	Value.			Article and quantity.	Value.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
No. I.					Brought forward,		
No. II.				No. X.			
No. III.				No. XI.			
No. VI.				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 F. Winer Clerk of Peace's salary	20		
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Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.



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

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 (for Orders made on them respectively as follow):—

Lg B. Misc Letter No. 5. Dated 15<sup>th</sup> February 1898  
Election of Guardians X.  
Read

Lg B Letter No. 6637. Dated 15<sup>th</sup> February 1898  
With reference to the Supplemental list of persons in the Clifden Dispensary District approved by the Board of Guardians on the 11<sup>th</sup> inst for employment on relief works opened in the Union  
Referred to Relieving officers by Dow King's Compe for provision and to be transmitted to the Local Government Board with this days minutes -  
Lists revised sent herewith together with the list of persons approved of at Board meeting on the 14<sup>th</sup> inst also revised

Lg B. Misc Letter No. 2500. Dated 16<sup>th</sup> February 1898  
With reference to the preparation of lists of persons for employment on relief works in operation in the Union, pointing out the names of all destitute persons employed on the works must appear in the Relieving officers Application and Report Books and must be submitted at each meeting of the Guardians for their decision as if they were ordinary cases of outdoor relief &c &c.

Referred to Relieving officers

Lg B Letter No. 6647 198 Dated 17<sup>th</sup> February 98  
Accepting the resignation of Mr. Richard Dwyer as Guardian for the Electoral Division of Knockboy  
Read

Lg B Letter No. 7256 Dated 19<sup>th</sup> February 1898  
Approving of the appointment of Mr. Valentine Canavan as an additional Timekeeper on the relief works opened at Bromore in the Skerrin Electoral Division, stating that they cannot see their way to sanction the Guardians proposal to allow children over 16 years of age of persons at present employed on the works to represent their parents while the latter are engaged in Spring work. and Expressing their sanction to the employment of a temporary Assistant to the Clerk in connexion with the relief works at a remuneration of £1. a week three fourths of which will be recouped by the Local Government Board.  
Read

Resolved: That we beg leave most respectfully to again approach the Local Government Board on the subject of ~~children~~ substituting children over the age of 16 of parents at present employed on relief works to replace them during the spring season. We



We Consider if this is not allowed the poor people must of necessity neglect their Spring work which will leave them in a worse position next year than they are in at present

John J Connolly  
Cornelius King

Adopted

L.G.B Letter No. 7403 Dated 19th February '98

Informing the Guardians that having examined the lists of payments made for week ended the 12th instants to labourers, timekeepers, Supervisors, and paymasters, employed in connexion with the relief works opened in the Union amounting to £23: 15: 7 which they find correct. They having given directions for the payment of a sum of £17: 15: 7 to the Treasurer of the Union - stating that recoupment is not made in respect of the wages of Tom King and John Reilly

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 -

Being disallowed, - - - - -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was -

Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians -

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

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

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

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day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk of the Union.

employed on the Cashel Cross Road and of Michael Malley employed on the Inishnee Road as the money was not paid to the persons themselves, and that when receipts have been obtained these sums may be included in the next pay sheets, when recoupment will be made - Sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Richard Hynes and Mr. Michael King as paymasters on the works at a remuneration of £3. a week each.

Read

The Clerk submitted a draft for £17: 15: 7 which was signed by the Chairman two Guardians and the Clerk and forwarded to the Union Treasurer to be placed to the credit of the Relief a/c. 1898

Relieving officers Canavan & Coyne submitted lists of persons for employment on relief works which are sent herewith being first approved by the Board.

Relieving officers Canavan & Coyne also submitted lists of persons now employed on relief works for the purpose of having their names struck off as follows -

Knockboy Ed

John King (Jr), Dooncher, John Green, Halfmace Wm Green, Colman Lydon, Val, John Green Darty, and Pat Geary all approved, Martin John Cullen and Colman Geary. As next

Roundstone Ed.

Bridget W. Donagh & Mary Duane of Eleeston, Mr. Malley and John Gorman Bartley at Roundstone



Moyrus E.D.  
John Rully of Littercamp, John King of Rosdun  
Peter Nolan Jnr, Canowes & John Keegan, Canowes

Skannice E.D.  
Mich Lyden of Rusteenamaneagh & Mich Mulhollan  
of Kilturmin

Droycunla E.D.  
John Coyne Aillenacally

Renryfe E.D.  
John Connolly (Philip) Droycunla, Ino Canavan of  
Tonadavavann and Ino Malley of Cloonboann

Beleggan E.D.  
Martin Mullen Par, Bunnadoulas

Rev James Kelly C.C. Claddaghduff introduced a  
deputation of the poor people of Rushadilish  
advocating the building of a wall or breastwork  
at Rushadilish

The Board approves of same as a relief work  
Letter received from the Station Officer at Beleggan  
on the subject sent herewith

Read memorial (which is sent herewith) signed by  
the principal inhabitants of the Cleggan Electoral  
Division in connexion with the Sheanus road

The Board also approves of this as a relief work

Adverting to a previous resolution of this Board  
directing the several Relieving Officers to  
publish the names of persons on out-door relief

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-  
mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

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

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

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

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the Half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

_____ District,	=	£
_____ District,	=	£
_____ District,	=	£
_____ District,	=	£

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

Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ 189  
stating that

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, the 30th June, the 30th September, and the 31st December.]  
Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

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

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\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

not having been complied with  
Resolved: That they be called upon to comply with said order. —  
Adopted

Comptroler King  
John J. Conolly  
The Clerk reported he would be absent from his office for the remainder of the week in Connexion with the seed distribution at the following places  
Lettistrawa on Tuesday the 22<sup>nd</sup>  
Roundstone on Wednesday the 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Milkevin on Thursday Friday 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>  
Clifden on Saturday the 26<sup>th</sup>  
Williamstown

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Galway County



UNION.

**PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS,**

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

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

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

District.	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts (or directions were given thereon as follows):—

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

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Clifden UNION.

Seed Supply LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS  
46 & 47 Vic., cap. 60, and 48 & 49 Vic., cap. 7X.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Monday, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of February 1898.

PRESENT—IN THE CHAIR, George H O'Flaherty Esq, J.P. &c

OTHER MEMBERS:— see page

Lg B Mr's Letter No. s. 90. H Dated 11<sup>th</sup> Febry 98.  
Transmitting Copy of 45 a report which they have received from their Inspector M. P. V. Perry relative to the final inspection of the seed satisfactory

Lg B Letter No. 5273 Dated 16<sup>th</sup> February 1898  
Approving of the application for the loans as mentioned in the estimate which accompanied the guardians resolution on the 20<sup>th</sup> instant applying for loans for the purchase of Seed potatoes and oats for the use of united Electoral Divisions of the Union

Read

Lg B Letter No. 1151. Dated 17<sup>th</sup> February 1898  
Drawing special attention to the Board's regulations respecting payments made in Cash to the guardians for seed sold by them to be attended to

William Gorham

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.



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Population in 1891—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of February 1898.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, - - -	790	113												
Temporary Buildings, -														
Additional Workhouse, -														
Permanent Fever Hospital, -	32													
Fever Sheds, - - -														
Total, - - -	822	113												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, - - -			1	4	33	54	2	5	1	2	13	115	15	
Admitted during the Week, - - -						1						2		
TOTAL, - - -			1	4	33	55	2	5	1	2	13	117	15	
Discharged during the Week, - - -						2						2		
Died, - - -							2					2		
Total Discharged and Died, - - -						2	2					4		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, - - -			1	4	32	53	2	5	1	2	13	113		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending SATURDAY, the 26th day of February 1898, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	46	88					Bt. forwd.,						
No. II.	33	142					No. X.						
No. III.	29	71					No. XI.						
No. IV.	32	94					No. XII.						
No. V.	28	72					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.,	168	467					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 28th day of February 1898.

