



Comhairle Chontae na Gaillimhe  
Galway County Council

# **Galway Poor Law Union**

## **Board of Guardian Minutes**

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# MINUTE BOOK

OF THE

GALWAY UNION.

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*Order of Poor Law Commissioners.*



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GALWAY UNION.

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of Nov 1888.

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Admitted during the Week,			32	3	3	3	1	.	.	.	1	43	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital.	.	In Wards with other Inmates,	8	
TOTAL,			38	21	80	147	17	8	18	34	22	344	Total,	68	Total,	12	
Discharged during the Week,			23	3	.	3	1	1	.	.	1	32	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died,			.	.	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	5		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead,			23	3	3	5	1	1	.	.	1	37	No. Relieved during Week	31	3	1	35
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			15	18	77	141	16	7	18	34	21	347	No. in Workhouse at date	8	"	.	8
												No. at corresponding period last year, 350					

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of Nov 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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No. I.	54	117	.	.	54	117	Bt. forward	104	188	.	.	104	188	
No. II.	23	31	.	.	23	31	No. IV.	9	10	.	.	9	10	
No. III.	27	40	.	.	27	40	No. V.	2	2	.	.	2	2	
Car. forwd.	104	188	"	"	104	188	No. VI.	3	3	.	.	3	3	
								TOTAL,	118	203	.	"	118	203

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 7th day of Nov 1888,

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

Messrs P. Kearns Esq., J. Spealy, D. Curran, M. Joyce, J. Ashe, J. Kirwan, J. McDonagh & D. A. Kinhead

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.







The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 2 : 18 : 0 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ 38 s. 2 d. 3

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 48 : 5 : 5

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - : 2 : 8 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 3 : 11

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

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

2400 lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Corn Flour,
120 lbs. Brown Bread,	,, Arrowroot,
ton Oatmeal,	28 ,, Loaf Sugar,
ton Indian Meal,	14 ,, Biscuits,
1428 qts. Milk,	,, Pepper,
325 lbs. Meat,	2 cwt. Salt,
66 lbs. Butter,	2 Chickens,
1 chest of Tea,	
case of Cocoa,	
140 lbs. Soft Sugar,	4 lbs. Candles,
cwt. Rice,	1 cask Lamp Oil,
stones Flour,	lbs. Starch,
1020 Eggs,	90 ,, Soap,
1 half-brl. Porter,	,, Blue,
bots. Marsala Wine,	2 cwt. Washing Soda,
,, Port Wine,	26 ozs. Tobacco,
1 ,, Rum,	
,, Brandy,	
,, Soda Water,	
,, Lemonade,	
gals. Whiskey,	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of Nov<sup>r</sup> 1888, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	7	0	9
In Kind,	1	11	0
Total,	8	11	9

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 were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer			Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
No. I.	COLEMAN	10	0	0		Brought forward	15	0	0
No. II.	MARTYN	5	0	0	No. V.	KYNE			
No. III.	CULLINAN				No. VI.	HERNON			
No. IV.	M'NEILL								
	Carried forward	15	0	0		TOTAL	15	0	0

Credit Treasurer and Debit Relieving Officers with Cheques.

Clerk's Petty Cash Account.

£ s. d.

Clerk to pay Small Bills.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Petty Cash Account with the above sum.

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

		£	s.	d.
48	P. Ward for Coffins	4	18	0
49	H. Taylor for Reg <sup>d</sup> for Female School	1	7	4
50	Com <sup>rs</sup> of Public Works. Insts of Loans	22	8	7
51	Sisters of Mercy " " Loan	24	14	6

Debit the several Accounts and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.



## Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s	d
32	M. K. Lynch	54	6	4
33	J. Duggan	6	14	10
34	M. Halley	6	18	9
35	J. Holohan	8	6	0
36	J. Lawless	4	3	5
37	M. Kelly	6	16	6
38	P. O'Brien	31	12	11
39	B. O'Sullivan	5	0	0
40	P. Usher	15	18	2
41	H. Nottingham	11	9	3
42	B. O'Sullivan	5	17	7
43	M. Heaney	11	6	0
44	J. Heaney	2	5	6
45	J. Joyce	1	5	5
46	A. O'Sullivan	2	2	8
47	J. V. Hutchison	11	8	

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer 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:—



## HOSPITAL REPORTS.

Infirmary—Admitted during the week,	7	Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week,	0
Discharged ..	7	Discharged ..	0
Died ..	1	Died ..	0
Remaining ..	65	Remaining ..	0

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

That the child of Winifred Broderick who was confined in the Workhouse on the 24<sup>th</sup> May last, was left by two women at the Workhouse gate on yesterday morning. The women who left the child, I am informed, are inmates of the Magdalen Asylum, and the mother is also an inmate of that Institution.

Order. The mother to be prosecuted for deserting her child.

Order. Clothing to amount of £1 to be provided for Delia Grealy to enable her leave the Workhouse and accept employment offered her.

The Station's Estimate of sheeting, &c. required for Hospital was examined and orders were issued on Contractors.

40 Blankets received from Contractor were examined, approved and ordered into stock.

100 yards of corduroy were rejected not being equal to contract Sample.



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):—

Nov. 1<sup>st</sup> '88 From J. Pinkerton Esq. M. P. acknowledging the receipt of a copy of a Resolution of the Guardians, and promising to make every effort to help forward the claims of the labourers of Galway.

Nov. 7<sup>th</sup> '88. From the Solicitor to the Board, stating that the Clerk of Union will be required to attend in Dublin on the 20<sup>th</sup> inst. to prove amount of loss sustained by the Guardians from the defalcations of Flaherty and Lambert - ex Rate Collectors. That the matter would have been on earlier only for the difficulty of effecting service in Aran.  
With regard to the collection of Rates in Aran Island

Island, it would be worth while of the Guardians to consider whether having regard to the facts that until last year the Landlord was in the habit of paying rates on holdings rated at, and under, £4; the difficulties of legal proceedings in Aran there having been no Petty Sessions Court held there for the last 4 months; the fact that the Grand Jury has found it impracticable to levy Grand Jury Rates upon the Islands; and the advisability of the Guardians having one solvent Debtor instead of several from whom the collection of rates is both useless and insecure; whether the Guardians should not take proceedings in the Superior Court against the Landlord for Rates due on holdings rated at, and under £4.

On the motion of Mr. J. Ashe, seconded by Mr. J. Kirwan, it was unanimously Resolved, that we request the consent of the Local Government Board to sue in the Superior Courts the Hon. Kenelm Digby St. Lawrence and Elizabeth F. Digby, as suggested by our Solicitor for amount of Rates due on holdings for which they are rated as Immediate Lessors in the Electoral Division of Inishmore.

Order. The Resident Magistrate recently appointed to Galway District to be informed of the difficulty in proceeding against persons owing arrears of Rates in Aran Islands owing to the fact that no Petty Sessions Court has been held there during the past four months.



## Notice of Motion.

"I give notice that on this day week I will move that the Board do take into consideration the remuneration to be given to the Clerk of Union and Poor Rate Collectors, for their services under the Parliamentary Voters and Franchise Acts."

7<sup>th</sup> Nov '88.

(Signed) "Michael Joyce".

The Tender of Hugh Holland for the supply of Iron Bedsteads, 90 of No 1 size at 7/- each and 30 of No 2, at 6/- each was accepted on condition that they be fully equal to the pattern Bedstead received from Kilkeny.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	42
Ditto disallowed	-	-	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	42

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	16
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	0
The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	0
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the

14<sup>th</sup> day of Novr 1888

(Signed), *Robt. J. Heilery*  
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

## GALWAY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting  
held on WEDNESDAY, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of Novr 1888.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., c. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

*P. Kearns Esq.*

Other Guardians:

*(Same as at page 1.)*

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

*Ordered of Contractors.*

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of \_\_\_\_\_  
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and reported that  
he had forwarded a copy to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice  
for the use of the Guardians.

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



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

Dispensary Districts,

		£	s.	d.
Galway 54	J. Naughton, Salary as Porter	1	13	4
do 55	J. Connolly, Port. & of Arran Disp <sup>y</sup>	4	15	0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

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

Galway District, . . . . .	£
Moycullen District, . . . . .	£
Cranmore District, . . . . .	£
Spiddal District, . . . . .	£
Furloughmore District, . . . . .	£

[This is 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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, No. \_\_\_\_\_ 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):—

Board Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that \_\_\_\_\_

Reports Form H.

- Galway No. 1. 222 cases of successful Vaccination  
between the dates 5-10-87, and  
31/10/88.
- " No. 2. 153 do. between the dates 5-10-87, and  
24-10-88.
- " No. 3. 146 do. between the dates 10-9-86, and  
28-9-88.

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

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

Galway, No. 1.	defaulters	Oraunmore	defaulters
Do. 2.	do.	Iniddat	do.
Do. 3.	do.	Furloughmore	do.
Moyscullen	do.		

