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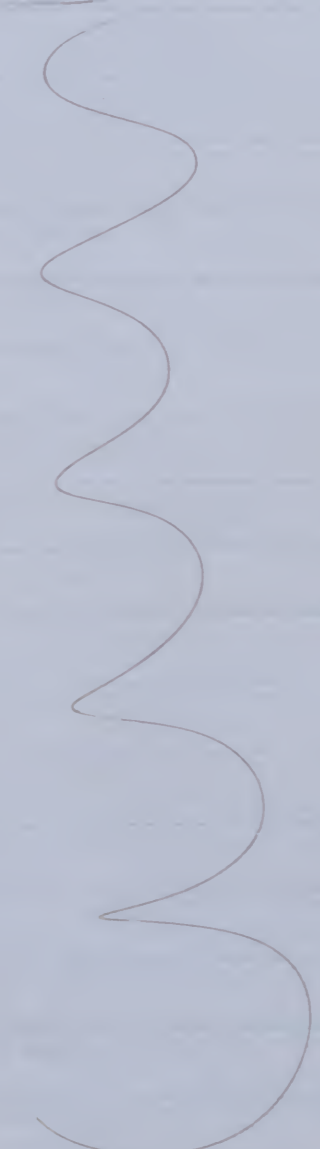
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BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

Letter from E. Hornsby Esq Sec. Board of Works reminding the Guardians that the time has elapsed for payment of Instalment of Loan under Public Health Act amount £164. 1. 4 and requesting a remittance forthwith

Ordered

Clerk to inform Mr. Hornsby that the Guardians will in a short time have a Rate to meet the charges in question, in course of Collection, and request the Board of Works will allow them an extension of the period for the payment of the instalment referred to,



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

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

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

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

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The following accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District.
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18

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

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Order dated _____ (state subject)

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Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

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

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

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
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were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount
	<p><i>0</i></p> <p><i>Therese Lyons</i></p> <p><i>Wm. Kelly</i></p> <p><i>James Davis</i></p>	

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the

5 day of *Decr* 1879

(Signed)

P. J. [Signature]
Clerk of Union.

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[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1871—44,022.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,169.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29 day of Nov. 1879

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	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	816	443														
Temporary Buildings	222	32														
Additional Workhouse	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	41	4														
TOTAL	1,082	481														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			41	63	59	133	26	21	45	40	43	471	In Work-house Hospital, 12	In separate Wards, 7		
Admitted during the Week,			10	4	7	3			1	14	13	50	In Fever Hospital, 4	In Wards with other inmates, 8		
TOTAL			57	67	66	136	26	21	46	44	46	503	Total, 129	Total, 15		
Discharged during the Week,			3	1	6	5	2			3	2	22				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	1	6	5	2			3	2	22				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			48	66	60	131	24	21	46	41	44	487				No. at corresponding period last year 495

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29 day of Nov. 1879, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	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 DISTRICTS	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.	13	90			13	90	Bt. forward.						
No. II.	8	9			8	9	No. X.						
No. III.	12	14			12	14	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1			1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	7	13			7	13	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.,	41	107			41	107	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 5th day of December 1879

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Rev. Joyce Esq. D.L.
 Donnelly, John O'Connell, Jas. Davis, John S. Kirwan,
 James Walsh, Miss. Sullivan Senr, John Hill, E.P. Burke,
 L. L. Ferdinand, Bart Roche, Timothy Kearney, John Redington, John de Souza.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3562 to No. 3577, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 271 : 0 : 2.

Paid during the week, £ 133 : 3 : 4.

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 2250 : 1 : 1.

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

+ Notes on the Treasurer E. D.

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward												
	„ South												
	„ East												
	„ West												
	Ballintemple												
	Barna												
	Carrowbrowne												
											<u>7151 7 2</u>		
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown												
	Aughrim	4	8	6									
	Belleville												
	Carnmore												
	Claregalway												
	Deerpark												
	Lackaghbeg												
	Liscananaun												
	Lisheenycorb												
	<i>Old Rate omitted in District</i>											<i>4 8 6</i>	
											<u>1374 7 1</u>		
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty							4	8	3			
	Clarenbridge							4	9	9			
	Oranmore	5	4	10				4	5	13			
	Stradbally	1	5	10				1	5	6			
											<u>66 11 8</u>		
BARTHOLOMEW HERNON	Inishmore												
											<u>207 9 5</u>		
JOHN WALLACE	Kilcummin												
											<u>113 18 1</u>		
JAMES KYNE	Moycullen												
	Slieveaneena												
	Tullokyne												
											<u>390 11 5</u>		
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh												
	Spiddal												
											<u>245 5 1</u>		
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin												
	Selerna												
											<u>201 17 11</u>		
											<u>0 66 11 8</u>		
											<u>71 0 2</u>		
											<u>1126 19 7</u>		

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

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

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 Abstracts.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 69 s. 19 d. 6

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . 74. 4. 10

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . 40 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, 57 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 6 11 1/2

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

3000	lbs. White Bread	114	lbs. Biscuit
800	lbs. Brown Bread		lbs. Flour
544 1/2	lbs. Meat	1	Tons Indian Meal
2128	Quarts Milk		Tons Oatmeal
	lbs. Cocoa	200	ewts. Rice
	ewt. Salt		Pepper
	Chests Tea		
126	lbs. Sugar		
107	Eggs		
10	lbs. Corn Flour		
1	Barrels Porter		
24	Pints Port Wine		
2	Bottles Brandy		
	Gallons Whiskey		
28	lbs. Butter	8	lbs. Candles
	lbs. Arrowroot		
	lbs. Lump Sugar	87	lbs. Soap
18	ozs. Tobacco		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 29 day of Nov 1879 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	s.	d.
In Kind,			
Total,	£	6	12 6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	GILLIDY			
No. II.	YOUNG			
No. III.	CULLINAN			
No. IV.	GRIFFIN			
No. V.	O'CONNOR			
No. VI.	FLANAGAN			
No. VII.				
No. VIII.				
No. IX.				
TOTAL				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing 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.

21 M. Clayton, Stationery 10 3 8

35 J. Lucey, Coffins Bowl etc 2 10 0

36 Clerk to pay Small Bills Idlers etc 4 13 7

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
12. M. J. Laine Ricket	7	11	8
14. John Morris Melt	19	17	3
15. J. Hughes do.	14	7	0
16. J. Cottingham do.	16	17	9
17. J. Crowe do.	8	0	8
18. J. Lawless do.	5	7	6
19. M. Malley do.	5	7	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

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* He requested the Board to examine Blankets sent in by the Contractor in lieu of those rejected last Board day
 Order - approved

Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	13
Discharged ..	13
Died ..	2
Remaining ..	120

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	4
Discharged ..	6
Died ..	—
Remaining ..	4

Dr. Clayton being obliged to proceed to Connorshammon to give evidence in a Criminal Case, he is allowed a weeks leave of absence; Dr. Colohan having undertaken to discharge his duties in the mean time

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

That the Schoolmaster got permission to go out on business at about 4 o'clock on yesterday evening the 4th Inst and about 6 o'clock was assailed into the workhouse, he being then very much under the influence of drink

Order

That the Schoolmaster be required to resign his office

That the Apothecary at the Dispensary, complains that foul air is coming through a water discharge pipe from the small cesspool of that Establishment, into where he compounds Medicines, and requests that a remedy be applied to remove him of the nuisance,

Order,

That the attention of the Contractor for plumbing be called to the matter forthwith

The Matron's report of clothing made and repaired was Read

The weekly Industrial Reports were read

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

Resolved order from L.G. Board Dated 13th Nov. 1879 directing that the Clerk Secretary or Registrar to every Burial Board shall cause to be made weekly a Return in the form annexed of the persons interred in such Burial Ground and transmit same weekly to the Registrar of Births and Deaths of the District

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

From Local Gov. Board

No. 25133.79 Transmitting queries to be answered by the person who may be appointed Schoolmistress of the workhouse
29th Nov. 79

No. 25133.79 Stating in reference to a Resolution of the Board of Guardians on the 21st proposing that judgment be not made in the Bonds of Miss Kym and young P.R. Coakley they desire to recommend the Guardians to adopt the suggestions contained in their Circular Letter of 5th inst. in reference to Collectors Bonds; stating that Miss Stubbs have decided that in future they would not publish in their lists the judgments on Collectors Bonds

Ordered Clerk to write to J. M. Blake Esq. Secy to the Board

requesting he will inform them that as no Stamp duties are required for the Bonds of Poor Rate Collectors, what the Cost may be for Registration of same

No. 25133.79 Requesting to be informed whether any report has recently been received from the Medical Officer of Health of the Ordnish Dispensary District in reference to the Sanitary Condition of the town of Ordnish

Ordered That the Clerk inform the Local Gov. Board that no report has been recently received from the Medical Officer of Health, of the District respecting the town of Ordnish

No. 25133.79 Forwarding copy of form of application which might be used in case the Sanitary Authority determine applying for a Loan on the terms of the Board of Works Circular of 27th inst.

No. 25164.79 Forwarding two of the new forms for making applications for sanction of the Local Gov. Board to Loans for Sanitary purposes
Resolved

That the Chairman of the Board with Mr. Townsend Esq. be requested to have one of the forms in reference to the proposed improvement of the Sewerage of the workhouse duly filled up and forwarded to the Local Gov. Board for their approval

No. 25119.79 Approving of the appointment of Mr. Francis Kelly to the office of Poor Rate Collector in the Galway Union at a remuneration of £10 in the pound

No. 25116 Approving of the appointment of Miss Kate Coakley as assistant Schoolmistress in the workhouse at a remuneration of £10 per annum

Letter from J. P. Grand Esq Comm^r of Valuation appointing
Mr. George Jones to make the Annual Revision of the
Valuation Books of this Union

Letter from Brother John P. Lynch states 4th Dec^r requesting
that the St. Iris Island School be relieved by the Board of
Guardians from the payment of Poor Rate

Ordered

That the matter be referred to the Rate Committee for their
consideration and report

The Clerk has before the Board a slip signed with
him in connection with the proposed Steam Tramway
from Galway to Clifden

Read Letter from Chas. Concanon Esq V. S. stating that it had
been reported to him by Head Constable Hyne of Galway
that a Cow the property of Mr. Robt. Somerville was
suffering from Lung Distemper and that he examined
the Beast referred to and was of opinion that she was
not suffering from Pleuro Pneumonia

Resolved

That the Clerk write to Mr. Somerville to request of him to
be so good as to afford them an explanation of the fact
that this Cow his property had been removed from a
place called Rahem near the town of Gort, to the
town of Galway while in a Sickly State; The
Guardians request this explanation as they are
anxious that Cattle disease should not be introduced
to the Union, as in the event of disease spreading
here it would entail a large amount of expense on
the ratepayers

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BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

Ordered, on Certificate of Mr Thomas C. E. that a cheque be drawn in favor of Messrs Contractors for the sum of ~~£200~~ £70:1:11

Ordered that the Clerk notify to the Board of Works that it is the intention of the Board of Guardians, acting as a Burial Board, to apply to them for a loan of £1000, in addition to the sum of £500 already granted, for the purposes of the new cemetery for the town of Galway

Letter from Mrs Concannon Esq. M.P. transmitting a notice he had received from Sir Colby of Glanara

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

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Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

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_____ District,	£
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37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Furlingham	D. Duffan	Rumors house	which requires to be shut up

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GALWAY UNION.

THE Board of Guardians will, on FRIDAY, the 12th of December next, appoint a competent person to discharge the duties of

SCHOOLMISTRESS

of the Workhouse, at a Salary of £25 a-year, together with Rations and an Apartment.

Applications for the office, with Certificates of Qualification, will be received up to 12 o'clock on the day above named, when candidates should be in attendance.

By order,
P. J. STACK,
Clerk of Union,
Office, Workhouse, 28th Nov., 1879.

Galway Union.

NOTICE is Hereby Given, that Mr GEORGE INNES has been appointed to make the Annual Revision of the Valuation of this Union. Mr. Innes will arrive on or about the 8th inst.

Persons having any objection to the existing Valuation should serve Notice on the Clerk of the Union, or on Mr Innes, at Mrs. Griffin's, Eym-Square, Galway.

P. J. STACK, Clerk of Union,
Clerk's Office, Galway Union,
1st Dec., 1879.

GALWAY UNION.

THE Board of Guardians of the above Union will, at their Meeting to be held on 19th Prox., receive and consider Tenders for the execution of certain

SEWERAGE WORKS.

In connection with the Workhouse Buildings, Plans, Specifications, &c., can be seen, and all information respecting same, can be had on application at the Office of Professor Townsend, C.E., Queen's College, Galway, between the hours of 11 a.m., and 4 p.m.

The person who may be declared Contractor, will be required to enter into a bond, with two solvent sureties for the due performance of the work in such manner as the Guardians shall determine.