PRESENT: In the Chair, William Gorham Esq. D.V. O

Other Guardians: Gilman Bourne Esq. J. James Gorham Esq. J. P. Joseph Gorham Esq. J. P. John Darcy Esq. John Rudy Esq. J. J. Connolly Esq. Cornelius King Esq. M. Mangan Esq. R. A. Blake Esq. J. J. Darcy Esq. Joseph Cooke Esq. Mary R. Rutledge Esq. J. J. J.

Next Meeting to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1898.

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_ Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. <sup>671</sup> ~~717~~ to No. 672, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor 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 the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

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

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

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ : :

And that the Balance on the Account \_\_\_\_\_ the Guardians was £ : :

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged during the Week.			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged.			Remaining Uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Martin Coyne	Ballinashill									
	Cleggau									
	Cuckhillbeg									
	Renryfe									
Michael Lydon	Knockboy									
	Bunowen									
	Clifflen									
	do (Water Rate)									
	Doonlonghan									
	Errislane									
Martin Lydon	Inishbaffin									
	Sillerna									
	Knockboy									
James Morgan	Quongowla									
	Skannwe									
	Bencor									
	Deroycurda									
	Deroyca									
	Illin									
	Moyrus									
	Roundstone									

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



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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was = £ 241 : 6 : 11

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 18 : 19 : 1

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - : 3 : 0

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 14 : 0

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : : :

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

1000 lb Bread
40 Butter
52 Meat
72 Eggs
7 Salt
26 Tea
112 Sugar
15 Sheepshead
1/4 lb Pepper
5 Hqs Brandy
15 Small Potatoes
48 Ogs Tobacco

4 Candles
1 1/4 Starch
1/4 Blue
4 gal Oil

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

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

The Outdoor 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 Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 1898, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

Table with columns for £, s., d. and rows for 'In money', 'In kind', and 'Total'.

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

The Requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing Week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, Cheques on the Treasurer and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value respectively:

Table with columns for RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Cheque on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, and Value.

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 :

Table with columns for Description, £, s., d. and rows for 'Seed Supply etc', 'Fustus King Clerk etc', 'Joseph Fisher for Conveyance of his.', 'Union Treasurer to meet Cash Order Bennett', 'do do'.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Table with columns for Description, £, s., d. and rows for 'price of Capt Thomson's additional law for Salouch Graveyard'.

Relief of Distress Act 1898

Table with columns for Description, £, s., d. and rows for 'Richard Hynes Paymaster', 'Mick King', 'Richard Hynes', 'Mick King', 'Mick King', 'Richard Hynes'.

The above Cheques were omitted from last minutes
Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

98 Testus King mill etc

£ s. d.

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Outdoor 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 follow:—

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

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

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 follow):—

L.G.B. Letter No. 1654 Dated 22<sup>nd</sup> February 1898  
Requesting to be informed whether Relieving Officer  
Corney has yet reported as to the application of  
William Cranston for out door relief &c  
Relieving officer Corney's report together with Cranston's  
letter sent herewith

L.G.B. Letter No. 19. m Dated 25<sup>th</sup> February '98  
Electron of Guardians forwarding two  
Copies of form in which the account  
of expenses should be made out &c

Read

L.G.B. Letter No. 8669 Dated 26<sup>th</sup> February 1898  
Informing the Guardians that they have received  
from their Inspector Major Ruddle, Fair a  
report in reference to the manner in which

the present operations for relief of distress are  
being carried out by the Guardians and their  
officers and the Board note from the report  
that Mr. Jahnking temporary Relieving officer  
for the Bunowen, Errislanan & Doonoughan  
Electoral Division appears to have discharged  
the duties imposed on him in connection with  
the revision of lists of persons seeking  
employment on the works in a most unsatisfactory  
manner &c &c &c  
and requesting the Guardians to call upon  
him for his immediate resignation and  
appoint a suitable person as temporary Relieving  
Officer in his place.

Resolved:— Mr. King having come before the Board  
tendered his resignation in obedience to the  
Local Government Board's letter which the  
Board now accept.

Resolved:— Seeing that so serious a charge against  
Ex Assistant R. O. Jahnking's conduct in  
putting persons on the labour test works  
who are represented as having large numbers  
of Cattle, &c on behalf of Mr. King demand  
the names of the parties represented as  
having large numbers of Cattle &c.

Adopted

Bernard J. Lee  
John J. Connolly

Resolved:— That Relieving officer Lydon be  
appointed to do the duty in the Electoral  
Divisions of Bunowen, Errislanan, and  
Doonoughan, the district now resigned by  
Mr. King) and that he be paid at the rate  
of 18/- a week as an additional Salary

R. Atteroll Blake Gillman Brown  
Unanimously adopted.



# Notice of motion

Taken notice that I will on this day fortnight move that Mr. John King Assistant Relieving Officer be paid one pound per week during the time he was employed for reasons I will then explain  
 Cornelius King

L.G.B. Letter No. 82471 Dated 26th February 1898  
 With reference to the additional lists applicants which accompanied the Guardians minutes on the 19th instant whom the Guardians propose to employ on relief works in progress in the Union and stating that they consent to the employment of the fifty persons whose names appear on the list as revised by the Relieving Officer. Copies of which they enclose.

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 -
- Of which disallowed, - - - - -
- The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -
- The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was -
- Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians -
- The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was -
- The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the Union.

Informing the Guardians that they will be prepared to consider any suitable arrangement which may be proposed with a view of securing that the Spring work will not be interrupted with the arrangement to take place effect from the 10th proximo.

Declining to sanction the building of a breakwater at Rushadilish as a relief work for that locality as skilled labour would be required, but stating that they will not however object to the proposal to repair the Sheeanns Road if it is found necessary, to open a new work in the Chaguan Electoral Division

Resolved: - That Mr. Allis be appointed Paymaster and Supervisor at one pound a week over the Relief works at Baffin Island, and that the Local Government Board be requested to repay three fourths of this sum.

Relieving Officer Canavan submitted the following <sup>names</sup> as appearing on his Application & Report Book as deserving cases for employment on Relief works  
 "Owngowla Ed."

- | Townland     | Name               |
|--------------|--------------------|
| Kylesalia    | Jane Duane         |
| Doonagh      | James Sullivan     |
|              | "Shanniel Ed."     |
| Milkeerin    | Bartley Donohoe    |
| Callowfenish | Morgan Flaherty    |
|              | Rounastone         |
| Inishnee     | Nick Mannion (Mtn) |
|              | Doonagulla         |
| Cashatrowe   | John Timmins       |

The Board approves of the foregoing names

The following persons whose names appear on Relief works lists were struck off on the recommendation of Relieving officer Canavan

Owen Gowla ED.

Gowla: Pat Faherty

Bunahowen Stephen Grealish

Moyrus ED.

Lehenagh Sarah - Thomas Mc

The following persons were struck off Relief works in Kenyle Electoral Division

Johumalloy Cloonloosan

Jesty Laffey Dawrosbeg

Tom Eagan Donnyherbit

Cleggan ED

Justus Lacey Bundouglas.

Read letter received from the Congested Districts Board

dated 26th February 1898. No. 2209

stating that they regret they cannot alter this decision in reference to the town drainage scheme. as communicated in this letter of the 30th ultimo

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GALWAY COUNTY

Clifden UNION.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Monday, the 20th day of Febry 1898.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1825.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the Half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

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

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

Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ 189\_\_\_\_ stating that

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189\_\_\_\_

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

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\_\_\_\_\_ UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS,

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

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

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

District.	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts (or directions were given thereon as follows):-

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

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Clifden UNION.

~~LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.~~

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

Seed Supply etc

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Monday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1898.