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

Oraunmore  
2<sup>nd</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> 1888

A Meeting of the Oraunmore Dispensary Committee was held this day — In the Chair Mr. V. Dooly other Members present Messrs, John S. Kerin Martin, J. Cullinaw and Peter Burke —

The Meeting was called in Compliance with a letter received from the Board of Guardians enclosing the proposal, for the erection of a residence for the Medical Officers of this district with Dispensary attached. And as it appears the plan of residence selected, cannot be built for £500 — including the necessary sum agreed on to compensate the person in possession —

The Committee recommends, that the tender be accepted, and that the Board of Guardians increase the loan, to £550 — And that the Contractors be bound to have the residence built and habitable on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May 1889 —

The Committee recommends <sup>that</sup> one half Ton of Coal be supplied for the use of the Dispensary

Dr. Kirwan, in accordance with the ruling of the Chairman of the Board of Guardians brought to the notice of the Committee a statement from the Police at Oraunmore with reference, to the cesspool of the Barracks at — and the Committee, takes leave to refer the Board of Guardians — to the Committee's Minutes of 29<sup>th</sup> April 1885, on this matter

Signed Pat. Dooly



Order The Messrs Broderick R. to be asked whether the amount of their Tender submitted to the Board will cover the few extras added by direction of the loc. Govt. Board.

The Medical Officer of Health of the District, to be requested to suggest a remedy for defective sewerage at Police Barracks at Oranmore.

Minutes of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Galway Dispensary Committee held on 7th November 1888.

Mr. Thos. Ashe in the Chair.

Other members present - Messrs J. Freely and L. Curran.

Vaccination Accounts of Medical Officers as follow, were examined and passed, viz:

Galway No 1 - 222 cases

" " 2 - 153 "

" " 3 - 146 "

Requisition for Medicines for Nos 1 & 2 Districts was examined and signed.

The following requisites were ordered.

A box of Bogwood for lighting fires.

A sweeping Brush.

(Signed) Mr. Ashe, Chairman



BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

*Payment.*

1 *Sum<sup>rs</sup> of Public Works. Instalments }  
of Galway Cemetery Loans Nos 1 + 2 } £233-8-3*

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PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the LOCAL AUTHORITY under the  
CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

7<sup>th</sup> Nov. '88. An application from Michael Barrett of Islandmore, Moxcullen, for compensation for the slaughter of his cow, which was reported on by the Veterinary Inspector for the Union as a bad case of Rabies.

Read.

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

7<sup>th</sup> Nov. '88 From the Solicitor to the Board, stating that the case against Lord Campbell for non-compliance with notice to abate a nuisance at Barra Police Barrack, came on for hearing on the 5<sup>th</sup> instant, when an order was, with costs and expenses of witnesses, made against the Landlord to abate the nuisance within 8 days.

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

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

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

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of Nov<sup>r</sup> 1888,

(Signed) *Robt. F. Mullery*  
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<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>38</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>Total,</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>Total,</b>	<b>12</b>	
Discharged during the Week,			28	2	4	3		3				40	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died,					1							1	Males	Females	Children under 13	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead,			28	2	5	3		3				41	No. Relieved during Week	23	3	1	27
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			10	19	81	143	16	5	19	34	22	349	No. in Workhouse at date	3	1	0	4
												No. at corresponding period last year, 336					

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No. III.	28	41	.	.	28	41	No. V.	3	4	.	.	3	4
							No. VI.	4	4	.	.	4	4
Car. forwd.	105	197	"	"	105	197	TOTAL,	122	216	"	"	122	216

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of Nov<sup>r</sup> 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Marcus Lynch Esq. (D.L.)

Other Guardians:—

Capt. J. C. Davenport, (D.L.) H. Palmer, (D.L.) J. Fealy,  
 P. Dooley, M. Joyce, J. Joyce, M. Faherty, J. Hain,  
 J. Ashe, R. Mullin, J. Davis, M. Fallon, & J. Kirwan.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1663 to No. 1703, 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. 7091 to No. 7119, 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

Baid during the Week £ 14 : 17 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians

was £ 177 : 15 : 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.
JOHN H. BAILEY	Galway—North Ward	1	14	10				58	19	11			
	South Ward	.	.	.				21	10	6			
	East Ward	.	.	.				96	10	2			
	West Ward	.	.	.				41	8	7			
	Ballintemple	.	.	.				2	16	6			
	Barna	.	.	7				31	18	8			
	Carrabrowne	.	6	10				1	9	8			
					2	2	3				254	14	0
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							4	4	6			
	Aughrim							.	.	.			
	Belleville							.	11	0			
	Carnmore							.	5	6			
	Claregalway							9	17	6			
	Deerpark							.	.	.			
	Lackaghbeg							.	.	.			
	Liscananaun							.	.	.			
	Lisheenavalla							.	.	.			
											14	18	6
JOHN MARTYN	Ballinacourty							3	8	4			
	Clarenbridge							.	.	.			
	Oranmore							6	5	4			
	Stradbally							1	18	8			
										11	12	4	
Thomas Hermon	Inishmore	12	15	0				285	10	1			
					12	15	0				285	10	1
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin							.	.	.			
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycollen							.	.	.			
	Slieveaueena							.	.	.			
	Tullokyne							3	8	0			
										3	8	0	
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbough							1	11	6			
	Spiddal							.	.	.			
										1	11	6	
FRANCIS KELLY	Killanin							.	.	.			
	Selerna							.	.	.			
					1								
	TOTALS, £				14	17	3				571	14	5

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

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











## HOSPITAL REPORTS.

<i>Infirmary</i> —Admitted during the week,	12	<i>Fever Hospital</i> —Admitted during the week,	1
Discharged ..	6	Discharged ..	0
Died ..	1	Died ..	0
Remaining ..	73	Remaining ..	1

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

The Station of the Fever Hospital, arrived in Galway on the evening of the 10<sup>th</sup> instant and took charge on the following day.

Mark Higgins and Pat Pugh two able bodied inmates, were asked to stay up with a patient in the Workhouse Hospital for a few nights, and they refused.

I went to Petty Sessions office to obtain a summons against Winifred Proderick for deserting her child, the Resident Magistrate advised me have the opinion of the Board's Solicitor before proceeding against her. The Solicitor is not at present in town.

*Order*—The two able-bodied inmates complained of to be discharged from the Workhouse.

The estimate of petty requirements for ensuing week was examined, and orders were issued on contractors.

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

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

No. 45377/88 }  
13<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> } Acknowledging receipt of Guardians' Resolution of 7<sup>th</sup> inst<sup>t</sup> requesting their consent to the proposal to institute proceedings in the Superior Courts for the recovery of rates due in respect of the properties belonging to certain Immediate Lessors and situated in the Dismore District of the Union; and in reference thereto requesting to be furnished with particulars of the rates due, and <sup>to be informed</sup> on what grounds the Immediate Lessors in question declined to pay last year the rates on holdings valued at and under £4 in Arvon.  
The Rate Collector informed the Guardians that the reason assigned by the Owners' Agent for non payment of rates was that the tenants

had

had not paid their rents.  
Order. The Rate Collector to be called upon to furnish particulars of the rates due by the Immediate Lessors.

9<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> '88. From Nicholas, E. B. Mayne, R. M. acknowledging receipt of letter informing him that Petty Sessions have not been held on the Islands of Arran for the last four months.

14<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> '88. Application from the Workhouse Porter for an Order for the suit of clothes he is entitled to annually.

Order. Tenders to be invited for the supply of the suit of clothes.

Only one tender for the repairs at Workhouse in accordance with the plan and specification prepared by Mr. Townsend, C. E. was received, viz:—

Joseph Simon amount = £296" 4" 0.  
Accepted—provided he furnishes solvent security for the full amount of contract for its due performance.

The Clerk having read a copy of a notice sent to each member of the Board to the effect—“that the Board at meeting on today will take into consideration the remuneration to be given to the Clerk of the Union and Poor Rate Collectors for their services

under



under the Parliamentary Voters' and Franchise Acts."

It was moved by Mr. H. Dwyer, and seconded by Capt. J. C. Donohoe.

That the usual remuneration be voted to the Clerk of Union and Rate Collectors, viz. £20 to the Clerk under Parliamentary Voters' Act, and £35 for extra services under the new Franchise Act, and £46 to the Rate Collectors as his assistants.

Carried - Mr. J. E. Kirwan alone dissenting.

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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	-	-	38
Ditto disallowed	-	-	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	38

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	17
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	0
The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - 0

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.)

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the

21<sup>st</sup> day of NOV 1888

(Signed), Robert J. Muller, Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

## GALWAY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of Nov<sup>r</sup> 1888.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., c. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

*Marcus Lynch Esq. (M.P.)*

Other Guardians:

*(Same as at page 31)*

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

*Ordered of Contractors.*

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the Oranmore Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 11<sup>th</sup> ult. having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and reported that he had forwarded a copy 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 Oranmore Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—



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

Dispensary Districts.