By order,
P. J. STACK,
Clerk of Union,
Clerk's Office, Galway Workhouse,
28th November, 1879.

[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

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Present Net Annual Value, £66,169.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of April 1879

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 9 and under 9 years of age	Children above 9 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	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	816	414														
Temporary Buildings	222	36														
Additional Workhouse	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	9														
TOTAL	1,082	488														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			48	66	60	131	24	21	46	41	44	481	In Work-house (Hospital)	In separate Wards		
Admitted during the Week,			8	5	5	7	2	2			2	31	In Fever Hospital	In Wards with other Inmates,		
TOTAL			56	71	65	138	26	23	46	41	46	572	Total, 45	Total, 15		
Discharged during the Week,												19				
Died,												5				
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	2	6	6	3	2				24				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			57	69	59	132	23	21	46	41	46	488				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of December 1879, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.,	37	102			37	102	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 12th day of December 1879

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Campbell Esq.

Other Guardians: Messrs. John Hill, John Sullivan Esq., James Davis, E.D. Burke, Dr. Browne, J. J. Kerivan, R. French, James Walsh, J. McDonogh, P. J. Neely, B. Roche, L. L. Ferdinand, M. Kennedy.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3598 to No. 3628, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

† Including a sum of £0:7:4 loaned by Mr. Young, R.O. Relief by Way of Loan given to an inmate chargeable to the Elec. Divn. of Ballinacourty

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, - - - - - £ 271 : 17 : 7

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 67 : 14 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 1046 : 1 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	22	14	6				1352	4	2			
	„ South							914	16	5			
	„ East	172	17	6				2217	7	5			
	„ West							1872	1	5			
	Ballintemple	12	2	6				213	8	9			
	Barna							291	11	9			
	Carrowbrownne							142	2	9			
					207	14	6				6945	12	8
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown	42	16	5				250	5	7			
	Aughrim							163	13	3			
	Belleville							141	10	6			
	Carnmore							182	10	3			
	Claregalway							201	18	8			
	Deerpark	20	19	4				96	5	6			
	Lackaghbeg							148	10	1			
	Liscananaun							102	11	6			
	Lisheenavalla							73	6	0			
						63	15	9				1310	11
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty							482	4	3			
	Clarenbridge							496	19	9			
	Oranmore							450	13	0			
	Stradbally	✓						152	6	5			
											1582	3	5
BARTHOLOMEW HERNON	Inishmore	✓						207	9	5			
											207	9	5
JOHN WALLACE	Kilcummin	✓						113	18	1			
											113	18	1
JAMES KYNE	Moycullen							113	13	9			
	Slieveaneena							110	1	7			
	Tullokyne	✓						106	16	1			
											390	11	5
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh							130	11	7			
	Spiddal	✓						114	13	6			
											245	5	1
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin							68	15	9			
	Selerna	✓						133	2	2			
											201	17	11
					271	10	3				6945	9	4

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

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

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 1: 1: 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 Abstracts.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 58 s. 10 d. 4

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . 66. 14. 9

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . 3/4

Average cost in Infirmary, 57 5/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 6/11 1/2

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

2500	lbs. White Bread	lbs. Biscuit
600	lbs. Brown Bread	lbs. Flour
557 1/2	lbs. Meat	Tons Indian Meal
1946	Quarts Milk	Tons Oatmeal
	lbs. Cocoa	cwts. Rice
13	ewt. Salt	Pepper
	Chests Tea	
	lbs. Sugar	
500	Eggs	
	lbs. Corn Flour	
2 half	Barrels Porter	
	Pints Port Wine	
	Bottles Brandy	
	Gallons Whiskey	
39	lbs. Butter	12 lbs. Candles
	lbs. Arrowroot	
	lbs. Lump Sugar	87 lbs. Soap
15	ozs. Tobacco	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 27th day of Decr 1879 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	s.	d.
In Kind,			
Total,	£	5.	6. 6
		1.	1. 0
	£	6.	7. 6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Stuck GILLIBY	6.0.0		
No. H.	YOUNG			
No. III.	CULLINAN	6.0.0		
No. IV.	GRIFFIN			
No. V.	O'CONNOR			
No. VI.	FLANAGAN			
No. VII.				
No. VIII.				
No. IX.				
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.

W. Duxton Stacey

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

3. Warehouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
9	Phalenihan Groceries	17	8	1
10	B. Connolly do.	12	10	.
11	P. Kearns meal	13	10	.
13	P. O'Brien meat	59	18	11
37	J. Morris Bread &c.	98	9	11
38	Phalenihan Groceries &c. <small>Bunk Book shows £ more paid?</small>	22	11	2
39	M. J. Laine Butter	7	7	3
40	Brommely Sugar &c.	8	10	10
41	P. O'Brien Meat	50	3	4
42	abr. Baine Goods	39	3	0
43	Sunnesth. Porter	22	18	4
44	J. Morris Milk	16	7	10
45	J. Hughes do.	12	10	10
46	Hattingham do. <small>Debit Warehouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.</small>	14	14	7
47	Shrove do.	7	0	6
48	Shawless do.	4	16	10
49	M. Malby do.	57	8	5

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

50	Lassaney Coffins <small>Burial of.</small>	3	10	10
57	P. J. Stuck to pay expense Sup. Election <small>Election Law &c. of.</small>	2	1	14
11	Do. to pay Sundry Small Bills	3	4	2
		<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>

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

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

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

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The Master's Report.

I herewith report that an inmate of the Workhouse named Michl. Joyce, who on his admission on the 29th ult. had himself and family registered as Protestants. One of his children, a boy about 8 years old being sent to Hospital, the father called on me on the night of the 10th inst. and said he wanted to send for a Priest to attend the child as it was dying, I reminded him that he and family were registered as Protestants. he replied he did not care, and insisted that I should send it once. He also stated that he would go before the Board next day to say that he intended to have himself and family baptised as Roman Catholics on Christmas day, and to get permission to do so. - I sent for the Priest who attended the child.

Michl. Joyce and wife were called before the Board & expressed a desire that their religious denomination should be changed from Protestant to Roman Catholic. - The necessary change was therefore made in the Register & entered by the Clergyman.

"Ordered that a new Barrel be provided for use in the Workhouse."

"That the usual tea Breakfast, and Meat dinner be provided for the inmates on Christmas day"

"Ordered Sundry requisites for use in the Workhouse"

The Master's Report was read and signed

Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	6
Discharged ..	9
Died ..	1
Remaining ..	116

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	1
Discharged ..	✓
Died ..	✓
Remaining ..	5

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

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

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

From Local Govt Board

No 254. 1879 With reference to Provisional Order relating to the purchase of Lands, otherwise than by Agreement

No 25820 79 Stating they derive from a Report of their Inspector P. R. Roughton that the financial position of the union is by no means satisfactory and that the Guardians etc, with the Union Treasurer is largely overdrawn; requesting that the Board may be caused upon to exert themselves so as to enable the guardians to discharge their liabilities

Ordered

Clk to write to the Collectors accordingly

Eviction Notice
Jas. Walsh v. Hon. Swift
for possession of certain houses in Bohernabreena town of Galway.

Ordered

That a Suit of Clothes be provided for the Workhouse Porter, Cost not to exceed £4

Appointment of Schoolmistress

There was only one applicant for the office; Miss Kate O'Connell Assistant Teacher of Workhouse Female School who was declared Elected
(Quinn Sent to Local Govt Board)

Letter from Rev. Somerville Esq in explanation reply to G. K. letter requesting an explanation as to the removal of a cow (his property) from Govt to the town of Galway while in a dicty condition, and which the Inspector states was not suffering from Contagious disease

The explanation was considered Satisfactory (Copied £1/3 with Minutes)

As directed by the Board at their last Meeting Mr. Shree Workhouse Teacher, handed in his resignation of the office, accompanying same with an explanation as to the circumstances which caused the Master's report.

On the Motion of P. Power Seconded by M. J. Gill It was Resolved

That the resignation be not accepted, and Mr. Shree's explanation considered Satisfactory, (Mr. Power requests his protest to be recorded against undoing

the order of the Board, on the East Boarding without a
proper notice thereof be given in the case of the Schoolmaster
(being called on to resign)

~~Letter of~~



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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 9

Ditto, disallowed - 1

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 15

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 3

Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians 3

The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 1

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

Letter from E. Hensby Esq Sec Board of Works dated 10th Inst acknowledging Clerk's letter of 8th and stating they had conveyed the purport of it to the Local Govt Board

Letter from A. M. Clentock Esq Sec Board of Works demanding payment within six days of a sum of £164. 1. 4 amt of Instalment of loan

Ordered Clerk to write to Mr M Clentock and inform him that in a short time the Guardians expect to be in possession of funds to enable them to discharge this liability, and to request that they will be pleased not to require payment for the present

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

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

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

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

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

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

- 22. Inddal Dispensary District.
Account of Mr. M. A. Pillans for Rent Amount £ 3.10.0
- 23. Gannac.
Joseph Kelly, Rent 4.0.0
- 25. Inshmore
M. Connolly Rent &c. 4.15.0

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 187 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

_____ 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 vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

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

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

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Banmore	Dr. Shea	General report on State of town of Banmore	Copy of Report to Local G Board with Minutes

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

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

Recd Report from Sanitary Sub officer, Slacks stating that the parties in attendance on whom he had served notices for the abatement of nuisances, requested time for abatement owing to the severe weather
"Time granted"

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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
	<p><i>View Fees</i> <i>James Davis</i> <i>Edward H. ...</i></p>	

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and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the
 19 day of Decr 1879
 (Signed) *P. J. Stack*
 Clerk of Union.

[Special.]

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Discharged during the Week,			4	2	2	5	1	1			2	17				
Died,						1	5					7				
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	2	2	6	1	1			2	24				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			57	70	59	139	22	21	46	41	43	486				No. at corresponding period last year 466

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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 19th day of Decr 1879

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Pierce Joyce Esq. Chairman of the Board,

Other Guardians:

Messrs James Garis, John Hill, Patrick Godley, John Connot, L. S. Ferdinand, Edward D. Bunter, R. A. Somerville, J. Campbell, Patrick Kane.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3627 to No. 3650, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

[Large handwritten flourish or signature]

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, £ 496 : 5 : 3

Paid during the week, £ 292 : 2 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 1841 : 18 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

Parliamentary grant
Relief by way of poor
Rates

£ 421 : 15 : 5

4 : 1 : 3

70 : 8 : 7 £ 496 : 5 : 3

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	Aughrim							163	13	3			
	Belleville							141	10	6			
	Carnmore							182	10	3			
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NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as one for the entire Union.

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

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 Abstracts.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 51 s. 15 d. 2

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . 74.17.4

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . 2/11 3/4

Average cost in Infirmary, 5/3 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 6/11 1/2

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

3000	lbs. White Bread	7	lbs. Biscuit
1000	lbs. Brown Bread	2	Hrs. Flour
679 1/2	lbs. Meat		Tons Indian Meal
2054	Quarts Milk	1	Tons Oatmeal
	lbs. Cocoa		cwts. Rice
	cwt. Salt	4	Pepper
	Chests Tea		
112	lbs. Sugar		
924	Eggs		
8	lbs. Corn Flour		
2	Half Barrels Porter		
	Pints Port Wine		
2	Bottles Brandy		
9	Gallons Whiskey		
19	lbs. Butter	6	lbs. Candles
	lbs. Arrowroot		
28	lbs. Lump Sugar	87	lbs. Soap
18	ozs. Tobacco		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 13th day of December 1879 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	5	3	6
In Kind,		1	4
Total,	£	6	7

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	GILLIDY			
No. II.	YOUNG			
No. III.	CULLINAN			
No. IV.	GRIFFIN			
No. V.	O'CONNOR			
No. VI.	FLANAGAN			
No. VII.				
No. VIII.				
No. IX.				
TOTAL				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing 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:—

		Maintenance in Asylums		
				£ s. d.
104	D. O'Brien	for Deaf Mute,	M. O'Walshe	9 10 0
107	Do.	for do.	B. McHale	9 10 0

Clark of Unions &c.

105	P. J. Stack	to pay small Bills		6 19 5
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Debit Clothing Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

54	Rev. J. O'Sullivan	Prot. Chaplain	6 5 0	P. Kenner	Patent Sundry	3 0 0	64
55	Rev. J. Carolan	Rt. Chapl.	32 10 0	J. Macklin	Nurse do. &c.	15 0 0	65
56	P. J. Stack	Clark of Union	45 0 0	E. Hogan	do. do. &c.	7 10 0	66
57	J. F. Lynch	Master Workhouse	20 0 0	J. Ryan	do. do. &c.	7 10 0	67
58	S. Cott	Matron	7 10 0	M. Kearns	do. do.	1 5 0	68
59	J. Shore	Schoolmaster	12 10 0	Ho. Kain	do. do.	5 0 0	69
60	H. Mannion	Schoolmistress	6 5 0	M. Kelly	Patent Sundry do.	2 10 0	70
61	N. J. W. Colohan	Med. Officer	18 15 0	Robt. Stack	Rel. Officer do. &c.	15 0 0	71
62	N. G. Clayton	do.	18 15 0	Wm. Young	do. do.	9 10 0	72
63	N. Grealy	Apothecary	17 10 0	P. Cullinan	do. do.	9 10 0	73

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

(over)

3. ~~Workhouse Invoice Account.~~Establishment etc contd.