PRESENT—IN THE CHAIR,

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OTHER MEMBERS:—

The Clerk submitted draft received from the Office of Public Works, Dated 26<sup>th</sup> Feby 1898 for £1426. 16. 0 No. 362. Loign Seed Supply 1898. which was signed by the Chairman and Clerk and forwarded to the Union Treasurer

Resolved: That the Clerk send the following telegrams:—

To Bennett Bros.

- " Please quote price for delivery 25 tons
- " Champion potatoes and 10 tons oats at
- " Clifden Railway Station quote each
- " Separately.

Clerk Union

Irish Railway.

- " Can you supply Clifden Guardians with
- " 10 tons of oats same terms Irish Railway Guardians

Clerk Union

Having received replies from Messrs Bennett & Bessie.

Resolved:— That the Guardians accept the tender of Messrs Bennett Bros for 30 tons of Champion seed potatoes at 85/- per ton bags free and 10 tons of seed oats same as last at 130/- ton bags included on same terms as last contract.

Wm. J. Dalton

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1891—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March 1898.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, - - -	790	118												
Temporary Buildings, - - -														
Additional Workhouse, - - -	32	-												
Permanent Fever Hospital, - - -														
Fever Sheds, - - -														
Total, - - -	822	118												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			1	4	32	53	2	5	1	2	13	113	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, 16	In separate Wards, -
Admitted during the Week, . . .			1		4	1						6	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, -	In Wards with other Inmates, -
TOTAL, . . .			2	4	36	54	2	5	1	2	13	119	Total, 16	Total, -
Discharged during the Week, . . .			1									1		
Died, . . .														
Total Discharged and Died, . . .			1									1		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			1	4	36	54	2	5	1	2	13	118		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending SATURDAY, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March 1898, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	56	112					Bt. forwd.,						
No. II.	36	100					No. X.						
No. III.	29	71					No. XI.						
No. IV.	14	29					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.,	135	312					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 7<sup>th</sup> day of March 1898.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Henry A. Robinson Esq JP  
 Other Guardians: George W. O'Leary Esq JP  
 Joseph Gorham Esq JP  
 M. King Esq, John Darcy Esq, W. Gorham Esq  
 J. J. Conolly, Cornelius King, Thos. Caravan Esq  
 B. J. Lee, John Darcy

Next Meeting to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_ Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 673, to No. 678, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor 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 the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

Seed Loan A/C 1898 £ 1426: 16: 0 ✓

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

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

Paid during the Week, - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged during the Week.			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged.			Remaining Uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Martin Coyne	Ballinakil		11	5				83	0	3
	Cleggan	27	15	9			37	3	1	
	Cushkilly						38	15	6	
	Renoyle		14	6			81	7	6	
					29	18	240	6	4	
James Morgan	Bunowen						114	6	1	
	Clifden						29	4	8	
	do. W.B.						59	14	11	
	Doonlonghan						51	5	5	
	Errislanan						81	4	4	
	Inishbaffin						120	1	0	
	Silbera						72	12	10	
					0		793	13	3	
Martin Lydon	Knockboy						143	1	8	
	Owenpola						17	14	8	
	Shannive						70	7	0	
					0		231	2	4	
James Morgan	Bencor						38	13	4	
	Deroyunta						48	3	3	
	Deroyla						59	18	2	
	Ilhin						34	17	9	
	Moyrus						54	2	7	
	Rainastone						185	11	6	
					0		421	6	7	
					29	18	1686	9	6	

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was - - - - - 16 : 13 : 0

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 19 : 18 : 7

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - : 3 : 0 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4 : 0 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : : :

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

Handwritten list of provisions: 1030 lb Bread, 50 " Meat, 56 " Meal, 400 qb Milk, 28 lb Tea, 112 " Sugar, 12 Shippheads, 1/4 lb Pepper, 7 " Salt, 2 doz Small Btts, 3 1/2 lb Tobacco, 4 " Candles, 1 1/4 " Starch.

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 Outdoor 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 Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_ 189\_\_\_, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

Summary table: In money, - - - 11 : 12 : 0; In kind, - - - 11 : 12 : 0; Total, - £ 11 : 12 : 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:

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Cheque on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Cheque on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors. Includes rows for Nos. I-IX and X-XVII.

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.

Handwritten list of payments: 101. Michl. Canavan 5 0 0; Relief of Distress Act 1898; 7. Richd Hynes, Paymaster. 23 0 0; 8. Cyril Allis 10 0 0; 9. Michl King 30 0 0

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





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

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 follow):—

Lg B Letter No. 7258. Dated 14<sup>th</sup> March 1898  
Acknowledging receipt of the Consent of a majority of the Board of Guardians to the expenditure of a sum of £712. for the purpose of carrying out certain improvements in the workhouse.  
Refers to Mr. Barry, County Surveyor the Guardians Engineer

Lg B Letter No. 9528. Dated 5<sup>th</sup> March 1898  
Sanctioning the payment of a sum of Ten shillings which the Guardians propose to allow to Relieving Officer Thomas Lydon as remuneration for discharging the duties of Relieving Officer in the Dunowen Doonloughan and Errislanan Electoral Divisions resigned by Mr. King who had been appointed to take temporary charge of the District

Read

Lg B Letter No. 9528. Dated 5<sup>th</sup> March 1898  
Sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Cyril Allis as Paymaster and Supervisor in connection with the Relief works in Inishbaffin at a remuneration of One pound a week while so employed. Three fourths of which will be recouped by the Local Government Board

Read

Lg B Letter No. 9357. Dated 5<sup>th</sup> March 1898.  
With reference to the payments made for week ended the 19<sup>th</sup> ultimo in connexion with relief works opened in the Union amounting to £86: 7: 8 saying they had given directions for the payment of £60: 0: 5. to the Union Treasurer, attaching a table showing the names in respect of which recoupment is not made for reasons stated in the observations Column, stating that they observe in several Cases substitutes have been allowed to take the place on the works of those originally authorised to be employed, and requesting to be informed of the reasons for such substitution, and the ages of the children who have been allowed to work in place of the head of the family &c. Informing the Guardians that the County Surveyor has no authority to order an increase in the rate of wages and that recoupment will not be made in respect of wages paid in excess of that fixed by the Guardians viz: 6/- a week for men, and 5/- a week for women.

Resolved:— The Guardians having gone carefully through the lists of names in respect of which recoupment is not made amounting to £6: 7: 1 (minus 5/- in the case of Michael Heaney (James) who was employed on the Letter Road) beg to inform the Local Government

Board that the substitutes allowed to work were all able-bodied and were so permitted to work for the simple reason that they were considered more suitable and better adapted to the work to be performed than their weak and delicate parents under these circumstances the Guardians request the Local Government Board will make recoupment

Resolved: - That we again appeal to the Local Government Board to sanction the proposal of the Guardians to substitute boys and girls over 16 yrs in place of their fathers or mothers who are on the relief works: - Resolved further that in our intimate knowledge of the requirements of the people we urge the Local Government Board not to introduce any other arrangement in connexion with the relief works <sup>than</sup> ~~and~~ the opportunities

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 -

Writic disallowed, - - - - -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was -

Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians -

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

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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).

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_

day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

to be afforded to the poor to seed their lands and attend to their spring work.

B. J. Lee

George B. Flaherty.

Adopted

Resolved: - We the Guardians assembled at Board meeting consider the road leading from Martin Malloy's to Joshua Smith's if repaired would be of the greatest benefit to the thickly populated Villages of Dooceen, Lettershanna Knockbawn and Coladroy. - The above named road is about a 1/4 of a mile in length, and would only require a small outlay to put it in good condition and passable for cars &c and that it be immediately started.

John Darcy  
Cornelius King

Adopted

Relieving officer Lyam, Canavan, <sup>destitute</sup> Coyne submitted the following names of persons as appearing on this Application and Report Book. as fit cases <sup>for employment</sup> ~~to be employed~~ on Relief work.  
Silbera Ed.