		£	s.	d.
Spiddal	53 Dr P. O'Gorman, Vaccin <sup>n</sup> Fees	7	8	0
Furlongmore	57 " J. Duggan. "	4	2	0

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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

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

Galway District, . . . . .	£
Moycullen District, . . . . .	£
Oranmore District, . . . . .	£
Spiddal District, . . . . .	£
Furlongmore District, . . . . .	£

[This is 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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, No. \_\_\_\_\_ 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 Messrs. J. & C. Broderick dated 13<sup>th</sup> instant, stating that

they are agreeable to execute the Contract for the erection of the Dispensary and Residence at Oranmore for the sum of £500 as tendered for, this sum to include the closets recently added. That the Contract will be completed to the satisfaction of the Engineer by the 1<sup>st</sup> June 1889, provided they are authorised to proceed with the work before the 1<sup>st</sup> proximo.

Order. This communication to be referred to the Oranmore Dispensary Committee.

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

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

Galway, No. 1.	defaulters	Oranmore,	defaulters
Do. 2.	do.	Shiddat	do.
Do. 3.	do.	Furloughmore,	do.
Moycullen,	do.		

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

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BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

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PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the LOCAL AUTHORITY under the  
CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Spiddal	Dr. Looman	Unsanitary premises	Dwelling houses in filthy condition. Cattle kept in some instances in them.

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:-

<sup>46</sup>  
14 Nov. '88. From the Medical Officer of Health for Tralee District, calling attention to the fact that several parties in the townland of Carrmore are bringing manure from Tralee and placing it in front of their dwellings, contrary to an order of the Board and in defiance of notices posted over the district, cautioning them against this practice which endangers the public health. Recommending that these persons be compelled to remove their manure heaps to some distance from their dwellings, and failing to do so that they be prosecuted.

Order. These persons to be again cautioned.

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[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1881—43,101.

Present Net Annual Value, £65,792.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of November 1888.

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, 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	309															
Temporary Buildings	222	30															
Permanent Fever Hospital,	41	1															
<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>1,062</b>	<b>340</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			10	19	81	143	16	5	19	34	22	349	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward	67	In separate Wards	"	
Admitted during the Week,			21	1	1	4						27	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other inmates,	12	
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>31</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>Total,</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>Total,</b>	<b>12</b>	
Discharged during the Week,			25	3	4	1			1			34	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died,						2						2	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead,			25	3	4	3			1			36	No. Relieved during Week	20	1	"	21
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			6	17	78	144	16	5	18	34	22	340	No. in Workhouse at date				"
													No. at corresponding period last year, 344				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of November 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons	
No. I.	56	133			56	133	Bt. forward	109	207			109	207	
No. II.	25	33			25	33	No. IV.	9	10			9	10	
No. III.	28	41			28	41	No. V.	3	4			3	4	
Car. forwd.	109	207	"	"	109	207	No. VI.	4	4			4	4	
								TOTAL,	125	225	"	"	125	225

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of Nov<sup>r</sup>, 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major W. Lynch, D.L.

Other Guardians:—

Mess<sup>rs</sup> J. Kirwan, P. Kearns, P. Grealish,  
M. Joyce, M. Fallon, J. Davis,  
J. Ashy & M. McDonagh

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1704 to No. 1724, 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. 7120 to No. 7140, 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

Said during the Week £ 97 : 10 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 152 : 0 : 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.
JOHN H. BAILEY	Galway—North Ward							58	19	11			
	South Ward							21	10	6			
	East Ward							96	10	2			
	West Ward							41	8	7			
	Ballintemple							2	16	6			
	Barna							31	18	8			
	Carra Browne							1	9	8			
											257	14	0
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							4	4	6			
	Aughrim												
	Belleville								11	0			
	Carnmore								5	6			
	Claregalway							9	17	6			
	Deerpark												
	Lackaghbeg												
	Liscananaun												
	Lisheenavalla												
											14	18	6
JOHN MARTIN	Ballinacourty							3	8	4			
	Clarebridge												
	Oranmore							6	5	4			
	Stradbally							1	18	8			
											11	12	4
Thos. Hornow	Inishmore							285	10	1			
											285	10	1
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin												
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycullen												
	Slieveaneena												
	Tullokyne							3	8	0			
											3	8	0
PATRICK CONGANNON	Furbough							1	11	6			
	Spiddal												
											1	11	6
FRANCIS KELLY	Killanin												
	Selerna												
	TOTALS, £										571	14	5

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

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



The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 5 : 1 : 4 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ 15 s. 2 d. 3

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 49 : 19 : 5

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - : 2 : 9

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

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 5 : 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:—

239 6	lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Corn Flour,
120	lbs. Brown Bread,	„ Arrowroot,
	ton Oatmeal,	„ Loaf Sugar,
	ton Indian Meal,	14 „ Biscuits,
1440	qts. Milk,	„ Pepper,
397 1/2	lbs. Meat,	2 cwt. Salt,
4	lbs. Butter,	Chickens,
	chests of Tea,	
	case of Cocoa,	
140	lbs. Soft Sugar,	
	cwt. Rice,	lbs. Candles,
	stones Flour,	cask Lamp Oil,
1050	Eggs,	lbs. Starch,
1	half-brl. Porter,	70 „ Soap,
	bots. Marsala Wine,	„ Blue,
	„ Port Wine,	cwt. Washing Soda,
	„ Gin,	26 ozs. Tobacco,
	„ Brandy,	
	„ Soda Water,	
	„ Lemonade,	
	gals. Whiskey,	

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several 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 17<sup>th</sup> day of Nov<sup>r</sup> 1886, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	7	17	3
In Kind,	1	4	6
Total,	£ 9	1	9

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

The Requirements of each Believing Officers for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, Cheques on the Treasurer were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer
		£ s. d.			£ s. d.
No. I.	COLEMAN			Brought forward	15 0 0
No. II.	MARTYN	5 0 0	No. V.	KYNE	
No. III.	CULLINAN	10 0 0	No. VI.	HERNON	
No. IV.	M'NEILL				
	Carried forward	15 0 0		TOTAL	15 0 0

Credit Treasurer and Debit Believing Officers with Cheques. Clerk's Petty Cash Account.

£ s. d.

Clerk to pay Small Bills.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Petty Cash Account with the above sum.

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

£ s. d.

Debit the several Accounts and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.







## HOSPITAL REPORTS.

<i>Infirmary—Admitted during the week.</i>	5	<i>Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week.</i>	0
<i>Discharged ..</i>	10	<i>Discharged ..</i>	0
<i>Died ..</i>	0	<i>Died ..</i>	0
<i>Remaining ..</i>	68	<i>Remaining ..</i>	1

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

That the storm of Thursday and Friday last caused damage to the roofs of the Fever Hospital and straw shed.

That on the 16<sup>th</sup> instant he forwarded samples of Milk supplied to the Workhouses to Dr. Cameron for analysis.

Order: Placards to be posted over the town inviting tenders for the repairs of the roofs.

The Carduoy delivered by the contractor in lieu of that rejected by the Board at Meeting on 7<sup>th</sup> instant, was examined, approved, and ordered into stock.

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

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

No. 45759/88 }  
17<sup>th</sup> Nov. } Acknowledging receipt of replies to their  
inquiries respecting the temporary em-  
ployment of Mr. Bridget Martin as Station  
of the Fever Hospital for a period of one month  
and approving of the arrangement and  
sanctioning payment at the rate of £20 a <sup>per</sup>  
with rations.

No. 27282/88 }  
20<sup>th</sup> Nov. } Adverting to Minutes of 27<sup>th</sup> Dec last and  
to previous correspondence relative to the  
direct communication between the Dis-  
pensary and Lying-in Wards of the Workhouse;  
drawing attention to the report of the Visiting  
Committee and pointing out the desirability  
of obtaining a specification and tenders,  
if

if the Guardians have not already done so.  
Consideration postponed until the contract  
entered into for the repairs of the Workhouse  
be completed.

20<sup>th</sup> Nov. '88 } From Mr. Simon submitting an offer of 25 per  
cent on amount of his contract for Workhouse  
repairs being retained, in lieu of the security  
asked of him at last meeting which he has been  
unable to procure owing to absence from Galway.  
or if the Guardians prefer personal security re-  
-meeting to be allowed another week to procure it.  
Allowed a week to provide security.

Pursuant to a advertisement tenders from  
local traders for the supply of the annual  
suit of clothes for the Workhouse Porter were  
received, and after due consideration it  
was  
Resolved - That an order be issued to the  
Porter for a suit of clothes to the value of £3.10.0,  
and that he procure them wherever he considers  
he can get best value for the money.