	£	s.	d.
74. M. O'Connor gr. Salary as held. Officer	7	10	0
75. M. Flanagan do. do.	3	15	0
108. J. Hanley do. do.	5	0	0

Burial etc.

103 P. J. Stack, gr. Salary as held to Burial Board	3	15	0
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Superannuation etc.

84 D. Colohan for quarters Superannuation	15	0	0
85 J. Coyle do. do.	2	10	0
86 J. Hughes do. do.	23	6	8
87 M. Lanyon do. do.	5	0	0

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

4. ~~Out-door Relief Invoice Account.~~Sanctuary etc.

88 P. J. Stack quarters Salary	10	0	0
89 D. Clayton do.	10	0	0
90 D. Grealy do.	6	5	0
91 Dr. Duggan do.	3	15	0
92 Dr. O'Dea do.	3	15	0
93 Dr. Connolly do.	3	15	0
94 Dr. Brodie do.	3	15	0
95 Dr. Bodkin do.	3	15	0

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

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

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

97 Robt. Stack quarters Salary	2	10	0
98 Wm. Young do.	5	0	0
99 Phullman do.	5	0	0
100. J. Hanley do.	5	0	0
101. M. O'Connor do.	5	0	0
102. M. Flanagan do.	5	0	0
106. Phullman expenses of Burial but do not pump	2	6	7

Election, Law etc.

Hospital Reports.—

<i>Workhouse—Admitted during the week</i>	<i>11</i>
<i>Discharged</i> ..	<i>18</i>
<i>Died</i> ..	<i>3</i>
<i>Remaining</i> .	<i>112</i>

<i>Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week</i>	<i>—</i>
<i>Discharged</i> ..	<i>—</i>
<i>Died</i> ..	<i>—</i>
<i>Remaining</i> ..	<i>5</i>

The Reports of the Master and other Officers ^{was} read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—
 "That the several articles required for use of the W. House be procured"

The Master's Report was read and signed and 100 yds. Bengal Shire
 and 20 yds. White Calico were ordered.

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

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

From Local Govt.-Board

No 26364-1879 } Forwarding questions for answers to be signed
18th Dec 79 } by the Clerks of the Union and the person who may
be appointed Schoolmaster of the Workhouse in Room of Mr Anne

No 26883-1879 } Acknowledging the Receipt of the Form of particulars,
16th Dec 79 } Plans, Specifications and Estimate in connection
with the proposed Sewerage of the Workhouse of Galway Union
and stating that the subject will be duly considered

No 26364-1879 } Stating that they have had before them the Minutes
16th Dec 79 } of the Proceedings of the Board of Guardians
of Galway Union on the 5th Instant, and with
reference to the Minutes on the Subject.

The Board

the Board Request that the Medical Officer of the
Oranmore Dispensary District, May be called upon
for a Report as to the present Sanitary Condition of
the Village of Oranmore

(Copy of Report forwarded to Local Govt Board with last Minutes)

No 26803-79 } Approving of the appointment of Miss Kate
18th Dec 79 } Costello as Schoolmistress of the Workhouse of
Galway Union

No 26935-79 } Forwarding questions for answers to be signed
18th Dec 79 } by the Clerks of the Union and the person who may
be appointed Assistant Schoolmistress of the Workhouse

No 26946-79 } Requesting to be furnished with a Return of the
18th Dec 79 } Number of Cases of Persons Vaccinated in the
Workhouse during the year ended 30th Sept 1879

No 260 M/79 } Requesting to be informed of the number of persons
18th Dec 79 } who were admitted to the Workhouse of the Union
during the year ended 29th September last, disting-
uishing the number who were sick at the time of
their admission; also the number of Births and
Deaths during the year &c &c

No 258/M } Requesting to be furnished with a Return, in one
18th Dec 1879 } of the enclosed forms of the several Dispensaries
under the Medical Charities Act, and of the
expenses of each Dispensary District for the year
ended 29th September, 1879

No 26935-1879
18th Dec 1879

Acknowledging the Receipt of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of Galway Union on the 12th Inst. Containing a Copy of a letter addressed to the Guardians by Mr Shove tendering his Resignation of the office of Schoolmaster of the Workhouse, as directed by the Guardians on the 5th Instant, with Copy of the explanation which accompanied it of the circumstances which led to the Report of the Master that on the 4th Inst. he, the Schoolmaster, was assisted into the Workhouse at about 6 o'clock in the evening "very much under the influence of drink", and with reference to the Guardians Resolution in which it is proposed that the Resignation be not accepted they have to point out that their Resolution of the 5th Instant calling for Mr Shove's Resignation could only be reversed or rescinded in the usual manner.

They have at the same time to state that they do not see how a Schoolmaster can be expected to succeed in impressing the minds of children in the manner they should be who practically set such an example and they think the Guardians should adhere to their decision requesting Mr Shove to resign.

Proposed by James Campbell Esq. and seconded by L. L. Ferdinand and

Resolved

That the Schoolmaster having complied with the order of the Board of the 5th inst requesting his resignation in consequence of the Masters Report which resignation was sent in at the Meeting of the Board on the 12th Inst. with an explanation which was considered satisfactory -

Dr Berrow

Dr Berrow an eminent Medical Gentleman, a Member of the Board having explained that a similar accident on the ice occurred to another person - a Resolution was unanimously adopted declining to accept his resignation, this Board adheres to the only Resolution on the subject namely that of the 12th Inst. and respectfully asks the Local Govt Board to sanction it.

On the application of Mrs Morrison, Schoolmistress, a resolution was passed giving testimony to her satisfactory conduct during the eight years she discharged the duties of her office -

Recd - Letter from Clerk of South Dublin Union, dated 12th Dec. forwarding for adoption by the Board of Guardians the following resolution passed by his Board on the 11th inst. -
(The Resolution was adopted)

RESOLVED:—"That the maintenance of large numbers of Lunatics in Workhouses where, without additional expenditure, suitable provision cannot be made for their treatment or classification, is contrary to the intention of the Legislature in the establishment of Workhouses, and, therefore, that on the grounds alike of equity and humanity, all such Lunatics should be removed to proper Lunatic Asylums; or that, failing such an arrangement, the Capitation Grant for Lunatics should be extended to Workhouses, which are practically Auxiliary Lunatic Asylums, and in which, by aid of such Grants, more suitable provision could be made for the care, classification, and treatment of such Lunatics."

Sewerage in Connection with the Workhouse

There was only one tender for the execution of the proposed Sewerage Works that of Mr. J. J. Brady for the sum of £555 which was accepted provided the Board of Works grant the loan applied for and that the Guardians are satisfied as to the security for the due performance of the contract

Notice of Motion

That provision be made that proper junctions be provided for the Houses along the line of the proposed Sewer from the Workhouse to the connection with the main sewer in Henry Street

I give notice that I will move the above Resolution on this day fortnight

19th Decr 1879

Signed R. N. Soursville

Ordered

Clerks to ascertain from Mr. Bourne C. E. the cost of that portion of the proposed Sewer between the Model School and the main sewer at St Helen Street

Extract from Punishment Book

Mary Mc Donnell.

Got a pass from Station for a short time, and did not return to Workhouse for 2 days. She got under the influence of drink & was arrested by the Police. She has been removed from Fever Hosp. to the Workhouse

Ordered. To be dealt with by the Magistrate

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BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

The Clerk laid before the Board the Rate Books of Contributory District to provide a new Cemetery for the Town of Galway the Rate assessed being 4^p per £1 on the Valuation — The Rate Books were duly signed by the Chairman and two Guardians present at the Meeting —

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

	<u>Galway</u> Dispensary District.		
76.	Account of Mr. D. Grealy	for quarters salary:	Amount £ 30.0.0
77.	D. Clayton	do.	30.0.0
78.	N. Grealy, Apothecary	do.	7.10.0
83.	Dr. Conedine	do. Superannuation	15.0.0
	Inaloughmore.		
79.	Dr. Suggan	for qrs. salary	32.10.0
	Cranmore.		
80.	Dr. O'Dea	for qrs. salary	30.0.0
	Moycullen		
81.	D. Connolly	for qrs. salary.	30.0.0
	spiddal		
	Inishure		
82.	D. Bodkin	for qrs. salary	32.10.0

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 1857 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 1857

_____	District,	£
_____	District,	£

Arran Dispy. District

96.	Dr. Bodkin	for quarters salary	30.0.0
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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the Annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Board Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

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

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

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.

37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Oranmore	Dr O'Dea	Dung heaps	Convenient to Houses

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount
<p><i>View Super</i> <i>James Campbell</i> <i>St. Andrew</i></p>		

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and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the

2 day of July 1880

(Signed)

P. J. Mack
Clerk of Union.

[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1871—44,022.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,169.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of Dec 1879

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						Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	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	816	437														
Temporary Buildings	222	30														
Additional Workhouse	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	5														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	1,082	472														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			57	70	57	129	22	21	46	41	43	486	In Work-house Hospital, 117	In separate Wards in Fever Hospital, 5	7	
Admitted during the Week,			7	3	3	4	2		1			20				
TOTAL			64	73	60	133	24	21	47	41	43	506				
Discharged during the Week,			4	4	4	5		2	2	2	1	29				
Died,						2	3					5				
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	4	4	7	3		2	2	2	34				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			55	69	54	125	24	19	45	39	42	472	No. at corresponding period last year		476	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20 day of December 1879, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	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 DISTRICTS	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.	13	70			13	70	Bt. forward.						
No. II.	7	8			7	8	No. X.						
No. III.	9	10			9	10	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1			1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	7	13			7	13	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.,	37	102			37	102	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 20 day of December 1879

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

St. Stephens Day. No Meeting of Board of Guardians today

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 585 : 5 : 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 723 : 7 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account of ~~the~~ 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.

Including £ 5 per Week of Union due credited to ac. of R. offrs
 Thenceforward

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	55	18	3				1296	5	11			
	„ South	18	18	0				895	18	5			
	„ East	196	6	2				2021	1	3			
	„ West	85	6	7				1726	14	10			
	Ballintemple							213	8	9			
	Barna							291	11	9			
	Carrowbrown							142	2	0			
					356	9	0				6587	3	8
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown	22	13	9				177	11	10			
	Aughrim							163	13	3			
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2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 96 s. 12 d. 0

£ s. d.

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 - 75: 8: 0

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:

3400	lbs. White Bread		lbs. Biscuit
1000	lbs. Brown Bread		lbs. Flour
471	lbs. Meat		Tons Indian Meal
2104	Quarts Milk		Tons Oatmeal
	lbs. Cocoa		cwts. Rice
12	cwt. Salt	4 1/2	Pepper
	Chests Tea		
112	lbs. Sugar		
683	Eggs		
	lbs. Corn Flour		
2	1/2 Barrels Porter		
	Pints Port Wine		
	Bottles Brandy		
	Gallons Whiskey		
30	lbs. Butter	6	lbs. Candles
	lbs. Arrowroot		
	lbs. Lump Sugar	87	lbs. Soap
18	ozs. Tobacco	1	bask Lamp Oil

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 20 day of Dec^r 1879 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, -	£	s.	d.
	5.	3.	6
In Kind, -		1.	1. 0
Total, -	£	6.	4. 6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	GILLIDY			
No. II.	YOUNG			
No. III.	CULLINAN			
No. IV.	GRIFFIN			
No. V.	O'CONNOR			
No. VI.	FLANAGAN			
No. VII.				
No. VIII.				
No. IX.				
TOTAL				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week

Discharged ..

Died ..

Remaining ..

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week

Discharged ..

Died ..

Remaining ..

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

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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187_____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18_____

_____ 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 vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

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

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

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1871—44,022.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,169.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of Decr 1879

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 9 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	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	816	436														
Temporary Buildings	222	26														
Additional Workhouse	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	3														
TOTAL	1,082	465														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			55	69	54	125	24	19	45	39	42	492	In Work-house Hospital, 107	In separate Wards, 7		
Admitted during the Week,			3	1	2	2		1			1	7	In Fever Hospital, 3	In Wards with other inmates, 8		
TOTAL			58	70	56	127	24	20	45	39	43	499	Total, 110	Total, 15		
Discharged during the Week,			6	1	4	1	2	1				15				
Died,					1	1						2				
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	1	5	2	2	1				17	No. Relieved during week, 4	1	1	6
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			52	69	57	125	22	19	45	39	43	465	No. in Work-house at date, 1	1	1	2
																No. at corresponding period last year 469

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20th day of December 1879, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	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 DISTRICTS	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.	13	70			13	70	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	7	8			7	8	No. X.						
No. III.	9	10			9	10	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1			1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	7	13			7	13	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.,	37	102			37	102	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, of a Meeting held on FRIDAY.

the 2nd day of January 1880

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pierce Joyce Esq. D.L.