Townland.	Name.
Mounreen	Nancy Burke
do	Mat Cleham
Ganoughs.	Widow Conroy
"	Margt Roach
"	Michl King
"	James King
"	John Cloonan



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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS :—

Ganoughs. Mr. John King (ml),  
" Frank Canning  
Omeys Is. Peter Walsh

Barnacreehan Pat. Molloy  
" Pat. Heanue  
Aughrisbeg Anthony Walsh, ml,

Cladaghduff Pat. Toole

Wexford Electoral Division  
Ballerinaboy Bridget Starte  
Kille Mary O'Donnell

Dunowyn Electoral Division  
Dolan John King "Katie"  
" John King "Tom"

Doshulla Pat. Connolly "Morgan"  
Lillebrack Mark Hill  
" James Malley

Tipperary  
" Clifton Ed.  
" James Dinah

Wick  
" Tom Walsh

Wexford  
" Blaggen Ed.  
" John Toole

Ballynashill Ed.  
Garraunbaun. Nichl. Connolly

Littleshanna. Maynes Ed.  
" Nichl. Morrison (Pat)

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

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



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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1865.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the Half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

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

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

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

Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ 189 stating that

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the Union.

In Relieving Officer Caravan's District the following persons employed on Relief works were on the recommendation of the Relieving Officer struck off.

Jamland Roundstone ED.  
Inishnee Pat Connolly (Mat)  
Inishladden Pat. McDonagh (ml)  
" Widow McDonagh (grs)  
Murrye Val. Mannion

Cushetover. Derryculagh ED.  
Widow McDonagh (Jas)  
John Timmins

Armore. Skannive ED.  
James King  
Rusheenamagh Pat. O'Donnell

Domyche. Smockboy ED.  
Pat Connolly  
" Mary King (Pets)

Resolved:— That the poor rate collectors be paid this poundage for last year's Collection subject to the approval of the Local Government Board.

John J. Darcy  
Bernard J. Lee

Adopted

James E. Flaherty

UNION.

**PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS,**

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

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

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Clifden UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

*Seed Supply*

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Monday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of March 1898.

PRESENT—IN THE CHAIR, *See page*

OTHER MEMBERS:—

The minutes of the last meeting having been read and confirmed. The Clerk submitted the following Correspondence.

Telegram from Local Government Board as follows:  
"The Board will not sanction for loan fresh supply of seed oats unless Messrs Bennett submits it for inspection before despatch"

*Dept. Seed Supply Dept. L.G.B.*

On receipt of this telegram the Clerk communicated by wire as follows:—

*To Bennett Bros Newry.*

"Wire Local Government Board you will consent submit seed oats for inspection before dispatch"  
"Clerk Union"

To which he received the following reply.

"Have wired today Inspector will be here tomorrow or Friday to inspect them"  
"Bennett"

*Muns Island Galway  
2<sup>nd</sup> March 1898*

The Clerk of Clifden Union

Dear Sir

The price for these scotch oats is £9.0.0 a ton not £9.10.0 it is what I paid myself no advantage to me except to encourage the farmer to sow good seed I am sending you

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

a sample to show you the quality  
 yours faithfully  
 H. S. Pusee.

L. G. B. Letter No.  $\frac{6}{63}$ . Date a 5<sup>th</sup> March 1898  
 Informing the guardians that having received the  
 report of the Seed Inspector which is unfavourable to  
 the additional supply of Seed oats proposed to be  
 purchased from Messrs Bennett & Co

Resolved, that we accept the tender of Messrs Pusee  
 for the supply of Six or Seven tons of Scotch seed  
 oats at £9. a ton subject to the approval of the  
 Local Government Board.

James E. Flaherty

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Population in 1891— Present Net Annual Value, £  
STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of March 1898.

Table with columns: 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, Fem.), Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age, Children above 5 and under 9 years of age, Children above 2 and under 5 years of age, Infants under 2 years of age, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital or the above date, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date), OBSERVATIONS.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending SATURDAY, the 13th day of March 1898, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. (Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons), RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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).

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 14th day of March 1898.

PRESENT: In the Chair, George S. O'Flaherty Esq. J.P.  
Other Guardians:— Joseph Gorman Esq. J.P., John Darcy Esq., Conduisking Esq., B. J. Lee Esq., R. P. Blake Esq., J. J. Darcy Esq., J. Copple Esq., W. Gorman Esq., Major A. Rutledge Esq., G. J.

Next Meeting to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_ Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 679, to No. 685, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor 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 the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

Sea Supply etc

Cash Sales £ 321 : 1 : 8 ✓

Relief of Distress Vote £ 60 : 0 : 5 ✓

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

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

Paid during the Week,

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged during the Week.			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged.			Remaining Uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Martin Coyne	Ballinakil	18	19	11				64	0	14
	Cleggan	13	4	0				23	19	1
	Cushkilly	7	2	5				31	13	1
	Renape	10	18	3				70	9	3
					50	14	7	190	1	9
Michael Lydon	Burrows	3	1	3				111	4	10
	Clifden	25	2	3				269	6	5
	do (10 Rate)							59	14	11
	Dooloughan	3	2	6				48	2	11
	Errislanan	50	12	6				30	11	10
	Inishoffin							120	1	0
	Dillerna						72	12	10	
					81	18	6	711	14	9
Martin Lydon	Knockboy							143	1	8
	Owengola							17	14	8
	Shanniel							70	7	0
							231	3	4	
James Morgan	Bencor	10						28	13	14
	Droopula	30						18	3	3
	Deerlea							59	18	2
	Illion	7						27	17	9
	Moyus							54	2	7
	Rainstone	27	1	2				158	10	4
					74	1	2	347	5	5
					206	4	3	1480	5	3

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was = £ 13 : 19 : 11

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 19 : 16 : 1

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - : 3 : 0 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4 : 2 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 0 : 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:—

1000 lb Bread	3 1/2 lb Tobacco
45 " Butter	5 ng Wine
52 " Meat	4 lb Candles
84 Eggs	30 " Soap
400 qts milk	1 lb Starch
7 lb Salt	1/4 Blue
28 " Tea	3 gal Oil
126 " Sugar	
7 " Rice	
15 Sheephead	
1/4 lb Pepper	
3 doz Small Porter	

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 Outdoor 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 Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_ 189\_\_\_, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, -	11	12	0
In kind, -			
Total, -	£ 11	12	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.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value £ s. d.
No. I.							Brought forward,				
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. VI.						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.

102.	Thomas McDonagh Rent Carnesh	10	0	0
104.	D. McDonnell Registration Vace.	9	16	6
105.	D. Hart. Rent Registration Vace.	7	18	6
Relief Work, Apr 1898				
10	Much King Paymaster	50	0	0
11	Richd Hayes "	35	0	0
12	Cyril Allis "	20	0	0

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



3 Workhouse Invoice Account.

103 Festus King milt etc

£ s. d.

8 0 0 ✓

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Outdoor 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 follow:—

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

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

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 follow):—

L.G.B. Letter No. 10,923. Dated 12<sup>th</sup> March '98  
 Referring to the Guardians resolution of the 5<sup>th</sup> inst. as to the employment on Relief works now in operation in the Union of Substitutes of persons named in the Authorized lists pointing out that the measures adopted this year for relief of exceptional distress &c &c. Stating that under these circumstances the Board cannot consent to any relaxation of the rule which require the head of a family to work except in the case of persons who owing to sickness physical incapacity or other sufficient cause are unfit for labour. Consenting however to the able-bodied adult sons of widows whose names are on the lists and working on relief works to be employed instead of their mothers whenever a substitute is employed for any of the reasons above stated. This fact should be so noted in the observation column of the pay sheets

Consenting to the hours of labour being reduced to six (say from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.) from the 11<sup>th</sup> inst. to the 30<sup>th</sup> proximo and they will not require the people to work on Saturday during that period &c.