#### Notice of Motion.

"I give notice that on this day fortnight I  
will move that the order given to the Workhouse  
Master at meeting on the 7<sup>th</sup> instant to prose-  
-cute Winifred Broderick for child desertion  
be rescinded."

21<sup>st</sup> Nov. '88.

(Signed) "John Kirwan".



Order. The changes of the names of occupiers, as per list furnished by the several Rate Collectors, be made in the new Rate Books.

The following members of the Board were appointed a committee to examine the Acreage Lists of Mr. Bailey, Poor Rate collector, viz. Messrs J. Davis, J. Kirwan & W. Fallon, the committee to meet at 12 o'clock on 23<sup>rd</sup> inst.

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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	-	-	16
Ditto disallowed	-	-	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	16

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	16
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	0
The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - 0

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.)

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the

28<sup>th</sup> day of Nov<sup>r</sup> 1888

(Signed), *Robt. J. Mullery*  
Clerk of the Union.

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## GALWAY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of Nov<sup>r</sup> 1888.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

- I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.  
II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians,

*Major W. Lynch (D.L.)*  
*(Same as at page 61.)*

*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 reported that he had forwarded a copy to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

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







The following 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):—

Board Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Galway, No. 1. _____ defaulters	Cranmore, _____ defaulters
Do. 2. _____ do.	Shiddal, _____ do.
Do. 3. _____ do.	Furloughmore, _____ do.
Moycullen, _____ do.	

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

Relieving Officers reports on Vaccination.

Galway No. 1 & 2 Disp. Dist. 44 defaulters.  
Moycullen " " 10 defaulters.  
Defaulters allowed a fortnight to comply with the Law.

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## BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

The Superintendent of Galway Cemetery reported that the recent storm caused some damage to the roofs of the Mortuary Chapels, and he requested an order for some coals for use of Cemetery Lodge.

Order - Tenders to be invited for the repairs of the roofs.

The application for coals was refused, as the quantity allowed him for the year has been already supplied.

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PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the LOCAL AUTHORITY under the  
CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

<sup>4<sup>th</sup></sup> 17<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> '88. From the Constabulary at Drumnore,  
reporting that a dog, the property of Mr. Cooley  
of Glanescaul, which exhibited symptoms of  
rabies, was on this date at the owner's request  
destroyed.

<sup>4<sup>th</sup></sup> 19<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> '88. From same, reporting that Pat. Connors  
of Glanescaul destroyed a pig of his on  
18<sup>th</sup> instant, believing it to be suffering from  
rabies.

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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Population in 1881—43,101.

Present Net Annual Value, £65,792.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of Nov<sup>r</sup>, 1888.

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	30														
Temporary Buildings	222	30														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	44	2														
<b>TOTAL.</b>	<b>1,082</b>	<b>34</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			6	17	78	144	16	5	18	34	22	340	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 73	In separate Wards } -		
Admitted during the Week,			16	3	12	4	.	.	1	.	2	38	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital. } 2	In Wards with other Inmates, } 12		
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>22</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>378</b>	<b>Total, 75</b>	<b>Total, 12</b>		
Discharged during the Week,			16	3	2	2	.	.	2	2	1	28				
Died,						3	.	.	.	.	.	3				
Total Discharged and Dead,			16	3	2	5	.	.	2	2	1	31				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			6	17	88	143	16	5	17	32	23	347				
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
													Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
													No. Relieved during Week } 13	2	1	16
													No. in Workhouse at date } -	-	-	-
													No. at corresponding period last year, 350			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of Nov<sup>r</sup>, 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	58	135	.	.	58	135	Bt. forward,	110	208	.	.	110	208
No. II.	24	32	.	.	24	32	No. IV.	9	10	.	.	9	10
No. III.	28	41	.	.	28	41	No. V.	3	4	.	.	3	4
							No. VI.	4	4	.	.	4	4
Car. forwd.	110	208	.	.	110	208	TOTAL,	126	226	.	.	126	226

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of Nov<sup>r</sup>, 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major W. Lynch (D.L.)  
Other Guardians:—

Mess<sup>rs</sup> Davis, M. Fallon, P. Dooly, M. Lodge,  
J. McDonagh, R. H. French (S.P.), P. Mullins,  
J. J. Kirwan, J. Ashe, P. Grealish, J. J. Haine,  
M. O'Sullivan (Com<sup>r</sup>) and M. Fahy.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1725 to No. 1765, 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. 7141 to No. 7160, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the Week £ 31 : 12 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 120 : 8 : 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.
JOHN H. BAILEY	Galway—North Ward												
	South Ward												
	East Ward												
	West Ward												
	Ballintemple												
	Barra												
NICHOLAS KYNE	Carrabrowne												
	Annaghdown												
	Aughrim												
	Belleville												
	Carnmore												
	Claregalway												
	Deerpark												
	Lackaghbeg												
	Liscananaun												
	Lisheenavalla												
JOHN MARTYN	Ballinacourty												
	Clarebridge												
	Oranmore												
	Stradbally												
OWEN KYNE	Inishmore												
	Kilcummin												
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycullen												
	Slieveaneena												
	Tullokyne												
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbough												
	Spiddal												
FRANCIS KELLY	Killanin												
	Selerna												
	TOTALS, £												

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

Debit the Treasurers 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 £ 4 : 4 : 8 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ 44 s. 5 d. 6

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 50 : 2 : 9

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - : 2 : 9

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

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 5 : 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:—

2360 lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Corn Flour,
133 lbs. Brown Bread,	„ Arrowroot,
ton Oatmeal,	„ Loaf Sugar,
ton Indian Meal,	„ Biscuits,
1452 qts. Milk,	„ Pepper,
337 lbs. Meat,	cwt. Salt,
66 lbs. Butter,	1 Chickens,
1 chest of Tea,	
1 case of Cocon,	
140 lbs. Soft Sugar,	lbs. Candles,
2 cwt. Rice,	cask Lamp Oil,
2 stones Flour,	lbs. Starch,
1070 Eggs,	70 „ Soap,
1 half-brlg. Porter,	„ Blue,
bots. Marsala Wine,	cwt. Washing Soda,
„ Port Wine,	26 ozs. Tobacco,
„ Gin,	
„ Brandy,	
„ Soda Water,	
„ Lemonade,	
9 gals. Whiskey,	

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several 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 24<sup>th</sup> day of Nov<sup>r</sup> 1888, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - -	7	18	9
In Kind, - - - - -	1	7	0
Total, - - - - -	£ 9	5	9

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 were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer			Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
No. I.	COLEMAN	10	0	0		Brought forward	10	0	0
No. II.	MARTYN				No. V.	KYNE			
No. III.	CULLINAN				No. VI.	HERNON			
No. IV.	M'NEILL								
	Carried forward	10	0	0		TOTAL	10	0	0

Credit Treasurer and Debit Believing Officers with Cheques.

Clerk's Petty Cash Account.

£ s. d.

Clerk to pay Small Bills.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Petty Cash Account with the above sum.

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

		£	s.	d.
	<u>Election Law, &amp;c. &amp;c.</u>			
62	D. J. M. Rice for 2 duaness Fees	2	2	0
63	R. J. Mullery, Rem <sup>r</sup> Parl. Voters' Act	20	0	0
64	do Collectors, Franchise Act	81	0	0

Debit the several Accounts and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.







## HOSPITAL REPORTS.

<i>Infirmary—Admitted during the week,</i>	9	<i>Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week,</i>	1
<i>Discharged ..</i>	5	<i>Discharged ..</i>	0
<i>Died ..</i>	0	<i>Died ..</i>	0
<i>Remaining ..</i>	72	<i>Remaining ..</i>	2

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

Licken delivered by the Contractor was examined and rejected.

The Master's Estimate of Petty Requirements for ensuing week was examined and orders were issued on contractors.

The Matron's Estimate of Clothing materials required for school girls was examined and orders were issued on contractors.



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

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

No 46283 '88 } Referring to Minutes of the 14<sup>th</sup> instant,  
21<sup>st</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> } containing a Resolution proposing that a sum of £ 101 be allowed to the Clerk of the Union as remuneration for his own services under the provisions of the Parliamentary Voters' Acts, and to enable him to remunerate the collectors for the duties discharged by them under the Acts mentioned, and expressing approval of the resolution and sanctioning payment accordingly.

No 46283/88 } Requesting to be furnished with the particulars  
26<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> } said estimate in detail of the proposed works of repairs at the Workhouse.  
Order. The Engineer to be called upon to furnish the information

information at earliest convenience.

26<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> '88. Notice of audit of the Union Accounts for the past half year, on the 11<sup>th</sup> proximo.

23<sup>rd</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> '88. From D. Cameron reporting that the five samples of Milk forwarded to him were analysed and all found to be adulterated. That the analysis is being repeated for verification and the results will be communicated in two or three days.

26<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> '88. From the Solicitor to the Board stating that the cases against Lambert and Flaherty defaulting Rate collectors have been again set down for hearing on the 20<sup>th</sup> proximo.