Other Guardians: James Campbell, James Harris, John S. Keenan, John Gill, Denis Kelly, M. J. W. Lynch, John O'Connor, James Walsh, E. D. Burke, Michl. Kennedy, L. S. Guilman, P. J. Healy, Martin Boyle, R. M. Somerville, John Mc Donnell Esq. V.C.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2650 to No. 2656, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 350 : 13 : 10

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 156 : 1 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 1790 : 8 : 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	77	19	3				1218	6	8			
	„ South	23	14	9				872	3	8			
	„ East	86	1	3				1934	19	4			
	„ West	161	2	0				1565	72	10			
	Ballintemple	1	16	7				241	12	2			
	Barna							291	11	9			
	Carrowbrownne							142	2	9			
					350	13	10				6235	9	2
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							17	11	10			
	Aughrim							163	13	3			
	Belleville							141	10	6			
	Carnmore							159	11	6			
	Claregalway							201	18	2			
	Deerpark							96	5	6			
	Lackaghbeg							126	15	4			
	Liscananaun							102	11	6			
	Lisheenavalla							73	6	0			
												1243	4
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty							465	72	4			
	Clarenbridge							357	13	2			
	Oranmore							447	12	9			
	Stradbally							93	7	10			
											1360	6	1
BARTHOLOMEW IHERNON	Inishmore							207	9	5			
											207	9	5
JOHN WALLACE	Kilcummin							113	18	1			
											113	18	1
JAMES KYNE	Moycullen							113	12	9			
	Slieveaneena							110	1	7			
	Tullokyne							107	10	1			
											390	11	5
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh							120	11	6			
	Spiddal							111	13	6			
											245	5	1
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin							68	15	9			
	Selerna							123	2	2			
											201	17	11
					350	13	10				9999	1	3

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

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

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 Abstracts.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 75 s. 15 d. 9

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . 87 : 11 : 5

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 3/7 3/4
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 5/8 1/2
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 6/11

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

14000	lbs. White Bread		lbs. Biscuit
800	lbs. Brown Bread		lbs. Flour
119 6 3/4	lbs. Meat		Tons Indian Meal
2156	Quarts Milk		Tons Oatmeal
1 Case	lbs. Cocoa		cwts. Rice
	cwt. Salt		Pepper
	Chests Tea	72 1/2 st.	Potatoes
140	lbs. Sugar		
67 1/4	Eggs		
8	lbs. Corn Flour		
1/2	Barrel Porter		
18 Botts	Pints Port Wine		
	Bottles Brandy		
	Gallons Whiskey		
34	lbs. Butter	6	lbs. Candles
	lbs. Arrowroot		
	lbs. Lump Sugar	87	lbs. Soap
18	ozs. Tobacco		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 27 day of December 1879 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - -	£ 5 : 3 : 6
In Kind, - - - - -	1 : 1 : 0
Total, - - - - -	£ 6 : 4 : 6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	GILLIDY			
No. II.	YOUNG			
No. III.	CULLINAN			
No. IV.	GRIFFIN			
No. V.	O'CONNOR			
No. VI.	FLANAGAN			
No. VII.				
No. VIII.				
No. IX.				
TOTAL				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

*Hospital Reports.—**Workhouse—Admitted during the week* 16*Discharged* .. 6*Died* .. 3*Remaining* . 109*Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week* 1*Discharged* .. 1*Died* .. "*Remaining* .. 6

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

"That the several articles required for use in the Workhouse be procured"

The Matrons report was read and signed

(M)

The weekly Industrial report was also read & signed by the chairman

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

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

From Local Govt Board

30th Dec 1879 } With reference to the National School Teachers (Ireland) Act, No 27048, and requesting to be informed whether the Guardians are willing to become a Contributory Union &c

Resolved, That the Guardians decline to make this a Contributory Union within the meaning of the Act

No 27542 } Stating that in defiance to the wishes of the Guardians they will not pass for the acceptance of the Schoolmaster's resignation, but if a similar charge be proved against him it must result in his removal from office

No 26883-79 } 22nd Dec

Returning the Plans Specifications &c with reference to the proposed Sewerage works in connection with the Workhouse Buildings, and forwarding ^{a form of} Consent for an expenditure of a sum of £1000 for the execution of the works to be signed by a majority of the Guardians of the Union

(Form of Consent with Minutes)

Pursuant to notice of Motion, it was proposed by Mr. Somerville seconded by Mr. J. J. Kieran and Resolved,

That provision be made that proper Junctions be provided for the houses along the line of the proposed Sewer from the Workhouse to the Connection with the Main Sewer in Henry Street

Resolved That the Chairman, Mr. Kieran, Mr. Kelly and Mr. Davis be appointed a Committee to meet Mr. Townsend and to arrange as to the provision to be made for Junctions in connection with the Houses on the proposed line of Sewer and with reference to the provision of "Gully traps" &c

Ordered, Clerk to make application to the Galway Town Council for permission to open the roadway for construction of the proposed Sewer from the workhouse to Henry St

2/1/80 } Ordered

That inasmuch as the proposed Sewer will be highly beneficial to the National Model Schools, the Clerk be directed to write to the Board of Works, and National Education Board, Secretaries, requesting them to become Contributory to a portion of the expenses to be incurred in the construction of the proposed Sewer

Read — Letter from Mr. J. J. Brady Dated 2nd January 1880
forwarding enclosed to Pierce Joyce Esq. G. L. Chairman, an
Amended Tender for the execution of the proposed Sewerage
works

Resolved

That the Board will not consider the Amended
Tender, and that the Clerk be directed to issue
fresh advertisements inviting tenders for the Contract

Circular from E. Hamsley Esq. Secy Board of works, Dated 22nd Dec
1879 forwarding 30 Copies of their Memorandum of 17th Dec^r
for circulation among such parties as are desirous of obtaining
Loans to improve their property or give employment to
the Labouring Classes.

Resolved

That Mr. Townsend C. E. be requested to attend and
report on the present state of the Water Closet in
connection with the Board Rooms

The Returning Officer having reported that he stopped the
pensions of Thomas Joyce and Michael Sullivan, being pensioners
inmate of the Workhouse Hospital, it was

Resolved — That Thomas Joyce be allowed Ten Shillings
to enable him to bury his wife, ~~and to pay the funeral~~,
and that Michael Sullivan be allowed one half his pension
to enable him to take himself & family out of the house

On the application of the Schoolmistress, it was
Ordered, That Requisites to the amount of £6.0.8 be provided
for use in the Workhouse female School

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BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 9

Ditto, disallowed - 1

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 11

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 3

Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians 3

The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 1

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Galway 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:—

One ton &c. als,

"Ordered"

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

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

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

Dispensary District.
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 187 _____

_____ 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 vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state year)

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

Sp. 262. In. Read Letter from L. G. Board dated 15th Dec. 1879 stating that

by the provision of the Vaccination Act of last Session the period within which Children are required to be taken to the Dispensary Medical Officer for the purpose of being vaccinated has been reduced from 6 months to 3 months after Birth, and drawing the attention of Committee of Management to the circumstances

Resolved That the Local Gov. Board be requested to sanction the payment of £15. 15. 0 to Dr. Rice as remuneration for services as Temporary Medical Officer of Sanitary District during the absence of Dr. Bowie being at the rate of £3. 3. 0 per week.

Received Report from H. from Dr. Puggan Turloughmore certifying that between 1st October 1879 and 31st Dec. 1879 he had successfully vaccinated 25 persons

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

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

Galway No. 1	129 Cases
Do No. 2	115 "
Turloughmore	33 "
Proycure	11 "

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

Relieving Officers to save the usual Fees

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

Report from P. Cullinan Sanitary Sub Officer stating that (as directed by the Board) he served notices on several premises in his district for abatement of nuisances, that all have complied with the order with the exception of the case of Mary Carr of Castlequarry whose house is in a ruinous condition and in danger of tumbling down (No Order)

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount
	<i>Henry Cooper</i> <i>John Keweenaw</i> <i>James Campbell</i>	

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the
 9 day of *July* 1880
 (Signed) *P. H. Duck*
 Clerk of Union.

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GALWAY UNION.

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of January 1880

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	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	816	455															
Temporary Buildings	222	28															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	2															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	1,082	462															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			52	69	57	125	22	19	45	39	43	465	In Workhouse Hospital, 110	In separate Wards, 7			
Admitted during the Week,			5	2	7	8	1			1	3	29	In Fever Hospital, 2	In Wards with other inmates, 8			
TOTAL			57	71	64	133	23	19	45	40	46	492	Total, 112	Total, 15			
Discharged during the Week,			5	4	3	4	1	2		2	3	24					
Died,					1	4					1	6					
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	4	4	8	1	2		2	4	30					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			52	67	54	125	22	17	45	38	42	462					
													No. at corresponding period last year		487		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of January 1880, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	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 DISTRICTS	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	
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No. I.	18	75			18	75	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	7	9			7	9	No. X.						
No. III.	10	11			10	11	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1			1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	8	15			8	15	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.,	44	111			44	111	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,

the 9th day of January 1880

PRESENT: In the Chair, Peter Joyce Esq

Other Guardians:

John J. Keenan, Jas. Quinn, John Gill, Jim Murray
 John Connor, Jas. Campbell, Mr. McMonagh
 L. L. Furman, W. A. Somerville and Mr. Heenan Esq

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3687 to No. 3711, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

* Includes £ 8:12:4 lodged by
H. O. Hesk for rep-ayme of
Relief - Salary, £ 2:0:0 Union, £ 6:6:4

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,

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 519:18:9

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 1366:9:8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	119	9	8				1098	17					
	„ South	23	8	0				848	15	8				
	„ East	67	5	1				1867	14	11				
	„ West	123	0	5				1442	12	6				
	Ballintemple	12	8	0				199	4	2				
	Barna	„	„	„				291	11	9				
	Carrowbrownne	„	„	„	845	11	2	142	2	9	5890	18	8	
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							177	11	10				
	Aughrim							163	13	3				
	Belleville	16	11	7				124	18	11				
	Carnmore							159	11	6				
	Claregalway							201	18	8				
	Deerpark	15	13	0				80	12	6				
	Lackaghbeg							126	15	4				
	Liscannan	24	2	8				78	8	10				
	Lisheenavalla							73	6	0				
					56	7	3				1126	18	10	
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty	32	8	1				433	4	3				
	Clarenbridge	6	3	11				345	9	3				
	Oranmore	34	4	0				415	8	9				
	Stradbally							93	7	10				
					72	10	0				1287	10	1	
BARTHOLOMEW HERNON	Inishmore							207	9	5				
											207	9	5	
JOHN WALLACE	Kilcummin							113	18	1				
											113	18	1	
JAMES KYNE	Moycullen	3	14	11				109	19	5				
	Slieveneenra	15	9	4				94	12	3				
	Tullokyne	17	8	4				149	7	9				
					36	12	0				353	19	5	
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh							130	11	6				
	Spiddal							114	13	6				
											245	5	0	
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin							68	15	9				
	Selerna							133	2	2				
											201	17	11	
					£	511	6	5			£	9417	18	6

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

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

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 Abstracts.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 71. 19 s. 11 d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . 72. 14. 10

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . 2. 11 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, 5. 3 1/2

Average cost on Fever Hospital, 6. 11

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

9800	lbs. White Bread	lbs. Biscuit
600	lbs. Brown Bread	lbs. Flour
444	lbs. Meat	Tons Indian Meal
1920	Quarts Milk	Tons Oatmeal
	lbs. Cocoa	cwts. Rice
1	cwt. Salt	Pepper
	Chests Tea	
112	lbs. Sugar	
664	Eggs	
8	lbs. Corn Flour	
2	1/2 Barrels Porter	
18	Pints Port Wine	
	Bottles Brandy	
9	Gallons Whiskey	1 Cask Lamp oil
33	lbs. Butter	6 lbs. Candles
	lbs. Arrowroot	
	lbs. Lump Sugar	
18	ozs. Tobacco	87 lbs. Soap

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of January 1880 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	s.	d.
In Kind,			
Total,	£	6.	16. 1

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
131 No. I.	GILLIDY STELCA	8. 0. 0		
132 No. II.	YOUNG	5. 0. 0		
133 No. III.	CULLINAN	6. 0. 0		
No. IV.	GRIFFIN			
No. V.	O'CONNOR			
134 No. VI.	FLANAGAN	10. 0. 0		
No. VII.				
No. VIII.				
No. IX.				
TOTAL		29. 0. 0		