Read: The Clerk to Communicate this information to the several Supervisors

Erislanan 11<sup>th</sup> March 1898  
 Gentlemen

I regret very much having to inform you that part of the relief work tools were stolen from Erislanan on the night of the 12<sup>th</sup> inst. The staple <sup>and two bars</sup> was drawn out of the door post and one sledge taken — the people on the works there cannot work without them except this day and tomorrow, and I fear they will never be found as they only have been thrown into a deep bog hole so if the work is to be continued you may as well supply further tools

Your obedient servant  
 Pat Lydon Supervisor

To be registered in the minutes and reported to the Constabulary.

Pursuant to notice of motion Considering the very numerous applications Mr. John King Esq. Assistant Relieving Officer had from the time of his appointment he was obliged to have a horse daily at his disposal in order to attend to every application made to him the salary he is to get is quite insufficient Resolved. That Mr. King be paid the sum of £1. a week during the time he was employed.  
 Cornelius King  
 John Darcy

Adopted

Resolved. Having heard the statement of M. O'Hara who came before the Board that his house was unoccupied for sixteen months we consider that he should be allowed 15/- paid in error

John J. Conynally  
Cornelius King

Adopted subject to the approval of the Local Government Board.

Notice of motion

Take notice that I or some Guardian on my behalf will move on this day fortnight that the poundage for the collection of rates in M. Martin Coyne's district be increased to 1/- (one shilling) in the pound.

Signed  
R. Atterath Blake  
John Darcy

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 -

Being disallowed, - - - - -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was -

Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians -

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

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

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_

day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk of the Union.

The Clerk submitted Paysheets received for work ended the 19th & 26th ultimus and the 5th & 12th inst in connexion with the Relief works opened in Baffin Island. Amounting to £36. 16. 2.

Owing to the continued rough weather for the past month communication with the Island was almost impossible, and the Relieving officer, Mr. Prendergast who attended the Board today states that the several persons employed on the works were destitute.

The Relieving Officer submitted a revised list of destitute persons, abstracted from his Application and Report Book (to be substituted for the list of names which accompanied the Local Government Board's Letter N. 5069 dated the 5th of February last) for employment on relief works at Inishbaffin approved by the Guardians this day.

Paysheets and Revised List are sent herewith

The Guardians beg to draw attention to the names furnished by Relieving Officer Conavan as being destitute and fit for employment on relief works as entered on their minutes of the 28th ultimus (Copy list sent herewith) with the view of having the names approved by Local Gov. Board. Relieving Officer also submitted attached list of persons taken from his Application & Report Book as deserving cases for employment on Relief works. Approved by Guardians 14th March 1898.

Shannice EP.

Martin Deane of Callowfenish  
Bridget Geary of Longhaconera



Cliffen ED.

Margt. Lydon of Knockbrack struck off  
Ellen Keane of Bunclogh substituted.

Renyle ED

Mrs. Dow Joyce

John Canavan

Michl Keane Tom &

Harry Walsh were struck off

and

Paddy Davin was put on

Rich. Keenan

Galway County

Cliffen

UNION.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-  
mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Monday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day  
of March 1898.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Shephard

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

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

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

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District.  
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the Half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

_____ District,	=	£
_____ District,	=	£
_____ District,	=	£
_____ District,	=	£

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

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

Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject.)

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

Recd Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ 189  
stating that

On the recommendation of the medical officer D. Graham Jahn. J. Connolly of Clifden who suffers from Polypus was sent to the Galway Hospital. His Rail fare to and from to be paid 7/10

Rick. Keamey

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

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Clifton UNION.

**PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS,**  
(41 and 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Monday the 14 day of March 1898.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Seepage  
OTHER GUARDIANS,

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

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

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

District.	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts (or directions were given thereon as follows):—

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

County Surveyors Office  
Galway 9<sup>th</sup> March 98

Dear Sir

I have arranged to commence the portion of the sewerage in Clifden on Saturday

Yours faithfully  
James Donohoe

Clerk Union  
Clifden

Rick Kearney

Galway County Council

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*Cliphens*<sup>1</sup>  
UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

*Seed Supply*

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on *Monday*, the *14<sup>th</sup>* day of *March* 1898

PRESENT—IN THE CHAIR,

*See page*

OTHER MEMBERS:—

*L. G. B.*

*Read Letter from office of Public works dated 28<sup>th</sup> July 1898*

*L. G. B. Mis Letter no. 30. m. Dated 7<sup>th</sup> March 98  
With reference to the purchase of Spraying  
Machines for use of Small farmers &c  
As per memo.*

*L. G. B. Ci Letter no. Dated 11<sup>th</sup> March 1898  
Forwarding a copy of a memorandum  
upon the prevention of Potato Disease  
As per memo.*

*L. G. B. Letter No. 10. 6821. Dated 11<sup>th</sup> March 1898  
With reference to the proposal to accept the  
tender of Mr. J. S. Brossé of fairway for an  
additional supply of seed oats. forwarding  
copies tender to be filled up and signed by  
Mr. Brossé. &c  
The Clerk reports that he has sent the tender forms  
to Mr. Brossé*

*L. G. B. Letter No. 109246 Dated 11<sup>th</sup> March 98  
With reference to the previous proposal  
to purchase an additional supply of seed*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

Galway County



potatoes from Messrs Bennett & Newry, stating  
that they will raise no objection to the proposed  
purchase.

Read  
Lg B's Letter dated 11<sup>th</sup> March 1898. (Lew Supply  
Department) Transmittung leaflets containing  
descriptions of Spraying Machines and instructions  
for working them.

Rich. Kearney

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*Alpden*

Population in 1891—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of March 1898.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . . . .	790	119												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	32													
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .														
Total, . . . . .	822	119												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			1	4	32	51	2	5	1	2	13	111		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .					6	3					2	11		
TOTAL, . . . . .			1	4	38	54	2	5	1	2	15	122		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .					2	1								
Died, . . . . .														
Total Discharged and Died, . . . . .					2	1								
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			1	4	36	53	2	5	1	2	15	119		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending SATURDAY, the 9th day of March 1898, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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Car. forwd.,	123	280					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 21st day of March 1898.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Richard Kearney Esq JP

Other Guardians:—  
John Darcy Esq J. J. Connolly Esq  
B. J. Lee " Robert A. Blake Esq  
J. J. Darcy "

Major Rutter, Tail

Next Meeting to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1898.

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_ Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 686, to No. 696, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor 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 the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

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

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

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ : :

And that the Balance on the Account \_\_\_\_\_ the Guardians was £ : :

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged during the Week.			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged.			Remaining Uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Martin Coyne	Ballinacill		11	3				63	9	1
	Beligan	10	16	24				13	2	9
	Bush Killary							31	13	1
	Renyke							70	9	3
			11	7	7			178	14	2
Michael Lydon	Bunowen							111	4	10
	Clifden							269	6	5
	do. (Water Rates)							59	14	11
	Doominghan							48	2	11
	Errislanan							30	11	10
Martin Lydon	Inishboffin							120	1	0
	Illona							72	12	10
	Knockboy							711	14	9
	Quongwola							143	1	8
James Monaghan	Shannwe							17	14	8
	Bencor							70	7	0
	Arnycurra							231	34	
	Arnylea							28	13	4
	Mlin							18	3	3
	Moyrus							59	18	2
	Roundstone							27	17	9
							54	2	7	
							158	10	4	
							317	5	5	
			11	7	7			1468	17	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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was - - -

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - - -

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - -

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - -

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

Handwritten list of provisions: 1000 lb Bread, 50 Butter, 56 Meal, 100 Eggs, 400 qts Milk, 7 lb Salt, 1 Chest of Tea, 112 lb Sugar, 7 Rice, 12 Sheepshead, 1/4 lb Pepper, A doz Small Potatoes, 4 lb Candles, 35 Soap, 1/4 Starch, 3 gal Oil, 1/4 lb Blue.