28<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> '88. From Mr. Kipe, Rate collector, informing the Board of the death of Mr. James Walsh one of his sureties, and submitting the name of Mr. Owen Kearns of Upper Dangan as a substitute.  
Approved.

28<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> '88. From Mr. B. Hernon, Relieving Officer of the Arran Islands District, informing the Board that he has been served with a Subpoena to attend the Commission trial in London, and requesting leave of absence, stating that his Brother will discharge his duties during his absence.  
Granted.



<sup>th</sup> 28<sup>th</sup> / 10<sup>th</sup> '88. From Delia Howard an inmate of the Workhouse applying for a supply of clothing for herself and her son to enable them to emigrate to Australia, her sister having forwarded Passage tickets for them.

Resolved - That the Local Government Board be requested to sanction the expenditure of £5 in assisting this woman and her child to emigrate.

Order - Half ton of Coals for Relief office, Galway.

The tender of Pat. McLaughlin for the repairs of the roofs of Poor Hospital, &c. for the sum of £4. 12. 6 was accepted.

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On the recommendation of the Rate Committee the following <sup>Assessed</sup> Rates on vacant premises, &c. were struck off - viz.

	Poor Rate	Seed Rate	Total
Annaghdown C.D.	£ . . . 4 4 6		4 4 6
Ballinacourty "	2 19 2		2 19 2
Ballintuohle "	- 13 0	1 4 0	1 17 0
Barna "	. . 8	14 0 6	14 1 2
Bellaville "	. . . .	11 0	. 11 0
Cassmore "	. . . .	5 6	. 5 6
Claregalway "	. . . .	9 17 6	9 17 6
Carrabrookne "	. . . .	1 7 6	1 7 6
Furbough "	1 11 6		1 11 6
Galway "	162 18 3		162 18 3
Inishmore "	. 12 8		. 12 8
Oraunore "	. . 1		. . 1
Tullohane "	2 11 0		2 11 0
	£ 171 6 4	31 10 6	202 16 10



The New Rate Books were duly signed for the following Poundage Rates - viz -

	s.	d.		s.	d.
Bunaghdowen C.D.	1	10	Mishmore C.D.	2	3
Bughin "	1	1	Kilcummin "	2	1
Ballinacourty "	1	9	Killanin "	1	8
Ballintemple "	1	9	Lackaghbeg "	1	6
Barna "	2	0	Liscannam "	1	8
Belleville "	.	10	Lisheenavalla "	1	5
Carrimore "	1	8	Hoscullen "	1	10
Carrabrowne "	1	7	Crannore "	2	0
Claregalway "	1	9	Selena "	2	8
Clarebridge "	1	6	Shiveaneena "	2	0
Deerpark "	2	0	Spiddal "	2	1
Furrough "	2	0	Thadally "	1	6
Galway "	2	4	Tullo Rye "	2	2

In addition to the above, there is a Special Burial Rate of 3<sup>d</sup> in the pound on the Electoral Divisions of Ballintemple, Barna, Carrabrowne, and Galway.

Warrants for the collection of the New Rate were duly signed and sealed, and issued to all the Rate Collectors of the Union except the one for Galway District.



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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	31
Ditto disallowed	-	-	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	31

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	18
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	2
The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	0
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the

5<sup>th</sup> day of Dec<sup>r</sup> 1888,

(Signed), *Robt. J. Mullery*  
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

## GALWAY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting  
held on WEDNESDAY, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of Novr, 1888,

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., c. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Major W. Lynch (M.B.)

Other Guardians:

(Same as at page 91.)

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 reported that  
he had forwarded a copy to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice  
for the use of the Guardians.

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



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

Dispensary Districts.

£ s. d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1855.]

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

Galway District, . . . . .	£
Moycullen District, . . . . .	£
Oranmore District, . . . . .	£
Spiddal District, . . . . .	£
Turloughmore District, . . . . .	£

[This is 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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—

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

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

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



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 L.G.B. No. 46423/88 dated 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup>, stating that

they have had before them the Minutes of proceedings on the 14<sup>th</sup> instant containing an entry relating to the contract for the erection of the proposed Dispensary and Dispensary Residence at Oranmore, and pointing out that the Guardians should not enter into any contract for the erection of the building in question until they shall have obtained the Board's certificate, and until the Loan shall have been sanctioned by the Treasury.

1045170/88 } Returning the draft lease of the ground pro-  
27<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> } posed to be taken as a site for the erection  
of a Dispensary and Residence at Oranmore  
and stating that they see no objection to the  
conditions of the lease, and approving of it.  
Requesting to be informed what sum the

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

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

Galway, No. 1.	defaulters	Oranmore	defaulters
Do. 2.	do.	Shiddat	do.
Do. 3.	do.	Furloughmore	do.
Woycullen	do.		

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

Guardians propose to ~~be deducted~~ from the Salary of the Medical Officer as rent for the residence, and whether he acquiesces in the proposed arrangement.

Oranmore  
22<sup>nd</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> 1888

A Meeting of the Oranmore Dispensary Committee was held this day, in the Chair, Francis Blate Esq. other Members present: Messrs John S. Terin, Redmond Mullin, Mathias Linn, Michael Fahy James Leonard and Peter Grealish —

A statement of expenditure for the half year ending 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1888, for the Oranmore Dispensary District under the Medical Charities Act was received from the Clerk of the Union, the amt. being £88. 0. 11

The Meeting was called to consider a Communication received by the Board of Guardians from Messrs J & O, Brodrick with reference to their proposal to erect a Dispensary Residence and Dispensary, at Oranmore, and referred by the Board of Guardians for the consideration of the Committee, and their observations thereon. The Committee, having received a statement from Dr. Kirwan Medical Officer, who is present. That he is prepared, to pay as an annual rent, the interest to be paid annually for the outlay on the buildings proposed to be erected —, the ground rent and annual allowance for dispensary rent to be paid by the District — The Committee considers that the Lease for the intended building should not be for a shorter term than ninety one years and that it should be compulsory on the Medical Officer, to occupy the building when finished, on the terms agreed to —

Dr. Kirwan, applied for leave of absence for two days — Dr. Mullin of Ardrahan to act in his absence if required — granted

signed Francis Blate

Galway County Council  
14-10-88  
19-10-88



The Guardians propose to deduct from the salary of the Medical Officer as rent for the residence, the amount of the annual instalment payable on the loan to be obtained less £14-

Order The Medical Officer to be asked to give his consent in writing to this arrangement.

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BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

23<sup>rd</sup> Nov: 88 From the Accountant, Office of Public Works, forwarding a draft for £500 for the purchase of land at Rahoon for the purpose of providing a new cemetery, and stating that the Commissioners are now prepared to issue the first instalment of £200, for the loan of £300, on receiving a requisition for the amount.

Order The Solicitor to be informed that we are now in a position to pay over the £200 for the purchase of the lands.

On the recommendation of the Rate Committee the following areas of Burial Rate due on vacant premises were struck off viz:

Balleentemple ED, £0.2.5	
Barna " 0.0.1	
Galway " 16.13.3	
Total £16.15.9	

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PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the LOCAL AUTHORITY under the  
CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
<i>Spiddal</i>	<i>Owen Kijne</i>	<i>Orders to abate nuisances</i>	<i>have been complied with.</i>

*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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Population in 1881—43,101.

Present Net Annual Value, £65,792.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of Decr. 1888.

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	343															
Temporary Buildings	222	30															
Permanent Fever Hospital,	41	2															
TOTAL,	1,082	345															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			6	17	88	143	16	5	17	32	23	347	Under Med. treatment in Infirmary Wards	76	In separate Wards	-	
Admitted during the Week,			24		2	3		2				31	Under Med. treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates,	12	
TOTAL,			30	17	90	146	16	7	17	32	23	378	Total,	78	Total,	12	
Discharged during the Week,			23	1	3	4			1		1	33	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died,													Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead,			23	1	3	4			1		1	33	No. Relieved during Week	22			22
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			7	16	87	142	16	7	16	32	22	345	No. in Workhouse at date				
															No. at corresponding period last year,	360	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st day of Decr. 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	59	138			59	138	Bt. forward	109	209			109	209
No. II.	22	30			22	30	No. IV.	9	10			9	10
No. III.	28	41			28	41	No. V.	5	6			5	6
							No. VI.	4	4			4	4
Car. forwd.	109	209			109	209	TOTAL,	127	229			127	229

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 5th day of Decr. 1888,

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major W. Lynch (D.L.)