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing 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.
121	J. J. Campbell	Insurance	6	15	6
122	W. J. Conner	Fus. & Inspect.	3	6	0
130	P. Keenan	Glazing	7	6	2
139	Secretaries Nat. Educat.	Books	6	0	5

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

2. Establishment Account.

123	W. Young	for under furn. acct	2	10	
124	N. Kyr	"	2	15	
125	B. H. Egan	"	2	10	
126	John Wallan	"	2	10	
127	J. Kyr	"	2	10	
128	P. Conner	"	2	10	
129	A. Conner	"	2	10	
142	W. H. H. H.	"	8	4	8

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
109	John Morris Bread &c	103	0	5
110	John L. McKean Groceries	22	19	2
111	Agneses Son &c Potatoes	22	18	4
112	M. J. Lavin Bread	6	5	8
113	B. Connolly Wine &c	11	7	1
114	P. O'Brien Meat	63	19	2
115	Geo Morris Milk	15	14	0
116	The Stuffs	12	13	2
117	J. C. Mughan	14	7	5
118	Geo Connor	6	18	6
119	The Lamb	3	19	4
120	M. Athie, M. ally	6	8	4

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

A. 140.	P. J. Hadd to pay	9	1	1
140	Ja. Sweeney Coffins	1	4	

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

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

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

135.	Dr. Quahly	Registration fee	£ 7. 5. 9
136.	Dr. Clayton		6. 1. 6
137.	Dr. Deegan		3. 1. 6
138.	Dr. Connolly		1. 3. 0

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Hospital Reports.—

<i>Workhouse—Admitted during the week</i>	<i>18</i>
<i>Discharged ..</i>	<i>6</i>
<i>Died ..</i>	<i>1</i>
<i>Remaining .</i>	<i>130</i>

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week

<i>Discharged ..</i>	<i>2</i>
<i>Died ..</i>	<i>"</i>
<i>Remaining ..</i>	<i>"</i>

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

Ordered on Master's requisition sundry necessaries for use in the Workhouse

The Matrons report of Clothing Made and repaired during the week was read

The weekly industrial Reports were read

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

No 277 M. 79
31st Dec 79

Transmitting Statement (in anticipation) Showing Statement of Collection and expenditure of Poor Rate &c during year ended 29th Sept. 1879

No 277 84. 79
8 Jan 80

Asking for a return of the number of Idiot &c in the Workhouse on the 31st Dec. 1879

No 431 - 1880
8 January

Requesting to be informed what steps the Guardians propose to take to Compel the defaulters under the Vaccination act in the Galway Furlongmore and Moycullen Dispensary Districts to Comply with the Law.

Ordered. Returning officers are directed to serve the usual Notices on the defaulters

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

From Local Govt Board

No 431. 1880

8 January

Returning the form of Consent to an expenditure of a sum of £1000 for the improvement of the Sewage in connection with the Workhouse and pointing out that this document should be signed by a Majority of the Guardians of the Union,

Resolved

That that the Board request that James Campbell Esq J.P. M.C. be so good as to accompany the Clerk of the Union to obtain the necessary signatures

Letter from C. Pugh Esq Local Govt Auditor stating that he would attend at the Workhouse on 21st Inst for the purpose of Auditing the accounts of the Union

Letter from Vincent Griffiths Esq Sec Treasurer forwarding return date 1st Jan 1880, asking for return of the Rating on Govt property

Ordered

Clerk to ascertain from the Collector of Poor Rates by whom the last Rates assessed on the house at Wood Quay occupied by the Military, have been paid,

Letter dated 2nd Jan 1880 from W. J. B. Kemp Esq, Veterinary Department Dublin Castle, asking for returns under the Cattle Diseases act,

The Clerk reports that Mr. Downing Inspector of Schools had requested of him to bring under the notice of the Board, the fact, that at his inspection of the Female School, about three months ago, there was a sufficient stock of Books &c, but that on his visit this day, there was scarcely a Book &c to be found

Ordered,

Clerk to request Mr. Downing to put his report in writing

Resolved That the Workhouse Master be authorized to see the broken stones in the Workhouse at 7³/₄ per Ton — Carriage to be by the purchaser

Ordered, Clerk to again write to the Secretary of State for War with reference to the pension payable to Sergt. Major Morrissey, which the Guardians made a claim on for support of his children in the Workhouse

Report from E. James Esq C.E. as to the state of the Water Closet in connection with the Boardroom, which he states to be in an unsafe condition

Ordered, That Mr. James be requested to furnish specification of necessary repairs

Letter from J. Gosley Esq. Sec Irish Church Temporalities Comm³ dated 2nd Jan 1880 stating that the Lifford Burial Ground, as appears, from a Memorandum in the Vestry Book of St Nicholas Parish, should be vested in the Board of Guardians as it was plainly and admittedly under the control of the Rector previous to the passing of

the Irish Church act

Ordered, Clerk to forward copy of letter to Augustinian Friars,

A man named Pat Rooney applied for admission on the grounds of destitution, on investigation it was decided to charge him to Galway E. Division — Mr. Davis and Mr. Kerwan objecting, and the Clerk was directed to lay the facts of the case before the Local Gov. Board for their opinion as to the chargeability

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BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was . . . 16

Ditto, disallowed -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 8

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 3

Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians 3

The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 2

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered -

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

141. London Dispensary District
Account of Mr. J. Morris for Ret: Amount £ 4.10.0

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 1857 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 1857

_____ 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 vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

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

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

Dr. Hea
Dr. Hea
Dr. Hea

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

Relusing officer to serve the usual notices

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Naumara	Dr. Hea	Misuse and Disposal in year of Michael Holland of Kewite,	
Magennis	Dr. Connolly	Having a pig and cow in the dwelling house of Timothy Long of Gloniffe,	

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

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

Report from Wm Young Sanitary Sub Officer stating that he had visited certain parties in Gleniscawle in whom he had served notice for abatement of nuisances and that in each case, all the parties had complied with the Act

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount	
	<p>View Survey L. J. ... Justice</p>		

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the

16 day of Jan 1880

(Signed)

P. Stack
Clerk of Union.

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of January 1880

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			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	816	453														
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse	222	25														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	3														
TOTAL	1,082	480														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			52	67	54	125	22	17	45	38	42	462	In Work-house Hospital, 125	In separate Wards } 7		
Admitted during the Week,			8	3	7	9	1	1	1		1	31	In Fever Hospital } 3	In Wards with other inmates, } 8		
TOTAL			60	70	61	134	23	18	46	38	43	493	Total, 128	Total, 15		
Discharged during the Week, Died,			5	1	2	2	1				1	12				
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	1	2	2	1				1	12	No. Relieved during week } 4		4	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			55	69	59	132	22	18	46	38	42	481	No. in Work-house at date } 2		2	
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
													Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
													No. at corresponding period last year		489	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of January 1880, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	18	82			18	82	Bt. forward.						
No. II.	20	85			20	85	No. X.						
No. III.	9	12			9	12	No. XI.						
No. IV.	10	11			10	11	No. XII.						
No. V.	1	1			1	1	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	8	15			8	15	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.,	46	121			46	121	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 16th day of January 1880

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Prince Joyce Esq D. L. Chairman

Messrs D. Kelly, J. J. Kerwin, J. Walsh, J. Davis,

P. Dooley, B. Roach, J. Gill, E. D. Brunk,

P. J. Grealy, J. McDonough, J. O'Connor, J. Heenan,

L. L. Ferdinand, J. McDonough, + R. N. Lourenville,

Dr. Roughan, L. J. B. was also present

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

GALWAY UNION.
The GUARDIANS of the above Union will, at their Meeting to be held on the 16th inst, receive and consider Tenders for the Execution of certain SEWERAGE WORKS in connection with the Workhouse Buildings. Plans, Specifications, &c. can be seen, and all information respecting same, can be had on application at the Office of Professor TOWNSEND, C.E., Queen's College, Galway, between the hours of Eleven A.M. and Four P.M. The person who may be declared Contractor will be required to enter into a Bond with two Solvent Sureties for the due performance of the work, in such sum as the Guardians shall determine.—By Order,
PATRICK J. STACK, Clerk of Union.
Clerk's office, Workhouse, Galway, 2d January 1880.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2711 to No. 3744, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 127 : 19 : 61

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 281 : 3 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 1519 : 13 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

† Including £ 2 : 1 : 8 lodged by N. J. Husk, R. O. Relief by Way of Loan of M. Sullivan, Galway.

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward							1098	17	0			
	„ South							848	15	8			
	„ East							1867	14	11			
	„ West							1442	12	5			
	Ballintemple							199	4	2			
	Barna							291	11	9			
	Carrowbrowne							142	2	9	5890	18	8
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							177	11	10			
	Aughrim							163	13	3			
	Belleville							124	18	11			
	Carnmore							159	11	6			
	Claregalway							201	18	8			
	Deerpark							80	12	6			
	Lackaghbeg							126	15	4			
	Liscananaun							78	8	10			
	Lisheenavalla							73	6	0	1186	16	10
	WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty	59	10	.				373	14	3		
Clarenbridge		3	2	6				342	6	9			
Oranmore		30	11	0				384	17	9			
Stradbally		32	14	2	125	17	8	60	13	8	1161	12	5
BARTHOLOMEW HERNON	Inishmore							207	9	5	207	9	5
JOHN WALLACE	Kilcummin							113	18	1	113	18	1
JAMES KYNE	Moycullen							109	19	5			
	Slieveaneena							94	12	3			
	Tullokyne							149	7	9	353	19	5
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh							130	11	6			
	Spiddal							114	13	6	245	5	0
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin							68	15	9			
	Selerna							133	2	2	201	17	11
								125	17	8	9361 17 10		

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

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 Abstracts.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 66: 11 s. 0 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . 76: 2: 5

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . 3: 1: 4

Average cost in Infirmary, 5: 5

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 6: 11: 2

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

2400	lbs. White Bread	7	lbs. Biscuit
1200	lbs. Brown Bread		lbs. Flour
495	lbs. Meat		Tons Indian Meal
2016	Quarts Milk		Tons Oatmeal
	lbs. Cocoa		cwts. Rice
1	cwt. Salt	4	Pepper
	Chests Tea		
112	lbs. Sugar		
643	Eggs		
8	lbs. Corn Flour		
2 Half	Barrels Porter		
18	Pint Port Wine		
2	Bottles Brandy		
	Gallons Whiskey		
40	lbs. Butter	6	lbs. Candles
4	lbs. Arrowroot		
18	lbs. Lump Sugar	87	lbs. Soap
	ozs. Tobacco	1	Cask Lamp Oil

Orders Not Signed

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 10 day of July 1880 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£ 5-148: 6
In Kind,	1- 6: 8
Total,	£ 6- 78: 0

Credit each Believing Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book. 13: 2

The requirements of each Believing 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	
			Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	CULLINAN	8-0-0		
No. II.	YOUNG			
No. III.	CULLINAN			
No. IV.	GRIFFIN			
No. V.	O'CONNOR			
No. VI.	FLANAGAN			
No. VII.				
No. VIII.				
No. IX.				
TOTAL		£ 80-0-0	stat-	

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

Hospital Reports.—

<i>Workhouse—Admitted during the week</i>	16
<i>Discharged ..</i>	17
<i>Died ..</i>	1
<i>Remaining .</i>	118

<i>Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week</i>	3
<i>Discharged ..</i>	3
<i>Died ..</i>	"
<i>Remaining ..</i>	0

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

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

- From Local Govt Board
- N^o 101. 80 Asking for particulars respecting any Rates Paid or any
3rd January New Rates agreed upon during previous quarter
- N^o 102. 80 With reference to General order regulating the annual
12 Jan^y Election of Guardians &c
- N^o 1081. 80 Transmitting a Copy of a Letter received from the Under Sec^y
14 Jan^y 1880 to the Lord Lieutenant describing the arrangements necessary which the Govt propose to sanction in certain distressed Districts for the purpose of affording employment &c
- N^o 1080. 80 Referring to this Circular of 27th Nov^r last transmitting
14 Jan^y 80 copy of Notice from Comrs of Public Works on the

Subject of Loans for affording employment to the Labouring Classes and enclosing Copy of further Notice dated 12th Inst on same Subject

- N^o 1005 - 80 Applying to the Clerk's letter as to the Chargeability of a
15 Jan^y man named Patrick Aonny and stating that as the man has not resided for the last five years in the Galway Union his Chargeability must be determined by Sec 12. of 10th Vic Cap^t and therefore according to the facts must be charged to the Union at Large

- N^o 431. 80 Sanctioning the proposal of Requesting to be informed
15 Jan^y when the temporary services in the Judicial District were afforded for which the Guardians propose to pay a price a sum of £ 15.15.0

Ordered

Clerk to obtain the necessary information from P. B. Justice

- 13th Jan^y 1880 From under Sec to the Lord Lieutenant, stating that from the representations made as to the want of suitable employment for unskilled labor, His Grace on receiving representations of such want, through the Local Government Board from the Board of Guardians, and that profitable employment might be given upon useful works, His Grace is authorized to convene an extraordinary meeting of the Baronial Session to present for such works, and to lend money through the Board of Works on liberal terms for the execution of such works, and further, that applications for the works may be made by the Board of Guardians, the County Surveyor, or his Deputy of the Barony.
(Vide Notice from Board of Works of 12th Jan^y 1880)

Ordered

Clerk to issue Circulars to the entire of the Guardians of

the Union, Stating that a Special Meeting of the Board will be held on Friday next at 12 o'clock to consult with the County Surveyor as to what works may appear necessary to afford relief in the Galway Union.