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 Outdoor 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 Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the ... day of ... 189, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

Table with columns £, s., d. showing expenditure in money and in kind, totaling £ 11: 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:

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Cheque on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, Article and quantity, Value. Includes rows for Nos. I-IX and X-XVII, and a TOTAL row.

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.

Table listing clothing accounts: 127. Joseph Burke Tailoring (2 1 5), 128. Bartleymalme Boots (3 16 0), 129. Patrick O'Malley Straw (3 3 7).

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

Table listing establishment accounts: 106. P. C. Gorham Salary 25th March (51 5 0), 107. P. J. Hart (25 0 0), 108. J. J. Macdonnell (30 0 0), 109. J. J. Loftus (30 0 0), 110. W. J. Conroy (30 0 0), 111. Thos. Lydon (7 15 0), 112. Martin Coyne (6 5 0), 113. Michl Cengwan (7 10 0), 114. William Reindergast (3 15 0), 115. Festus King (37 10 0), 116. Patrick Cusly (7 10 0), 117. Miss Broughton (7 10 0), 118. Miss King (7 10 0), 119. Miss Broughton (6 5 0), 120. William Reindergast (4 0 0).

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

~~2~~ *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.	
121. Very Rev. P. Canon Lynskey Salary	17	10	0	✓
122. Rev. J. H. Fleming (Canon)	2	10	0	✓
123. J. J. King	6	5	0	✓
124. John Greene	1	10	0	✓
125. Mrs. Sally King	1	10	0	✓
126. Patrick Mill	5	0	0	✓
130. Michl Joyce Hardware	15	12	7	✓
131. Martin Coyne Unpaid Bills	21	16	9	✓
132. Martin Lydon	33	5	3	✓
133. James Monaghan	29	4	3	✓

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

~~3~~ *Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.	
<i>Relief of distress a/c 1898.</i>				
13. Richard Stynes (Paymaster)	25	0	0	
14. Cyril Allis	10	0	0	
15. Michl. King	45	0	0	
<i>Seed Supply a/c</i>				
5. Boars of Public Works Cash Sales	64	0	8	✓
6. Midland Railway Company Railway Comg.	28	0	0	✓

*Credit Treasurer, and Debit Outdoor 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 follow:—*

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

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

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 follow):—

L.G. B. Letter No. 11. 576. Dated 14th March 1898.  
With reference to the qualification of persons nominated for the office of Guardian.  
Read.

L.G. B. Letter No. 10. 933. Dated 15th March 1898.  
Stating that in consequence of the amount of seed rate of 1891 £211. still outstanding in Collector Mr. Mielh Lydon district he is not entitled to receive his poundage. They do not object to the payment of the poundage fees accruing to the other Collectors of the Union.  
Read.

L.G. B. Vote £29. 0. 0 No. 1907. Dated 18th March 98.  
Recoupment Sanitary affairs salaries for half year ended 29th September 1897.

which was signed by the Chairman two Guardians and Clerk and forwarded to the Union Treasurer.

L.G. B. No. 12. 1714. Dated 18th March 1898.  
With reference to the lists of payments for the period between the 16th ultimo and 12th instant to labourers timekeepers and the Supervisor and paymaster employed in connection with the relief works in the District Electoral Division of the Union. Approving of the action of the Relieving officers under the circumstances, and that they had given directions for the payment of a sum of £27. 12. 2 to the Treasurer of the Union being three fourths of the amount of these pay lists &c.  
The Clerk to communicate with the Supervisor to forward receipt for the 10/-

L.G. B. Vote £27. 12. 2 No. 53 Dated 18th March 98.  
Which was signed by the Chairman two Guardians and the Clerk and forwarded to the Union Treasurer.

L.G. B. Letter No. 12. 1717. Dated 19th March 1898.  
Approving of the employment of forty additional persons whom the Guardians propose to employ on the Relief works in operation in the Union making with the twelve persons struck off by the Guardians a net addition of 28 to the numbers already authorised to be employed on the works.  
Read.

L.G. B. Letter No. 9869. Dated 19th March 98.  
With reference to the lists of payments made for two weeks ended the 5th instant to labourers timekeepers supervisors and paymaster employed in connection with the relief works.



Amounting in all to the sum of £161. 0. 5  
 stating that they had given directions for the  
 payment of a sum of £111. 12. 6 to the Treasurer  
 of the Union to be  
 the Clerk to furnish the Local Govt. Board with the  
 necessary information in the cases where  
 recoupment has not been made

Relief of Distress  
 L.G.B. Vote £111. 12. 6 No. 52. Dated 19 March 98  
 which was signed by the Chairman two  
 Guardians and the Clerk and forwarded to the  
 Union Treasurer.

Resolved: - That we consider Mr. Lyden R.O. has not  
 given a satisfactory explanation for his action in  
 cutting off the names of Michl. Cannon & Pat Haloran  
 both of Russadillish although recommended by

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	-	-	-
Of these disallowed,	-	-	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-
The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was	-	-	-
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	-

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and  
 as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the  
 day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the Union.

this Board some weeks ago for the labour test  
 John J. Darcy  
 John D. Connolly

Adopted.

Resolved: - We the Guardians assembled at  
 Board meeting do consider it would be of the  
 greatest public benefit to the people travelling  
 northwards from Clifden if a hill on the road about  
 1/2 mile from the town would be levelled and the  
 valleys on each side of said hill filled with the  
 stuff taken from the hill and the great number of  
 destitute people and surroundings placed to  
 work thereon and relieved

Adopted

Resolved: - We the Guardians assembled at Board meeting  
 do request the Local Government Board will be  
 kind enough to reply to a resolution passed  
 unanimously by this Board on the 28th ultimus  
 asking that the names of the people who were not  
 destitute and received relief from Mr John King  
 late Relieving officer

Adopted.

Resolved: - That the name John Tierney of Green in  
 the Claggan Electoral Division be substituted for  
 that of his mother Anne Tierney who is a  
 delicate woman herself and must remain at  
 home to mind a blind girl, and that the  
~~son~~ who is over 20 years of age be  
 allowed a mans wage.

Adopted

Resolved:- That one half of the people working on the Aughorismore Road. be transferred to do the unskilled labour work in connexion with the Omev grave-yard. and that Stephen Toole of Emlagh be appointed timekeeper -

Ordered: That Martin Connolly an inmate of the workhouse be allowed a pounds worth of clothing on his taking his discharge

On the Relieving officers <sup>Recommendations</sup> the following persons were placed on Relief work:-

Sillbana E.D.

Pat Morgan Omev Isld  
John Cahil Aughorismore  
Owen Flaherty Aughorismore

Bunowen E.D.

Val Connolly Calla

Erislanan E.D.

Doq. Sullivan Tooran

Doonoughan E.D.

Martin Gorham instead of his father in law James Doherty who is unfit to work.

Owengowla E.D.

Colman Nee (Lube) Kylesalia

Shannoe E.D.

Mickl. Nee Calborfanish

UNION.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the Half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

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

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

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

Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ stating that

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the Union.

On the recommendation of Relieving officers the following persons were struck off Relief works:—

Bunowen ED.

- Anne M. Stuegh Ballyconnely
- Mary King Foreglass
- John O'Donnell "
- Mat M'Donagh "
- Pat Davis "
- Alex M. O'Connell Doohulla
- Michl Conroy "
- Tom Davis "
- Pat Naughton "
- Biddy Joyce "
- Margt M'Donagh Calla
- Martin Connelly (Tom) Bunowenbeg
- Mary Connelly ml. "
- Mary King "
- Sally Connelly Allebrack
- Martin Malley "
- Mat. Connelly (Ann) "
- Colman Early "

Silleona ED.