Other Guardians:—

Wm. J. Davis, P. O'Donnell, M. McDonagh,  
M. Fallon, J. Gearty, N. Kirwan,  
 and J. Ashe.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1766 to No. 1798, 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. 7161 to No. 7164, 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

Laid during the Week £ 28 : 17 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 112 : 1 : 0

£ 37 : 4 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN H. BAILEY	Galway—North Ward	3	3	2				55	16	9			
	South Ward	.	2	0				21	8	6			
	East Ward	7	1	6				89	8	8			
	West Ward	.	10	1				40	18	6			
	Ballintemple	.	.	.				2	16	6			
	Baroa	17	9	0				14	9	8			
	Carrabrowne	.	.	.				1	9	8			
					28	5	9				226	8	3
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							4	4	6			
	Anghrim							.	.	.			
	Belleville							.	11	0			
	Carnmore							.	5	6			
	Claregalway							9	17	6			
	Deerpark							.	.	.			
	Lackaghbeg							.	.	.			
	Liscananaun							.	.	.			
	Lisheenavalla							.	.	.			
										14	18	6	
JOHN MARTYN	Ballinacourty							3	8	4			
	Clareubridge							.	.	.			
	Oranmore							6	5	4			
	Stradbally							1	18	8			
										11	12	4	
J. Hernon	Inishmore	.	11	8				284	18	5			
					11	8				284	18	5	
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin							.	.	.			
										.	.	.	
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycullen							.	.	.			
	Slieveaneena							.	.	.			
	Tullokyne							3	8	0			
										3	8	0	
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbough							1	11	6			
	Spiddal							.	.	.			
										1	11	6	
FRANCIS KELLY	Killanin							.	.	.			
	Selerna							.	.	.			
										.	.	.	
	TOTALS, £				28	17	5				542	17	0

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

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



The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 8 : 7 : 8 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ 68 s. 3 d. 1

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . £ 51 : 10 : 2

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . . £ : 2 : 9

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . £ : 4 : 0

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . £ : 5 : 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:—

2488 lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Corn Flour,
120 lbs. Brown Bread,	" Arrowroot,
ton Oatmeal,	28 " Loaf Sugar,
ton Indian Meal,	14 " Biscuits,
1468 qts. Milk,	" Pepper,
45 1/2 lbs. Meat,	cwt. Salt,
68 lbs. Butter,	1 Chicken,
chests of Tea,	
case of Cocoa,	
140 lbs. Soft Sugar,	lbs. Candles,
cwt. Rice,	1 cask Lamp Oil,
stones Flour,	lbs. Starch,
1050 Eggs,	70 " Soap,
half-brls. Porter,	" Blue,
bots. Marsala Wine,	cwt. Washing Soda,
" Port Wine,	26 ozs. Tobacco,
" Gin,	
" Brandy,	
" Soda Water,	
" Lemonade,	
gals. Whiskey,	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of Dec<sup>r</sup> 1888, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, . . . . .	£ 8 : 3 : 9
In Kind, . . . . .	1 : 11 : 0
Total, . . . . .	£ 9 : 14 : 9

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 were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer			Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
No. I.	COLEMAN					Brought forward	—	—	—
No. II.	MARTYN				No. V.	KYNE	3	0	0
No. III.	CULLINAN				No. VI.	HERNON			
No. IV.	M'NEILL								
	Carried forward	—	—	—		TOTAL	3	0	0

Credit Treasurer and Debit Relieving Officers with Cheques.  
Clerk's Petty Cash Account.

£ s. d.

69

Clerk to pay Small Bills.

10 0 0

Credit Treasurer and Debit Petty Cash Account with the above sum.

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

			£	s.	d.
		<u>Collectors' Ac.</u>			
66	Hernon,	pondage fees	23	8	0
67	J. H. Bailey,	balance of do.	31	19	11
		<u>Emigration Ac.</u>			
89	Clerk for Emigration of J. Howard & Son		5	0	0

Debit the several Accounts and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.



## Workhouse Invoice Account

		£	s.	d.
70	H. Lynch,	for	Bread	53 9 0
71	Muggan,	"	Milk	6 13 4
72	H. Malley,	"	"	6 10 1
73	Kolleran,	"	"	8 1 5
74	Hawless,	"	"	4 13 6
75	H. Kelly,	"	"	6 17 3
76	P. Brien,	"	Meat	29 8 5
77	P. Asher	"	Butter	12 13 0
78	H. Cottingham,	"	Eggs	12 0 11
79	B. Connolly,	"	Groceries	4 5 2
80	J. Keane,	"	Tea	10 0 0
81	J. Casey,	"	Groceries	2 3 10
82	J. Doyle	"	"	1 2 5
83	A. Guinness H.	"	Butter	2 2 8
84	J. H. Hutchison,	"	Coals	13 8 4

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer 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.

<i>Infirmary—Admitted during the week,</i>	13	<i>Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week,</i>	0
<i>Discharged ..</i>	7	<i>Discharged ..</i>	0
<i>Died ..</i>	8	<i>Died ..</i>	0
<i>Remaining ..</i>	78	<i>Remaining ..</i>	2

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

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

No. 48163/88 }  
4<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> } Consenting to a sum not exceeding £5 being applied for the purpose of assisting to defray the expenses of the emigration to Queensland of Delia Howard and her child.

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

No. 48034/88 }  
4<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> } Transmitting a letter received from persons who had been inmates of the Workhouse, and requesting the document to be returned with the Guardians' observations on the subject. The Guardians beg to observe that they consider that the two able-bodied inmates were quite capable of caring the patient admitted to the Workhouse on the certificate of a Medical Officer that he was suffering from an attack of delirium tremens, and that in refusing to care the patient for a few nights until the attack was over, they were guilty of insubordination meriting the punishment of being discharged from the Workhouse and compelling them to seek employment outside. That in order to maintain discipline

discipline it was necessary to punish them in this manner. The Guardians also beg to observe that they consider these men are quite fit for labour if only inclined to seek it, and that they are not the invalids they represent themselves to be in their letter. The document is returned with Minutes.

No. 48491/88 }  
4<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> } Requesting to be furnished with the name of each Immediate Lessor owing rates in respect of property on the Island of Inagh, against whom the Guardians propose to take proceedings for the recovery of rate; the sum due by each Lessor, and the name of the Electoral Division of the Electoral <sup>Union</sup> Division in which the property is situate.

- (1) The Hon<sup>ble</sup> Kenelin Digby St. Lawrence and Elizabeth F. Digby are jointly rated as the Immediate Lessors.
- (2) The amount due by them as Lessors is £274.15.1.
- (3) The property is situate in the Drishmore Electoral Division of the Union.

4<sup>th</sup> 29 Nov<sup>r</sup> '88 } From the Commissioner of Valuation acknowledging the receipt of Lists of Assessments requiring revision in the Union.

4<sup>th</sup> 27 Nov<sup>r</sup> '88 } From Dr. Cameron furnishing certificates of analysis of 5 samples of Milk sent to him. Order. The five Contractors to be prosecuted.



31<sup>st</sup> Dec: 88. From Mr. Simon, requesting the Guardians to accept his offer of 25 per cent of the money certified being retained, until his contract for Workhouse repairs be completed, and not to press him to furnish personal security.

Order - To be informed that the Guardians will allow him up to next meeting of the Board to furnish solvent security for the due performance of the contract, and should he fail in complying, new advertisements for a contractor shall be issued.

In accordance with notice given for this day Mr. J. J. Kirwan moved - "That the order given to the Workhouse Master on the 7<sup>th</sup> ultimo, to prosecute Winifred Proderick for child desertion be rescinded."

The motion was seconded by Mr. J. Ashe and carried unanimously.

Mr. J. H. Bailey, Poor Rate collector, requested that the Guardians be satisfied with the security given them last year - viz, a Policy of the Mutual Accident Association, Limited, for £1,000.

Order - Mr. Bailey to ask his guarantors whether they will insert in their Policy a clause to the effect that they will guarantee that he shall use due diligence in the collection of Rates.



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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	-	-	33
Ditto disallowed	-	-	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	33

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	18
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	0
The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	0
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the

12<sup>th</sup> day of Dec<sup>r</sup> 1888.

(Signed),

*Robt. J. Muller*  
Clerk of the Union.



## GALWAY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1888.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

- I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.  
II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Major W. Lynch (D.L.)  
Other Guardians:

Same as at page 121

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 reported that he had forwarded a copy to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

one ton of coals.



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 Districts

		£	s.	d.
Galway 85	Dr. P. M. Rice for Vaccination Fees	22	4	0
" 86	" H. A. Lyden, " " " "	15	6	0
" 87	" J. Keane, " " " "	14	12	0
" 88	Mr. Naughton " Salary as Porter	1	13	4

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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

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

Galway District, . . . . .	£
Moycullen District, . . . . .	£
Oranmore District, . . . . .	£
Spiddal District, . . . . .	£
Furloughmore District, . . . . .	£

[This is 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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, No. \_\_\_\_\_ 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):—

Board Letter from D. W. Kirwan dated 5<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> 1888, stating that

in answer to the letter of the Clerk of the Union dated the 30<sup>th</sup>, <sup>£19-10-0</sup> articles he is quite willing to allow the Guardians to deduct from his salary as rental for the proposed Dispensary Residence at Oranmore. If a further loan be found necessary he is willing to allow a further sum to be deducted in the same proportion. That he shall undertake to occupy the house when habitable.