The Clerk to request that the County Surveyor will be so good as to attend the Meeting.

Ordered, Clerk to issue advertisements inviting applications from qualified persons for the situation of assistant Schoolmaster to the Workhouse Female School at a salary of £15 per Annum with Rations and an apartment. Applications to be considered on Friday the 3rd Inst.

Ordered Clerk to write to Collector James Kynne directing him to attend the next Meeting of the Board on 23rd Inst.

9th January 1880 From E. Hornby Esq Sec Board of Works Stating that with reference to the Clerk's Letter of 6th Inst. they will have immediate inquiry made and will communicate unto the Guardians on the subject.

9th Jan 1880 Letter from Fred Franklyn Esq informing the Clerk that he has been deputed by the Board of Works to visit Galway on tomorrow the 9th Inst with reference to the proposed Sewer, and that he would call on the Clerk with reference thereto.

The Clerk states that Mr Franklyn had been met by Messrs Korman, Kelly and Davis, who gave him all information concerning the proposed Sewer.

Resolved That the Local Govt Board be requested to recommend that the Board of Guardians be allowed to obtain the sum of £1000 for the proposed Sewage works in connection with the Workhouse on the terms of the Circular Letter of the Board of Works dated 12th Inst.

Resolved That permission be made for putting "Gully traps" along the roads in connection with the intended New Sewer from Workhouse as also Connections where required.

Resolved That the tender of Martin Jordan to supply 12 pairs of Men's Boots @ 1/11 Each and 12 pairs of Women's Boots @ 1/11 Each be accepted.

15 Jan 1880 Letter from Wm. Acheson Esq with reference to the proposed Steam Tramway between Clifden & Galway was marked "Read".

13 Jan 1880 Letter from Jas. Purington Esq Sec to Galway Town Council, Stating that his Board are quite willing to grant that the Guardians the necessary permission to open the roads for construction of the proposed Sewer, and to afford them every facility in the carrying out of the work, but recommending that the Guardians should arrange with the Contractor so that they may not be liable to any claim hereafter for interference with the road.

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BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

Statement of Burial Rates Week Ending 10th January 1880

Collector	E. Pennies	Am. Paid			Total	Remaining			Total		
Galway North		10	2			91	4	3			
Galway South		3	3	2		64	9	2			
Galway East		20	3	5		147	8	2			
Galway West		18	4	4		115	18	10			
Ballinacorney		"	"	"		33	7	5			
Barna		"	"	"		38	16	5			
Carratrane		2	1	3		14	2	8			
Total					62	14	2		565	6	11

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 8

Ditto, disallowed - 1

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 3

Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians 3

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 2

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered -

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.)

Paid during the week
Balance in favor at close of week

L 648. 16. 8

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

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

_____ 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 vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Report from H^o from Dr. Shea stating that he had successfully vaccinated 20 persons in his District between the 10th October and 31st Dec. 1879

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

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

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount
	<p><i>View Survey</i> <i>James Kelly</i> <i>James Doherty</i></p>	

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the

23 day of *July* 1880

(Signed)

P. J. Stack
Clerk of Union.

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[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1871—44,022.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,169.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17 day of January 1880

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied						Boys and Girls above 9 and under 16 years of age	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	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	816	476														
Temporary Buildings	222	25														
Additional Workhouse	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	—														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	1,082	485														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			55	69	59	132	22	18	46	38	42	481	In Workhouse Hospital, 149	In separate Wards 7		
Admitted during the Week,			3	1	9	7	1	"	"	1	1	23	In Fever Hospital, 4	In Wards with other inmates, 8		
TOTAL			58	70	68	139	23	18	46	39	43	504	Total, 149	Total, 15		
Discharged during the Week,			4	3	2	1	2	"	"	1	2	15				
Died,						1	3					4				
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	3	2	4	2	"	"	1	2	19	No. Relieved during week, 4	1	1	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			54	67	65	135	21	18	46	38	41	485	No. in Workhouse at date, "	"	"	
															No. at corresponding period last year 498	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17 day of January 1880, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	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 DISTRICTS	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.	18	82			18	82	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	9	12			9	12	No. X.						
No. III.	10	11			10	11	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1			1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	8	15			8	15	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.,	46	121			46	121	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,

the 23rd day of January 1880

PRESENT: In the Chair, Peter Joyce Esq. D.L. Chairman

Other Guardians:

- | | | | |
|--------------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| John J. Keenan | Patrick Dooley | Richard Blake | John J. Keenan |
| George Hill | Barth Roche | Edward Lynch | Michael Henn |
| James Kelly | Timothy Byrne | Edward Gulliford | Patrick Gualy |
| James Davis | John O'Shaughnessy | Edward Burke | Edward Burke |
| John O'Donoghue | Edward Kingston | L. L. Heenan | Richard A. Somerville |
| Richard O'Sullivan | John O'Keefe | John O'Donnell | Dr. V. Blake |
| John O'Sullivan | Dr. John O'Connor | John O'Connell | |
| John O'Sullivan | John O'Boyle | John O'Connell | |

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ^{34/12} 2700 to No. 2700, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

Requirement of Relief

Loans by P.O. Stacks

Way of Loan to Budget Surplus of ~~£~~ Galway Elec. Division

£ 0.13.4 Relief by

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, - - - - - £ 502 : 15 : 1

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 123 : 17 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account of *James* the Guardians was £ 1140 : 18 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
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	„ South	52	1	2				794	14	6			
	„ East	53	4	0				1814	10	3			
	„ West	102	13	1				1339	19	4			
	Ballintemple	4	10	0				194	14	2			
	Barna	38	17	2				259	14	7			
	Carrowbrownne				307	2	6	142	2	9	558	15	6
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	Lackaghbeg										126	15	4
	Liscananann	5	17	1							72	11	9
	Lisheenavalla				100	3	7				73	6	0
												1086	13
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty							373	14	3			
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JAMES KYNE	Moyeullen	40	9					69	10	5			
	Slieveaneena	14	10	5				80	1	10			
	Tullokyne	39	16	3	74	15	8	109	11	6	269	3	9
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh							130	11	67			
	Spiddal							114	13	6			
											245	5	7
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin							68	15	9			
	Selerna							133	2	2			
											201	17	11
											3859	15	5
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Average cost in Infirmary, 5. 6

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	lbs. Cocoa	2	cwts. Rice
	cwt. Salt		Pepper
	Chests Tea	18	Bottles Brandy
112	lbs. Sugar		
704	Eggs		
8	lbs. Corn Flour		
1	Barrels Porter		
	Pints Port Wine		
2	Bottles Brandy		
	Gallons Whiskey		
39	lbs. Butter	6	lbs. Candles
4	lbs. Arrowroot		
	lbs. Lump Sugar	87	lbs. Soap
18	ozs. Tobacco		

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2. The Medical Officers' Books.

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 17th day of January 1880 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£ s. d.
In Money,	5 18 6
In Kind,	1 14 8
Total,	£ 4 13 2

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	GILLIDY			
No. II.	YOUNG			
No. III.	CULLINAN			
No. IV.	GRIFFIN			
No. V.	O'CONNOR			
No. VI.	FLANAGAN			
No. VII.				
No. VIII.				
No. IX.				
TOTAL				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing 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.
Burial Grounds act	
P. Nugent on acc. Contract	50 0 0

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	9
Discharged ..	18
Died ..	3
Remaining ..	109

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	2
Discharged ..	.
Died ..	.
Remaining ..	2

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

Ordered on Master's requisition sundry requisites for use in the Workhouse.

The Master's report of Clothing made and repaired was read.

The Weekly Industrial Reports were read.

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

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

From Local Govt. Board

431. / 1880 }
15 July } Requesting to be informed when the temporary services of Dr. Rice were afforded as substitute for Dr. Brodie during the temporary illness of the latter

Ordered. Clerk to procure & forward the necessary informⁿ.

21 July 1880 }
No. 120 } Inwarding an Order on the Paymaster Genl for the sum of £ 53: 5: 8 under the Public Health (Ireland) Act.

21 July 1880 }
No. 17 M / 1880 } Circular letter on the subject of unskilled labour in the Union and enclosing draft application which the Board recommend the Board to adopt if they desire to take steps for the employment of the poor in the manner described. - Ordered. - That the Clerk forward the application to the Local Board requesting

them to convene a meeting of the Local Baronial Sessions of the Union for the purpose referred to. - 635

No. 1699 / 1880 }
22 July 1880 } Stating, in reference to the Board's Resolⁿ of the 16th inst. applying for sanction to advance of £ 1000, for the purposes of Sewerage & stating that when the Form of application is recd with the necessary Plans & particulars the Board of Guard. can review the application & that the Local Govt. Board will not fail to consider & make any communication on the subject to the Commrs. of Public Works that may be requisite

Several Communications, under the header & heading of the 12th inst. Circular of the Board of Works of the 12th inst. having been laid before the Board
It was ordered that the Clerk return the several letters to the respective parties & inform them that the subject matter of their letters will be duly considered at Baronial Sessions.

20 July 1880 }
1880/81 } Read letter from W. B. Soudy Esq. accountant Board of Works, requesting to be required how much of the loan for £ 1000, for the sewers, applied for by the Board of Guard. will be required during the year ending 31st March 1881
The Clerk to state that about the entire amount of £ 1000 will be required.

19 July 1880 }
From W. H. White, Accts General ^{War Office,} in answer to Clerk's letter of 12th inst. regarding the Pensioned "Queen Morrissey", stating that it has been found necessary to make a reserved reference to the next Paymaster, Cape Town, and that when further information has been recd a communication will be made to the Clerk

17 July }
1880 } From R. J. J. Esq. stating that in conjunction with Messrs Davis & Kelly the committee appointed by the Board for the purpose of determining the site of Gullies & house junctions which sh^d be constructed in connection with the

sewerage pipe from the W. House and that, ^{after} carefully examining the ground they considered that 4 street gullies and 40 House Junctions would be ample -

Order. Report to be adopted -

Ordered that the amount due by Joseph Refine for his maintenance whilst an inmate suffering from small pox, be remitted

Road Contractor
 Read notice from Mr. J. H. Mulvey, to the effect, that he will hold the Guards responsible for any damages which may be occasioned by the construction of the Main Sewer, at the rate of 1/2 per yard. (No order)

Mr. Wm. Acheson who was present laid on the table the plans Maps &c. of the proposed Steam Tramway from Galway to Craghward, and Clefden, stated that he had come specially to meet the Guards for the purpose of conferring with them on the subject of the project -

After some discussion on the subject the following Resolutions proposed by L. D. Ferdinando Esq. seconded by R. N. Somerville Esq. was unanimously adopted -

Resolved - That Mr. Wm. Acheson having lodged the plans, sections, &c. for a steam tramway from Galway to Clefden, with the clerk of the Union, and having explained his views, and that it would be the means of affording great employment, spread over 900 square miles, it is the opinion of the Board of Guards that the Galway, Craghward, & Clefden Steam Tramway is a work which should be recommended for adoption at the next Annual Session agreed to be held under the late Order.

17 July 1880 Letter from E. Downing Esq. Insp. of Schools stating that he visited the Galway P. S. M. Sch. on the 4th of Sep. last, and found the girls department supplied with the various requisites & that when he visited on the 9th inst. there was not a slate or a Copy Book in the school and only a few torn reading Books. He comm. Rules & other tablets required to be kept suspended in a National school have likewise disappeared. The Inspector also states that having made enquiry he could only detect that the slates were used for putting out the ashes. -

Ordered that the Clerk take note of the inventory made of the several Books &c. in the school at the time of the departure of the late Teacher, and the Books &c. subsequently received.

July 21. 1880 - From Denis Goolley Esq. Irish Church Temporalities Commr. calling attention to his letter of the 2nd inst. respecting the Return of Burial Grounds in Galway Union
No Order made -

2nd July 1880. From Rev. Jas. Purcell, ^{Rov} St. Augustine's Galway enclosing copies of letters &c. recd. from the Commrs of Church Temporalities in Ireland.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 13

Ditto, disallowed - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 8

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 2

Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians 2

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered -

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

BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

Ordered, on Certificate of Professor Townsend C. E.,
payment to Mr. Nugent of a Sum of £ 50
for works in connection with the New Cemetery.