- Anne Cloonan Claddaghdiff
- James Cloonan Fountainhill
- Mary Murphy Attyjaddans

Cleggau ED.

- John Faherty Knockbrack

Clippen ED

Mary Coghitt Ross  
 Anne King Gentricken  
 Honor Wallace Turbot Isls.  
 Myles Joyce Clippen  
 John Joseph Connolly "  
 Michl Burke "

Errolan ED.  
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Val Brennan Dooygimla  
 Michl Dolan (Dhy) "  
 John Dolan (Dhy) "  
 Pat Goham "  
 Bridgt Ward "  
 Shaay Odonnell "  
 John Early "  
 Biady Goham Ballinaboy  
 Widow Goham Drimmeen

Knockboy ED.

Mary Burke (Piter) Dooyehy

*~~~~~*  
Shannoe

James Connolly (Martin) Calloufeenish

Joseph Goham

Galway County

UNION.

**PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS,**

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS,

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

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

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

District.	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts (or directions were given thereon as follows):—

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

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UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

Seed Supply

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Monday, the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March 1898.

PRESENT—IN THE CHAIR,

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OTHER MEMBERS:—

Seed Supply

~~Read~~ Read Letter from Office of Public works Dated 28<sup>th</sup> Feby 98

The Clerk reports that the Seed potatoe has arrived and were being stored today. and that 30 bags were to be dispatched by Boat to Baffin for distribution and that the distribution of the Seed at Clifden would be proceeded with during the week

The Clerk reports that in consequence of Mr. H.S. O'Sea not having returned the tender form for Seed oats he summoned a meeting of the Seed Committee on the 17<sup>th</sup> inst.

Messrs Joseph Soham. B.J. Lee

and Cornelius King attended.

Resolved:— that the following telegram be sent to Mr. O'Sea.

Please send tender form Seed oats Charge for bags and Seed oats immediately

Clerk Union

Read Letter from Mr O'Sea enclose tender form which is sent herewith together with a sample

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the Union.

of the oats

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Lg B Letter No. Dated 15th March 1898  
Transmitting Copy of the Seed Inspector's Report  
in reference to the additional supply of Seed  
potatoes purchased from Messrs Bennett  
Satisfactory

Joseph Gorman

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Clifden

Population in 1891—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of March 1898.

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 9 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
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Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			2		3	2						7	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, 5	In Wards with other inmates, 2		
TOTAL, . . . . .			3	4	39	55	2	5	1	2	15	126	Total, 14	Total, 7		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			2		8	4						14				
Died, . . . . .						1										
Total Discharged and Died, . . . . .			2		8	5						15				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			1	4	31	50	2	5	1	2	15	111				

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No. VI.							No. XIV.						
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No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.,	123	280					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 28th day of March 1898.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Joseph Gorkham Esq. J.P. W. Gorkham Esq. D.V. C

Other Guardians:— James Gorkham Esq. J.P. A. McDonnell Esq. M.M. King Esq. John Darcy Esq. John Reedy Esq. J. J. Connolly Esq. Cornelius King Esq. B. J. Lee Esq. M. Monaghan Esq. R. A. Blake Esq. J. J. Darcy Esq. Richd. Kearney Esq. J.P.

Next Meeting to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_ Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 697, to No. 703, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor 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 the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

See Supply of

Cash Sales £ 29: 19: 0 ✓

Relief of Distress of £ 139: 14: 8 ✓

Par Grant Sanitary Office £ 39: 0: 0 Receipts 398

Other Receipts per Cash £ 8: 20: 0

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 - - - £ 47: 2: 11

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ 221: 13: 7

And that the Balance on the Account favours the Guardians was £ 1180: 8: 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged during the Week.			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged.			Remaining Uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Martin Coyne	Ballinaskill							63	9	1
	Cleagan							13	2	9
	Cushkillea							21	13	1
	Renryfe							70	9	3
								178	14	2
Michael Lydon	Bunowen							111	4	10
	Cliffee							269	6	5
	do (water Rate)							59	14	11
	Doonoughan							48	2	11
	Errislahan							30	11	10
	Inishboffin							120	1	0
	Selbena							72	12	10
								711	14	9
Martin Lydon	Knockboy							143	1	8
	Quengwola							17	14	8
	Skannive							70	7	0
								231	3	11
James Morgan	Bencor							28	13	11
	Droyculla							18	3	3
	Droylea							59	18	2
	Illion							27	17	9
	Moyrus							54	2	7
	Roundstone							158	10	4
								327	5	5
								1468	17	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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was - £ 27 : 5 : 6

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 19 : 18 : 10

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - : 3 : 0/2

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4 : 3

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : : :

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

1000 lb. Bread	1/4 lb. Blue
50 " meat	4 gal. P. Oil
8 doz Eggs	
400 qts milk	
7 lb Salt	
112 " Sugar	
7 " Rice	
1/4 " Peppery	
12 Small Potatoes	
3 lb Tobacco	
4 " Candles	
1/4 " Starch	

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 Outdoor 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 Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, -	-	11	2 : 6
In kind, -	-		
Total, -	£	11	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.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value c s. d.
No. I.							Brought forward,				
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. VI.						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	Establishing Post	5	0	0 ✓
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Relief apd

16	R. Stynes	30		
17	Mr. Alfie	10		
18	Mr. King	15		

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

3 Workhouse Invoice Account.

2 J. King mitk apc

£ s. d.

8 0 0 ✓

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

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Outdoor 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 follow:—

Galway

The Reports of the Master and other ~~Officers~~ <sup>was</sup> were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

Gentlemen

On yesterday at about 12 1/2 o'clock P.M. an Imbecile inmate named W<sup>m</sup> Davis 26 yrs of age left the house by crossing the wall. He went in the direction of Recco, and was traced as far as Ballinahinch. I have made inquiries this morning without result.

Ordered: That the master telegraph to Oughterard and Roundstone and inform the Police

Read:— following telegram received from the Sect of Police at Oughterard.

" Lunatic dwarf passed here this morning  
" believe for Galway have wired to A.C. Galway

Ordered:— That the master proceed to Galway to bring back the Lunatic his expenses to be paid by the Guardians



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

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 follow):—

L.G. B. Letter No. 13. 4644 Dated 25<sup>th</sup> March 1898  
With reference to the resolution of the Guardians of the 21<sup>st</sup> inst requesting to be furnished with the names of the unsuitable persons who were returned for employment on relief works by Mr. John King late Relieving officer stating that the persons referred to are those who have now been recommended by Relieving officer Lydon to be struck off the works and that no further recoupment will be made in respect of any wages paid to these persons.

The Guardians have the best information for believing that the following persons who have been struck off the Relief works are destitute and are proper subjects for the Relief works.

Donowen Ed.  
John O'Donnell Forglas  
Mat W. Donagh "

Michl Conroy Daohulla  
Biddy Joyce "  
Marta Connolly (Tom) Bunowenbeg  
Martin Mallye Aillebrack  
Mat Connolly "

Silleona Ed.  
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James Cloonan Fountainhill  
John Faherty Knockbrack (Kilgann Ed.)

Errislanan Ed.  
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Val Brennan Derriyginla

John Dolan (Darby) "

Thasyl Dolan "

John Early "

Miaow Gorham Doonimeen

We desire to add that not attending on the fact that they are on our relief would not be sufficient reasons for striking them off the Relief works.

James Gorham  
John Darcy

Adopted.

L.G. B. Letter No. 13. 4644 Dated 25<sup>th</sup> March 1898  
Consenting to the employment of 13 additional persons as furnished by the Relieving officer on Relief works making with the 44 struck off a net reduction of 31 in the number of persons authorized for employment on the works a list of the persons now approved is enclosed.