Approved

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

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

Galway, No. 1. _____ defaulters	Oranmore _____ defaulters
Do. 2. _____ do.	Iniddat _____ do.
Do. 3. _____ do.	Furloughmore _____ do.
Moycullen _____ do.	

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

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## BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

Payment.

2 *H. Bailey*, passage on Burial Rate Coll<sup>rs</sup> £10.4.3.

Order of ton of boats to be supplied for use in Galway Cemetery Lodge.

3<sup>rd</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> '88, from the Board's Solicitor stating that he has written to Mr. Gilman's Solicitor that he can have a cheque for purchase money of the land at Rahoon on completion of deeds, if the Board do not desire to pay the money direct.

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PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the LOCAL AUTHORITY under the  
CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

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District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1888.

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 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
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Workhouse	816															
Temporary Buildings	292															
Permanent Fever Hospital,	41															
<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>1,082</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			7	16	87	142	16	7	16	32	22	345	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 75	In separate Wards } —		
Admitted during the Week,			15	5	3	6	1	1	3	.	.	34	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital. } 2	In Wards with other inmates, } 12		
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>22</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>Total, 77</b>	<b>Total, 12</b>		
Discharged during the Week,			15	4	3	1	.	1	1	.	.	30	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Died,					2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead,			15	5	6	3	1	.	1	1	.	32	No. Relieved during Week } 17	2	2	21
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			7	16	84	145	16	8	18	31	22	347	No. in Workhouse at date } 1	1	.	2
													No. at corresponding period last year, 380			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	64	150	.	.	64	150	Bt forward	114	224	.	.	114	224
No. II.	22	30	.	.	22	30	No. IV.	10	11	.	.	10	11
No. III.	28	44	.	.	28	44	No. V.	4	5	.	.	4	5
							No. VI.	7	7	.	.	7	7
Car. forwd.	114	224	.	.	114	224	<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>247</b>	.	.	<b>135</b>	<b>247</b>

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

the 12<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1888,

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major W. Lynch (D.L.)

Other Guardians:—

Mess<sup>rs</sup> J. Davis, J. Kirwan, M. Fallon,  
 D. Curran, C. Dooly, A. French (S.P.),  
 J. Ashe, J. Madden, H. O'Sullivan (Comr.),  
 H. McDonagh, P. O'Sullivan, A. Cahner (S.P.)  
 and C. N. Lomerville (S.P.)

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1799 to No. 1831, 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. 7165 to No. 7174, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the Week

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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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.	
JOHN H. BAILEY	Galway—North Ward							742	8	11				
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	Carnmore							117	10	6				
	Claregalway							151	5	3				
	Deerpark							126	12	5				
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FRANCIS KELLY	Killanin							53	17	6				
	Selerna							87	0	7				
											142	18	1	✓
											6904	18	0	✓
TOTALS, £														

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



The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 5 : 16 : 3 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ 50 s. 7 d. 7

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . 52 : 18 : 2

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . . 2 : 9 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . 4 : 1

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . 5 : 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:—

2520 lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Corn Flour,
141 lbs. Brown Bread,	„ Arrowroot,
ton Oatmeal,	„ Loaf Sugar,
ton Indian Meal,	21 „ Biscuits,
1472 qts. Milk,	4 „ Pepper,
505 lbs. Meat,	2 cwt. Salt,
68 lbs. Butter,	1 Chicken,
chests of Tea,	
case of Cocoa,	
140 lbs. Soft Sugar,	4 lbs. Candles,
cwt. Rice,	1 cask Lamp Oil,
stones Flour,	lbs. Starch,
1080 Eggs,	70 „ Soap,
1 half-brl. Porter,	„ Blue,
bots. Marsala Wine,	2 cwt. Washing Soda,
„ Port Wine,	26 ozs. Tobacco,
„ Gin,	
„ Brandy,	
„ Soda Water,	
„ Lemonade,	
gals. Whiskey,	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of Dec<sup>r</sup> 1888, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, . . . . .	8	3	3
In Kind, . . . . .	1	17	6
Total, . . . . .	£ 10	0	9

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 were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer			Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
No. I.	COLEMAN	10	0	0		Brought forward	20	0	0
No. II.	MARTYN	5	0	0	No. V.	KYNE			
No. III.	CULLINAN				No. VI.	HERNON			
No. IV.	M'NEILL	5	0	0					
	Carried forward	20	0	0		TOTAL	20	0	0

Credit Treasurer and Debit Relieving Officers with Cheques.

Clerk's Petty Cash Account. £ s. d.

Clerk to pay Small Bills. 10 0 0

Credit Treasurer and Debit Petty Cash Account with the above sum.

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

		£	s.	d.
94	W. B. Fahn, for Blind Asylum, Eastern Hospitals &c.	7	10	0
95	P. McLaughlin, for Roof Repairs, Establishment &c.	4	0	0
98	J. J. Forde, „ Glass Case, &c.	1	3	0
96	W. J. McKally, for Shirting Calico, Clothing &c.	1	13	4
97	P. Ward, for W. H. Coffin's, W. H. Burials &c.	3	10	0

Debit the several Accounts and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.







## HOSPITAL REPORTS.

Infirmary—Admitted during the week,	6	Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week,	0
Discharged ..	6	Discharged ..	0
Died ..	0	Died ..	0
Remaining ..	78	Remaining ..	2

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

That the five contractors for the supply of milk to the Workhouse have been summoned to Petts. Sessions in accordance with order of the Board at last meeting.

Requesting the Guardians to order the usual extra fare for the inmates on St. Michael's Day.

*Ordered.*

The Master's estimate of petty requirements for ensuing week was examined and orders were issued on contractors.

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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):—

- 10<sup>th</sup> 150 m. / 88 }  
4<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> } Transmitting forms for the Returns of the number of persons admitted to the Workhouse during the year ended 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. last, the number of births and deaths, and the numbers treated in the Workhouse Hospitals.
- 10<sup>th</sup> 19222 / 88 }  
11<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> } Informing the Guardians that they have given directions for the issue of their consent to the proposed proceedings against the Immediate Lessors owing Poor Rates amounting to £274. 15. 1 in the Dromore Electoral Division of the Union.
- 10<sup>th</sup> 9494 / 88 }  
11<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> } Acknowledging the receipt of the Specification and estimate of the proposed repairs to the Workhouse.

7<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> '88. From the Managers of the "Mutual Accident Association, Limited," notifying that as the renewal premium on the Guarantee Bond for £1000 in favor of Mr. J. H. Bailey, Poor Rate collector, which was due on the 2<sup>nd</sup> instant, has not been paid, the Association will not continue their Suretyship under this Bond after the 9<sup>th</sup> proximo.

Mr. Bailey informed the Guardians that in compliance with the direction of the Board at last meeting, he had written to the "Mutual Accident Association," requesting them to insert a clause in their Bond - "that he shall use due diligence in the collection of Rates," and that the Association declined to comply.

On the motion of Mr. J. H. Kirwan, seconded by Mr. R. H. French it was Resolved, that the Bond of the "Mutual Accident Association" for £1000 on the same terms as before, be considered ample security in the case of Mr. Bailey, Poor Rate collector.

12<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> '88. From Mr. A. Holland requesting to be allowed a little extra on his contract for the supply of 120 Iron Bedsteads to the Workhouse, as the price of angle iron, which he has to get made specially, has increased considerably in cost, and at the price contracted for, he shall suffer loss.

It was moved by Mr. Davis and seconded by Mr. R. H. French.



"That under the circumstances Mr Holland be allowed an extra 6<sup>d</sup> on each Bedstead, as his tender was considerably under all the other tenders received. It was moved as an amendment by Mr. J. Ashe, and seconded by Mr. P. Hooley.

That the terms of the contract be adhered to and no increase in price given.

On a division the amendment was declared lost, two Guardians voted for, and eleven against it, and the original motion carried.

On the recommendation of Mr. Townsend C.E., Mr. J. Simon's tender for repairs at the Workhouse, amounting to £296.4.0. was accepted 25 per cent. on amount of work certified for by the Engineer to be retained in lieu of personal security, until completion of the contract.

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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	-	-	29
Ditto disallowed	-	-	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	29

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	14
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	2
The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	0
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the

19<sup>th</sup> day of Dec<sup>r</sup> 1888,

(Signed), *Robt. J. Muller*  
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

## GALWAY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1888.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., c. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Major W. Lynch (D.L.)