Statement of Burial Rate Works Ending 17th January 1851

Collector	E. Divisions	amt. Sdgs	Total	Remaining	Total
Wm Kelly	Galway North	8 13 11		82 10 4	
	" South	1 14 8		82 14 6	
	" East	5 4 5		142 3 9	
	" West	9 2 1		106 16 9	
	Bullintemple	2 1 3		31 6 2	
	Barna	" " "		38 16 5	
	Canowbrene	" " "		14 2 8	
Star			26 16 4		478 10 7

Amount of payments during the week £ - - - - -
Balance in favor at close of week 675. 13. 0

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18

_____ 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 vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

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

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

Dr. J. B. Provie Spittal 157 Cases

Resolving Officers to send the usual notices and clerk to prepare handbills printing out were laid before the Board, and Directions given thereon as follows:—

to the inhabitants of the district their duties under the Vaccination Act of last Session—

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

Report From Dr Provie Spittal calling attention to the Sanitary Condition of the Village of Spittal and also to the State of the Roads &c

Ordered, Clerk to forward a Copy of the Report to the Committee of Management for their Consideration and Report, and also a Copy to Mr. Carter Deane County Surveyor.

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount
	<i>View Survey of James Campbell Esq</i>	

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the
 30 day of *July* 1880
 (Signed) *P. J. [Signature]*
 Clerk of Union.

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[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1871—44,022.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,169.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of January 1880

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	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	816	466														
Temporary Buildings	222	27														
Additional Workhouse	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	2														
TOTAL	1,082	495														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			574	67	65	135	21	18	46	38	41	485	In Work-house Hospital, 113	In separate Wards 7		
Admitted during the Week,			6	2	8	5	1	1			2	25	In Fever Hospital 2	In Wards with other inmates, 8		
TOTAL,			60	69	73	140	22	19	46	38	43	570	Total, 115	Total, 15		
Discharged during the Week,			3	1		9	1					14				
Died,						1						1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	1		10	1					15				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			57	68	73	130	21	19	46	38	43	495	No. at corresponding period last year	486		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24th day of January 1880, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	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 DISTRICTS	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.	18	82			18	82	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	8	10			8	10	No. X.						
No. III.	11	12			11	12	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1			1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.	"	"					No. XIII.						
No. VI.	8	15			8	15	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.,	46	120			46	120	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY.

the 30th day of January 1880

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Wm. Joyce Esq. P.M. Chairman

Other Guardians:

James Campbell	James Walsh	Michael Hennessey
John J. Kenan	Patrick Dorly	Edw. M. Donogh
James Davis	John Gill	Wm. M. Donogh
E. D. Burke	L. L. Fermanand	John M. Donogh
Timothy Hennessey	M. Sullivan Junr	P. J. Quahy
Frederick Sullivan Esq	Henry Preece	Barth. Roche
Thomas M. Donogh	John Connors	Richd. French Esq

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

GALWAY UNION.
 THE Board of Guardians of the above Union will, at their meeting to be held on FRIDAY, the 30th, proceed to the appointment of a proper person to the office of
ASSISTANT TEACHER
 to the Female School, at a Salary of £15 per annum, with Rations and an Apartments, &c.
 The personal attendance of Candidates is required, and Applications, accompanied with Testimonials, should be lodged with the Clerk of Union, before 12 o'Clock on the above-named day.
 The person appointed will be required to devote the whole of her time to the duties of the office.
 By order,
PATRICK J. STACK,
 Clerk of Union.
 Clerks' Office, Workhouse,
 Galway, 17th Jan., 1880.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3761 to No. 3782, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

* The Treasurer's Receipts include £ 53:5:8 Parliamentary Grant, under Public Health Act, lodged by Clerk of Union

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, - - - - - £ 431 : 4 : 5

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 25 : 5 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 734 : 19 : 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	38	5	0				999	14	11				
	„ South	59	8	5				735	6	1				
	„ East	100	0	8				1714	9	7				
	„ West	60	2	5				1299	16	11				
	Ballintemple							194	14	2				
	Barna							259	14	7				
	Carrowbrownne							142	2	9				
					257	16	6				5325	19	0	
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							177	11	10				
	Aughrim							108	2	6				
	Belleville							106	7	1				
	Carnmore	32	14	0				126	17	6				
	Claregalway	36	8	9				165	9	11				
	Deerpark							60	8	7				
	Lackaghbeg							126	15	4				
	Liscananaun							72	11	9				
	Lisheenavalla							73	6	0				
						69	2	9				1017	10	6
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty							273	14	3				
	Clarenbridge							342	6	7				
	Oranmore							384	17	9				
	Stradbally							60	13	8				
											1161	12	5	
BARTHOLOMEW HERNON	Inishmore										207	9	5	
											207	9	5	
JOHN WALLACE	Kilcummin										113	18	1	
											113	18	1	
JAMES KYNE	Moycullen	17	17	3				57	13	2				
	Slieveaneena	15	5	2				64	16	8				
	Tullokyne	17	17	1				91	14	5				
					50	19	6				208	4	3	
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh							130	11	6				
	Spiddal							114	13	6				
											245	5	1	
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin							68	15	7				
	Selerna							133	2	2				
											201	17	11	
					£	377	18	9			£	8487	16	8

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

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

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 Abstracts.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 82 s. 11 d. 2

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . 80 " 15 " 0

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . 3. 2 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, 6 " 3

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 12 " 8

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:

1600	lbs. White Bread	14	lbs. Biscuit
1200	lbs. Brown Bread	224	lbs. Flour
480 1/2	lbs. Meat		Tons Indian Meal
2216	Quarts Milk		Tons Oatmeal
	lbs. Cocoa		cwts. Rice
	cwt. Salt		Pepper
	Chests Tea		
112	lbs. Sugar		
704	Eggs		
8	lbs. Corn Flour		
2	1/2 Barrels Porter		
18	Bottles Pints Port Wine		
2	Bottles Brandy		
	Gallons Whiskey		
39	lbs. Butter	6	lbs. Candles
4	lbs. Arrowroot		
	lbs. Lump Sugar	87	lbs. Soap
18	ozs. Tobacco		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 24th day of January 1880 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	s.	d.
In Kind,			
Total,	£	6.	16. 0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Stack Stack	8. 0. 0		
No. II.	YOUNG	5. 0. 0		
No. III.	CULLINAN	6. 0. 0		
No. IV.	GRIFFIN			
No. V.	O'CONNOR			
No. VI.	FLANAGAN			
No. VII.				
No. VIII.				
No. IX.				
TOTAL		£ 19. 0. 0		

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.

	Collectors a/c			
143	Mrs Kelly Balance a/c		53	10 "

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

2. Establishment Account.

	Petty Cash a/c			
148.	P.I. Stack to pay Small Bells		9	15 2
149.	Co for Surf and Straw		5	" "

Commissioners Public Works, for Instalment of Loan. 5167 1 4

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Registration *gc.*

		£	s.	d.
144.	John S. Kerin	2	5	11
145.	J. B. Brodie <i>Tr. P.</i>	2	3	"
147	John Naughton	2	1	0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.
The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month)—
Number of successful cases,

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

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Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	24
Discharged ..	10
Died ..	4
Remaining .	119

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	"
Discharged ..	"
Died ..	"
Remaining ..	1

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

The Master reported, that as instructed, he accompanied an inmate of the Workhouse named Mary Anne Hall to Court of Petty Sessions on Monday, that she gave an Infamation against her husband Thomas Hall for desertion, on which a Warrant for his apprehension = was granted, which was forwarded to the authorities at Portadown for Execution,

Ordered on Masters requisition, Sunday articles for use in the Workhouse

The Matron's report of clothing made and repaired during the week, was read

The weekly Industrial report was read

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

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

From Local Govt Board

CP 1699. 80
24 Jan. 80
Transmitting queries to be answered and signed by the Clerk and the person who may be appointed assistant Schoolmaster of the Workhouse

CP 2240. 80
29 Jan
With reference to a Resolution of the Guardians asking for their recommendation for the holding of Extraordinary Presentment Sessions for Certain Barons in Galway Union, and County of the Town of Galway, stating for information of the Board of Guardians, that applications for the Barons of Blane Dunkellan Arnan and Athony have been already submitted to His Grace, and that Moycullen Barony has been already provided for on application of the Oughterard Board of Works; and asking them on what ground the Guardians include the County of the town, as three applications

for loans, are already before them

Resolved.— That after due Consideration the Board of Guardians are of Opinion that there is not at present any necessity to Commence Extraordinary Presentment Sessions for the County of the Town of Galway

Order from Privy Council Dublin Castle Dated the 12th January 1880 with reference to the Contagious Diseases Animals Act

Letter from E. Hornby Esq Sec Board of Works dated 24th Jan 1880 in reply to the Guardians application that the Board of Works would become contributory towards the expense of the construction of the intended new Sewer from the Workhouse to Henry Street and stating that as the Treasury, to all the local Rates, they cannot see any grounds upon which they would be justified in recommending the application of the Guardians to the Consideration of the Lord of the Treasury

Application from Sarah Coffey that she be allowed the clothing of her late Sister, who died in the Workhouse "Granted"

Reports from Sanitary Sub officers Young and C. Hanley stating that parties on whom they served Notices for abatement of nuisances had all complied with the requirements of the Act

Resolved That, in future any Children inmates of the Irish Church Mission Schools, who may be admitted to the Hospitals for Medical Treatment shall be charged for at the Rate of 2/6 per week being the Rate charged to the Industrial Schools.

The Clerk laid before the Board the Abstracts (Forms Aa and Ab and 5a and 5b) of the accounts of the Union for the year ended 29th Sept. 1879 which had been previously certified by the Auditor, The Abstracts were signed by the Chairman

The Clerk laid before the Board a Process which had been received at the suit of John Dume against the Board of Guardians for the destruction of Bed clothing which were destroyed in consequence of infectious disease and the Clerk was directed to instruct Mr Blake Solicitor to defend same

There were seven Candidates for the Office of Assistant Schoolmistress Miss Ellen Abill, Mary Earns, Pelia Duffey, Kate Cahill, Pelia Campbell, Mary Sullivan and Kate ~~Cahill~~, Corbett

The following were duly proposed and seconded viz Mary Earns, Pelia Campbell, Mary Sullivan and Kate Corbett, On a Division being taken the Voting was as follows. — Earns 8 — Campbell 4 — Sullivan 3 and Corbett 2.

Kate Corbett was then taken off the list and a new poll had, when the voting was Earns 9, Campbell 4 and Sullivan 3

On a final Division 10 votes were recorded for Earns and 11 for Campbell, and the latter was accordingly declared Elected to the office at a Salary of £15 per Annum with Rations &c

Copy Report of C. Kelly, Esq. Auditor L. G. Board,
dated 24th January 1880

- "1. A balance of £ 3:10:9 appears due by a late Relieving officer (E. O'Hynn) since March 1878 which should be recovered from his Sundries.
- "2. I have debited 4^s against the late Relieving Officer Killian, being so much charged by him in excess of his authority.
- "3. There was an overpayment of £ 1 made to a Contractor named Costelloe, for which the Clerk is held accountable by me, and should lodge to the Credit of the Union.
- "4. There has been a sum of 10^s overpaid to P. J. Watson which will have to be deducted from an account of his which appears to be still unpaid.
- "5. The statement prepared and submitted showing the result of the inaccuracies which exist in the Sick Diet Books for the year ended 25 March 1877 exhibits deficiencies in various articles amounting in the aggregate to a money value of £ 13:18:10 with which I have debited the Master of the Workhouse.
- "6. There has been a sum of £ 35 charged to the Galway Dispensary District instead of to the Establishment a/c, which will have to be rectified in the a/c of the Current half year.
- "7. There were also items amounting to £ 23:8:4 debited to the Establishment which were properly chargeable to the Invoice a/c.
- "8. The calculations under the Rating Act, for the last two half years have not been accurately computed, the result of which is that the Galway Elec. Divⁿ has been under credited to the extent of £ 22:10:7 which will have to be rectified in the current a/c.
- "9. The rate on the Arghem Division was inserted in the Rate Books & Abstracts as £ 135:17:0, instead of £ 140:5:6: the difference, viz. £ 4:8:6 was however lodged on the 27th Nov. last.
- "10. With regard to the Medical Weekly Return Book, I have

pointed

"pointed out on the face of it the necessity which exists, at least
"for audit purposes that the Names of persons receiving "Extras",
"as patients should be distinguished from those who receive
"Extras as attendants on the sick, and also that those who get
"Extras for the discharge of other duties, such as Watchmen, View-
"drivers, &c. ought not to be charged at all upon the Hospital Books."
" In all those cases where Extras are now given by
"direction of the Guardians I have suggested to the Master that
"he should prepare a list of the names and allowances of each
"such person, (and) the nature of the exceptional duty which they
"discharge, (and) submit the list to the Board of Guardians, for
"their written approval, inasmuch as no such authority at
"present exists to which an Auditor can refer. In the same
"way the per-centage allowance for waste in meat, and the
"fixed allowance for the meat allowed in soup might be
"submitted for revision and approval."