Reas.

L.G. B. Letter No. 13. 4644/98. Dated 25<sup>th</sup> March 1898  
Requesting further particulars relating to the desirability

of undertaking as a Relief work the improvement of a road in the neighbourhood of the town of Clifden

Read.

Lg B Mis Letter No. 47. M. Dated 25th March 98. In reference to the employment of substitutes to take the place of persons named in the Authorised list &c stating that they cannot consent to any relaxation of the rule which requires the head of a family to work except in the case of persons who owing to sickness, physical incapacity or other sufficient cause are unfit for labour. The Board would not object, however, to the Guardians allowing the able-bodied adult sons of widows whose names are on the list to be employed instead of their mothers. &c. &c.

Read.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto disallowed, - - - - -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was -

Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians -

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

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

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_

day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the Union.

Lg B Letter No. 13, 464 Dated 25th March 1898 With reference to the Guardians proposal to substitute the name of John Tierney for that of his mother on the Relief works in the Cleggan Electoral Division stating that they will raise no objection to his employment, but that they will only recoup three fourths of 5/- a week, unless some fresh circumstances arises in connection with case.

Read

Lg B Letter No. 13, 464 Dated 25th March 1898. Requesting to be furnished with a copy of the explanation given by Relieving officer Lydon for not including the names of Michl. Cannon and Pat Staloran in the lists of persons for employment on the relief works.

Orders. To be sent to Mr. Lydon for a written explanation

Lg B Letter No. 12, 711 Dated 25th March 98 With reference to the lists of payments made for week ended the 15th instant to labourers, timekeepers, Supervisors and paymasters employed in connexion with the relief work. Amounting to £78: 2: 10 stating they had given directions for the payment of a sum of £54: 1: 11 to the Treasurer of the Union; but that recoupment is not made in respect of a sum of £6: 0: 3 for reasons given in the statement which accompanied this letter.

Read

Lg B Letter No. 12, 177 Dated 26th March 1898. Requesting to be informed if the Police have yet



Succeeded in discovering the persons who stole certain tools from the Ecclesian Relief works on the night of the 12th instant as reported by the Supervisor. No report has up to the present been received from the Police.

Resolved: - That in future the Storekeepers be allowed  $\frac{5}{16}$  a week instead of  $\frac{1}{16}$  and that the Guardians will hold the Storekeepers responsible for any loss of tools stolen after this date 28th March 1898.

L.G.B. Vote £ 54: 1: 11. No. 59 Dated 25th March 1898  
Relief of Distress which was signed by the Chairman two Guardians and Clerk and forwarded to Union Treasurers.

L.G.B. Letter No. 12. 177. Dated 26th March 1898  
Relative to Mr. O'Hara's application for a refund of rates paid in respect of a house, stating that if the Guardians are satisfied that the premises in question were unoccupied at the time when the rate was made and during the period for which it was to provide they may if they think fit, refund the amount of the rate to the person to whom it was paid in error.

Read - to be refunded.

Read Letter from the General Valuation office dated 24th March 98  
Notifying that Mr. J. Ryan has been appointed to make the Annual Revision of the Union.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189\_\_\_\_\_.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

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

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

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



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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the Half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

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

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

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

Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ 189

stating that

L.G.B. Mis Letter No. 41. M. Dated 22<sup>nd</sup> March '98  
Relating to the Annual Appointment of Dispensary  
Committee and wardens

Read

W. G. K. K. K. K. K.

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, the 30th June, the 30th September, and the 31st December.]  
Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the

\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

L.G.B. Letter No. 13.4621 Dated 25<sup>th</sup> March 1898.

Consenting to the appointment of Mr Stephen Toole as timekeeper over the labourers to be transferred from the Relief works at Aughrismore Road to do the unskilled labour at Ormeau grave yard. the remuneration to be allowed to this officer for his services being at the rate of 10/- per week.

Resolves: - That the guardians approve of the following persons presently working on the Aughrismore Road being transferred to do the unskilled work at Ormeau grave yard:—

- Bridget Canning
- Anne M'Donagh
- Mrs. Desty Gordon
- Pat King
- Tom King
- John Bookin
- Tom Mangan
- John M'Donagh
- Mrs. Burke
- Peter Lydon
- John Connolly
- Peter Walsh
- Pat Toole
- Frank Lacey

The following tenders for the supply of Provisions and necessaries for a period of twelve months. from the 25<sup>th</sup> instant were accepted.

- Mrs Teresa King's
- Clipper Bread @ 5/- per 4<sup>lb</sup> Loaf
- " Best Tea @ 1/7 " 1<sup>lb</sup>
- " Indian meal @ 5/6 " 1<sup>cb</sup>
- " Oatmeal @ 1/1 " "

Mr King - Salt @ 2/- per Cwt  
 Pepper @ 10d ✓ " lb  
 Wax Candles @ 2/- ✓ " " " "  
 White Soap @ 15/- ✓ " Cwt  
 starch @ 4/- ✓ " lb  
 Blue @ 6d ✓ " " "  
 Washingsoda @ 1 1/2 ✓ " "  
 Port wine @ 1/4 ✓ " Large Bot  
 Sherry " @ 1/4 ✓ " " "  
 Rice @ 2 ✓ " lb  
 Soft Sugar @ 1 3/4 ✓ " "  
 Cork Butter @ 9/- ✓ " "  
 Paraffin Oil @ 8/- ✓ " gal  
 Best Scotch Coal @ 50/- ✓ " Ton  
 Guinness xx @ 5/- ✓ per doz small  
 Hennessy \*\*\* Brandy @ 5/- ✓ per bottle  
 Best Whiskey @ 4/- ✓ " qt  
 Mitchams L.L. @ 4/9 ✓ " "  
 Hennessy \* Brandy @ 5/- ✓ " bottle

Accounts Mr. King dissenting  
 Peter Hickey  
 Best Beef mutton @ 5 1/4 per lb  
 Sheepshead @ 9/- Each

Barthley Malone  
 Mens Boots @ 9/- per pair  
 Boys " @ 7/6 " "  
 Womens " @ 7/6 " "  
 Childrens in two sizes from 8 to 12 yrs @ 4/6 " "  
 over 12 yrs @ 5/- " "  
 Repairs at market Valuation

UNION.

**PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS,**  
 (41 and 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

PRESENT—In the Chair,  
 OTHER GUARDIANS,

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

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



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

District.	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts (or directions were given thereon as follows):—

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

John Coyne.  
Coffins (Trunk Lids) of best 3/4 boards at the following prices:  
Large sizes @ 7/6<sup>a</sup> Each  
Middle " @ 6/— "  
Small " @ 5/— "

Outdoor Relief Contracts for 12 months.  
Mrs. Mary Keel  
Jully. Flour @ 5/7 per St  
Oatmeal @ 1/4 " "  
Indian meal @ 7 " "  
Tea @ 1/2 oz  
Sugar @ 1/2 " lb

Mr. J. Kelly  
Letterprack Flour @ 5/7 per St  
Oatmeal @ 1/6 " "  
Indian meal @ 9 " "  
Sugar @ 2 " lb  
Tea @ 1/2 " oz

M. J. Fitzgerald  
Cleqqan For Cleqqan & Silbanna Divisions  
Best flour @ 5/7 per St  
Oatmeal @ 1/3 " "  
Indian meal @ 8 " "  
Best Tea @ 1/2 " oz  
" Sugar @ 1/2 " lb

Mr. Jas Carr  
Clippen For the Electoral Divisions of Clippen Ennstanen and Droopda  
First best flour @ 1/10 per St  
Oatmeal @ 7/6 " "  
Indian meal @ 9 1/2 " "  
Tea @ 1/2 " oz  
Sugar @ 1/2 " lb

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