11. The Record of Sickness and Mortality bears evidence
"of having been very carelessly kept during the past year."

12. The Daily Diet Book for the sick has not been
"fully made up since August last, except so far as the Abstract
"is concerned."

13. I wish again to draw attention to the necessity which
"exists for having the stock of the clothing in the Workhouse taken as
"soon as possible, - a duty which appears to have been neglected
"for many years"

14. "While I am glad to admit that an improvement
"has been effected in the rendering of the a/c. since the last
"audit by the Clerk (and) Master, yet, at the same time, some
"further attention (and) accuracy is still necessary, to ensure a
"thoroughly satisfactory state of things in this respect"

(Signed)

C. Kelly

24th January 1880

Ordered — That the Clerk apply to a Relieving officer of the Union for the amount which appears due by him — That the Clerk of the Union lodge with the Union Treasurer a sum of £1 with which he is debited, and that he draw the attention of the Medical Officers of the Union to the remarks of the Auditor, concerning the irregular manner in which portions of the Books are kept, Proposed by Mr Davis Seconded by Mr L L Ferdinand and Resolved — That the following be appointed to enquire into and report upon the deficiencies which have existed in the Sick Diet Books as reported by the Auditor which amount to a sum of £13.18.10 Committee to meet on Wednesday next at 12 o'clock, The Chairman, Messrs Davis Kivan Ferdinand & Somerville In reference to the above report the Clerk also informed the Board that Mr Pelly Local Gov. Auditor had declined to vouch the accounts of in connection with the expenses of the construction of the new Cemetery, in as

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 24

Ditto, disallowed —

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 12

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 3

Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians 2

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered —

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.)

BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

much as the Bill of Costs furnished by Mr Blake Esq. had not been taxed

Ordered. Clerk to get the necessary instructions from Mr Blake in order that the Bill in question be laid before the Sparing Master — Clerk to write to Mr Flynn Secretary for payment of the sum which appears due by him,

Return of Burial Rate Lodged 24th January 1880.

Collector	E. Dennis	Amt. Lodged	Total	Remaining	Total
	North Ward	4 8 3		78 2 1	
	South Ward	4 2 0		58 12 6	
	East Ward	3 18 10		138 4 11	
Wm Kelly	West Ward	7 11 2		99 5 7	
	Bullinemple	13 4		50 12 10	
	Barna	4 6 7		34 10 10	
	Canabronne	" "		14 2 8	
	Total		24 19 2		453 11 5

Amount of payments during the week £ — " — " —
Balance in favor at close of week 1400 " 12 " 2

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 187 _____

_____ 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 vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

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

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

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount
	<p><i>John Keyes</i> <i>Justice</i></p>	

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 6th day of Feb 1880

(Signed)

P. J. Stack
Clerk of Union.

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[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1871—44,022.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,169.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of January 1880

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	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	816	465														
Temporary Buildings	222	27														
Additional Workhouse	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	41	2														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	1,082	494														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			57	68	73	130	21	19	46	38	43	495	In Work-house Hospital, 124	In separate Wards, 5		
Admitted during the Week,			5	5	11	9	2	3				35	In Fever Hospital, 2	In Wards with other inmates, 8		
TOTAL,			62	73	84	139	23	19	49	38	43	530	Total, 126	Total, 13		
Discharged during the Week,			8	3	7	5	1		1	1	2	28				
Died,					1	6			1			8				
Total Discharged and Dead,			8	3	8	11	1		2	1	2	36	No. Relieved during week, 8			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			54	70	96	128	22	19	47	37	41	494	No. in Work-house at date, 1			No. at corresponding period last year, 496

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 31st day of January 1880, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	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 DISTRICTS	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.	16	81			16	81	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	7	9			7	9	No. X.						
No. III.	13	14			13	14	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1			1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	4	14			4	14	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.,	44	119			44	119	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,

the 31st day of January 1880.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pierce Joyce Esq. P. L.

Other Guardians: John Skerwan, James Davis, John Cannon, L. S. Jordan and, Miss. Kyne, John Hill.

Mr. Koughan, L. S. Board Inspector was also in attendance.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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 Abstracts.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 72 s. 3 d. 9

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 80. 15 7

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 8. 2 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, 6. 3

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 10. 10

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

3000	lbs. White Bread		lbs. Biscuit
1000	lbs. Brown Bread		lbs. Flour
636 7/8	lbs. Meat		Tons Indian Meal
2236	Quarts Milk	1	Ton Oatmeal
	lbs. Cocoa		cwts. Rice
1	cwt. Salt		Pepper
	Chests Tea		
112	lbs. Sugar		
764	Eggs		
14	lbs. Corn Flour		
2 1/2	Barrels Porter		
18 Botts	Pints Port Wine		
2	Bottles Brandy		
9	Gallons Whiskey		
37 1/2	lbs. Butter	6	lbs. Candles
	lbs. Arrowroot		
28	lbs. Lump Sugar	87	lbs. Soap
18	ozs. Tobacco	1	Cask Lamp Oil

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

~~The several Clothing Accounts.~~

2. The Medical Officers' Books.

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 31st day of June 1880 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, -	£	s.	d.
In Kind, -			
Total, -	£	6	19. 3

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	GILLIDY			
No. II.	YOUNG			
No. III.	CULLINAN			
No. IV.	GRIFFIN			
No. V.	O'CONNOR			
No. VI.	FLANAGAN			
No. VII.				
No. VIII.				
No. IX.				
TOTAL				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing 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:—

Bureau
1. Clothing Account.

Wm. J. Lucey for Coffin

£ s. d.
4 5 10

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

6
1. Workhouse Invoice Account.
Dunal Board up

P. Nugent on up Contract

£ s. d.
100 0 0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.
The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month)—
Number of successful cases.
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

Galway Poor Law Union Female National School

Books in School when present Teacher took charge
Books since received 22/1/80
Total Books

2 nd Books = 7	40	47
3 rd " " 3	20	23
4 th " " 3	10	13
5 th " " 3	4	7
Home Lesson Books 12	—	12
Arithmetic Books 6	30	36
Spelling Books 6	12	18
Spellers - 6	20	26
Geographies 2	20	22

220 1 st Books	220
1 6 th Book	1
4 Girls Reading Books	4
1 Sullivan's Dictionary	1
4 Introduction to Geography	4
2 Geography generalises	2
120 Arithmetic Table Books	120
Method Manual	1
Practical Training	1
Copy Books	144
Blotting Paper	2 Quires
Groves of Pins	2
" Rib-binders	1
Batts of Ink	4
Slates doz	6
Slate Pencils	700
Quail Holders	800

(over)

1	2	3
	Sponges for plates	5
	Needle packets	6
	Sitting Pins	1 Packet
	Button Spools	12
	Scissors	1
	Strips of calico	12
	India Rubber	19 squares
	Gross chalk	2
	Dog Drawing Pins	12
	Reading Tablets	24
	Jack Wells	60
	Easel	1

The Colonial Medical Officer reported that the supply of water in the Sargents was most unsatisfactory for past 2 or 3 months, which he considers a serious matter and a great inconvenience to the Apothecary while Compounding medicines

Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	22
Discharged ..	12
Died ..	2
Remaining ..	127
Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	3
Discharged ..	3
Died ..	4
Remaining ..	3

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

The Master reported that Thomas Hall was arrested in Portadown Co Antrim for desertion of his wife, an inmate of this Workhouse, and was now in Custody of the Constabulary in Galway

Ordered on Master's requisition sundry necessaries for use in the workhouse

The Master's Report of clothing made and repaired was read

The weekly Industrial Reports were read

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

From Local Gov^t Board

28th Jan^y 1880
sp 1875 Stating that they have reason to believe that in many Unions Relieving officers have been allowed to discontinue the practice of keeping Diaries, and requesting the Guardians will require each Relieving officer to keep and present weekly a Diary in the form enclosed

Ordered,
Clerk to provide the forms required

30th January 1880
N^o 25. cl. Calling for a Return of the Numbers of Occupiers of Land whose holdings are valued at Sums furnished

2nd February
sp 3002. 1880

Referring to a Resolution of the Guardians of the 25th ult. and informing them that His Grace the Lt. Lieutenant has given authority for the convening of Extraordinary Resident Sessions in the Parishes of Arran Athery and Dunkellan, and enclosing Copy of instructions for Justices and associated Ratepayers to which have been issued by his Grace

3rd February
sp 2441. 1880

Enclosing to be laid before the Board of Guardians, Copy of a Letter which they received from Dr. Brodie Med^l Officer of Spiddal District relative to the payment of his Vaccination fees and requesting that they may be furnished with the Guardians observations thereon,

Ordered
That Dr. Brodie be paid at the same time as the other Medical Officers, his fees under Vaccination Act

3rd Feb 1880
sp. 2475

Referring to the Minutes of proceedings of the Guardians of the 25th ult. containing entry of a Letter from District Inspector of Stat^e Schools referring to the defective condition of the School requisites in Female School, and requesting that a Copy of the Inventory ordered by the Guardians may be entered on the Guardians Minutes,

3rd February
N^o 2703. 80

Acknowledging receipt of Letter of 30th Ultimo with reference to the loan of £1000 for Sewerage works, and stating that the Subject would receive attention

5th February
sp 30. M. 80

Referring to their Circular Letter of 30th ult. with reference to the return of Occupiers of Land, and requesting that the return may be forwarded by return of post without fail

5th February
 of 1905. 88. Approving of the appointment of Miss Lilla Campbell as
 assistant Schoolmistress of the Workhouse at a salary of
 £15 a year and Rations

Specification from E. Townsend Esq B.E. of the necessary
 works requisite in connection with the Water Closet in
 attached to the Board Room

Ordered Clerk to issue advertisements for Contractors for
 the work, Tenders to be received on 22nd Inst

Notice of Erection at the Suit of W^m Fygonaurice @
 Thomas Kane for possession of hereto, in Oranmore.
 E. Purson of Oranmore

A Requisition for Medicines for use in the workhouse
 was laid before the Board, and

Ordered To be Supplied

Letter from H. Gilligan Esq Deputy Secretary to the Grand
 Jury forwarding 10 Copies of the Notice for Convening
 Extraordinary Sessions for the Barony of Athdown

Report Letter from C. Concoman Esq V.S. stating that he was
 was called on to visit a cow the property of Rev.
 Mr. H. Constan of Annaghdown, which he found
 suffering from Pleuro Pneumonia, and which he *ordered* to
 be buried

For Koughan Local Government Inspector having
 drawn the attention of the Guardians to the matter, it was
 Resolved,

That having taken into Consideration the great
 extent of the Spadacal District, the Guardians think
 it advisable that a Temporary assistant Relieving
 Officer be appointed for the Electoral Divisions of Kellannan
 Kellannan and Deloma, to be paid at the rate of
 £20 per annum as Relieving officer and £20 as Sanitary
 Sub officer, the person who may be appointed to give
 any undertaking to resign his office whenever the
 Guardians may consider his Services unnecessary, He will
 be required to reside in a central portion of his District,

Ordered, Clerk to advertise for a Temporary assistant Relieving
 officer on the terms arranged, the appointment to take
 place this day week

The several Relieving Officers were informed by the
 Chairman, that in the event of their finding their
 duties too heavy, that they should apply to the Guardians
 for a Temporary assistant and that they should be held
 responsible for the diligent discharge of their onerous
 duties.

Dr. Koughan L.G. Inspector also informed the
 Relieving Officers of the necessity which at present exists
 that their duties should be discharged in a most
 vigilant manner and that from time to time they
 should inspect all portions of this District

Ordered The Clerk informed the Board that there was no
 meeting of the Committee summoned for Wednesday last
 to investigate certain matters contained in the Auditor
 Report, it was

Ordered, That the Clerk write to the same Gentlemen
requesting them to meet at the Board Room on Tuesday
next at 10 o'clock for the purpose

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

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

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To be supplied

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

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

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_____ Dispensary District.
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 187 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188 _____

_____ District £
_____ District £

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state s: 1/2008)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Letter from Dr. Connolly Dispensary District stating that through illness he is unable to discharge his duties and requesting the Guardians to take the necessary steps to appoint a Substitute,

Order That Dr. Rice of Galway be appointed to discharge the duties during the illness of Dr. Connolly at a remuneration of £3.3.0 per week

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

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

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount
	<p><i>Wm Coyne</i> <i>Shelbie</i> <i>H. D. O'Keefe</i></p>	

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the
 13th day of *February* 1860
 (Signed) *A. Black*
 Clerk of Union.

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