Other Guardians:

(Same as at page 151)

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

*Ordered of Contractor*

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of \_\_\_\_\_ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and reported that he had forwarded a copy to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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







The following 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):—

Recd Letter from L.G.B. No 157/M/88 dated 6<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> stating that

forwarding forms for Returns of the number of cases of persons vaccinated in the Work-house during the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> Sept last. *Furnished.*

1248226/88 } Requesting the Guardians to pass a resolution  
7<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> } stating specifically the annual sum which they propose to deduct from the salary of the Medical Officer of the Oranmore Disp. Dist. as rent for the residence which it is intended to provide.

On the motion of Mr. Kirwan, seconded by Mr. R. N. Spruch it was

Resolved that the sum of £19. 10. 0 be fixed as the annual sum to be deducted from the salary of the Medical Officer of the Oranmore Disp. Dist. as rent for the residence to be provided.

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

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

Galway, No. 1.	defaulters	Oranmore.	defaulters
Do. 2.	do.	Iniddat.	do.
Do. 3.	do.	Furloughmore.	do.
Moyscullen.	do.		

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

1249223 88 }  
11<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> }

Transmitting their certificate under section 4 of the Dispensary Houses (Ireland) Act, 1879, relating to the proposed erection of a Dispensary and Dispensary Residence for the Oranmore Dispensary District, to enable the Guardians to apply to the Commissioners of Public Works for a loan of £500 for the purpose.

Approving of the annual sum proposed to be deducted from the salary of the Medical Officer as rent for the residence in question, viz. £19. 10. 0. The Guardians beg to refer the Local Government Board to entry of the Minutes of Proceedings of the Oranmore Dispensary Committee at a meeting held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> ultimo, ~~on~~ Guardians' Minutes of the 3<sup>rd</sup> ultimo, in which where it was proposed that the loan be increased from £500 to £550, as the amount of the tender for the erection of the buildings was £500, and in addition the sum of £50 has to be paid for the possession of the site. Then there will also be Engineer's and Solicitor's fees.

It was unanimously Resolved that ~~an application~~ <sup>a memorial</sup> be made to the Commissioners of Public Works for a loan of £550 for above-mentioned purpose.



BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

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PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the LOCAL AUTHORITY under the  
CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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Population in 1881—43,101.

Present Net Annual Value, £65,792.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of Decr 1888.

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 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	311															
Temporary Buildings	222	30															
Permanent Fever Hospital,	44	1															
<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>1,082</b>	<b>342</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			7	16	84	145	16	8	18	31	22	347	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	74	In separate Wards	—	
Admitted during the Week,			24	2	3	.	.	.	1	1	.	31	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital.	1	In Wards with other inmates,	12	
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>31</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>378</b>	<b>Total,</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>Total,</b>	<b>12</b>	
Discharged during the Week,			23	3	4	3	.	.	.	1	1	35	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died,						1	.	.	.	.	.	1	Males	Females	Children under 13	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead,			23	3	4	4	.	.	.	1	1	36	No. Relieved during Week	20	1	"	21
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			18	15	83	141	16	8	19	31	21	342	No. in Workhouse at date	1	1	"	2
													No. at corresponding period last year, 388				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of Decr 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
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No. III.	27	42	.	.	27	42	No. V.	3	4	.	.	3	4
							No. VI.	8	8	.	.	8	8
Car. forwd.	113	222	"	"	113	222	TOTAL,	134	254	"	"	134	254

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Other Guardians:—

Messrs J. Kirwan, J. Ashe, W. Joyce,

W. Fallon, and W. O'Sullivan (M.D.)

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1832 to No. 1863, 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. 7175 to No. 7178, 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:—

*Repayment of Relief by way of Loan.*

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, passed 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 *£ 3 : 7 : 4*

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was *£ 53 : 17 : 11*

The Book was signed by the Chairman *£ 233 : 1 : 9*

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:—

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	Stradbally							109	15	0			
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Thomas Newman	Inishmore												
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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 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 : 10 : 3 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ 48 s. 11 d. 5

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - 53 : 4 : 0

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - : 2 : 10

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

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 5 : 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:—

2520 lbs. White Bread,	8 lbs. Corn Flour,
119 lbs. Brown Bread,	„ Arrowroot,
1 ton Oatmeal,	„ Loaf Sugar,
1/2 ton Indian Meal,	21 „ Biscuits,
1448 qts. Milk,	„ Pepper,
342 lbs. Meat,	2 cwt. Salt,
70 lbs. Butter,	1 Chicken,
1 chest of Tea,	
case of Cocoa,	
140 lbs. Soft Sugar,	lbs. Candles,
cwt. Rice,	1 cask Lamp Oil,
stones Flour,	5 lbs. Starch,
1120 Eggs,	70 „ Soap,
1 half-brl. Porter,	2 „ Blue,
bots. Marsala Wine,	cwt. Washing Soda,
„ Port Wine,	32 ozs. Tobacco,
„ Gin,	
„ Brandy,	
12 „ Soda Water,	
12 „ Lemonade,	
gals. Whiskey,	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of Decr, 1888, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	s.	d.
	7	13	6
In Kind,	2	7	6
Total,	£ 10	1	0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer			Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
No. I.	COLEMAN					Brought forward	10	0	0
No. II.	MARTIN				No. V.	KYNE			
No. III.	CULLINAN	10	0	0	No. VI.	HERNON	5	0	0
No. IV.	M'NEILL								
	Carried forward	10	0	0		TOTAL	15	0	0

Credit Treasurer and Debit Relieving Officers with Cheques.

Clerk's Petty Cash Account.

Clerk to pay Small Bills.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Petty Cash Account with the above sum.

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

		£	s.	d.
	<u>Elections, Law, &amp;c.</u>			
152	D. J. Hyden for a luncheon Fee	1	1	0
	<u>Establishment &amp;c.</u>			
155	B. Reilly, for chimney cleaning	1	0	0

Debit the several Accounts and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.



Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s d

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer 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:—

Salaries.

Establishments &c.

99	Rev. J. Sullivan	Workhouse Chaplain	£ 6 5 0
100	" P. Shally	" "	32 10 0
101	P. J. Mullery	Clerk of Union	35 0 0
102	E. J. Athey	Workhouse Master	17 10 0
103	Sr. M. Walsh	" Matron	15 0 0
104	M. Finn	" Schoolmaster	12 10 0
105	Sr. M. McKane	" Schoolmistress	12 10 0
106	Dr. N. W. Colahan	" Medical Officer	18 15 0
107	" M. Hayden	" "	12 10 0
108	" N. J. Gally	" Apothecary	17 10 0
109	P. Parkin	" Porter	3 0 0
110	Dr. J. Macklin	" Hoop. Nurse	15 0 0
111	" E. Hogan	" "	7 10 0
112	" S. Ryan	" "	7 10 0
113	M. Keator	Fever " Porter	2 10 0
114	B. Martin	" " Matron	2 10 0
115	B. Tolan	" " Nurse	2 10 0
116	D. Greaney	Workhouse Chaplain's Mt.	2 10 0
117	H. Coleman	Relieving Officer	10 10 0
118	J. Martyn	" "	8 0 0
119	P. Sullivan	" "	7 10 0
120	J. J. McNeill	" "	6 0 0
121	O. Kyne	" "	8 0 0
122	B. Bernon	" "	3 15 0

Elections. Law. &c.

101	P. J. Mullery	Returning Officer	2 10 0
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Supernumeration &c.

132	Dr. N. Colahan	Quarters allowance	15 0 0
133	S. Kane	"	5 16 8
134	J. J. Lynch	"	16 0 0



## HOSPITAL REPORTS.

<i>Infirmary—Admitted during the week,</i>	8	<i>Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week,</i>	2
<i>Discharged ..</i>	6	<i>Discharged ..</i>	1
<i>Died ..</i>	2	<i>Died ..</i>	0
<i>Remaining ..</i>	78	<i>Remaining ..</i>	3

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

The Master's Estimate of Petty Requirements was examined and orders were issued to Contractors.

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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. 4222/88  
12<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup>. Authorising the Guardians to proceed by action at law in the High Court of Justice, Ireland, for the recovery of the sum of £274.15.1 due as Poor Rates by the Hon. W. D. St. Lawrence and E. J. Digby, as immediate Lessors of property situate in the Wickmore Electoral Division.  
Order. The Solicitor to be instructed to institute proceedings.

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

No. 50201/88  
18<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup>. Referring to a Resolution of the Guardians of the 12<sup>th</sup> instant respecting the security to be given by Mr. Bailey, Poor Rate Collector, drawing attention to their letter of the 11<sup>th</sup> of September last on the subject and stating that the Board must request the Guardians to require collector Bailey to give other security than that of the Mutual Accident Association Limited.  
On the motion of Mr. J. Kirwan, seconded by Mr. J. Ashe it was unanimously Resolved - that we request the Local Government Board to reconsider the matter, and allow the Guardians to accept as security the Bond of the Mutual Accident Association.

14<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> '88. From Dr. Cameron reported on 4 samples of Tea Banded for Workhouse supply by the Contractor, the result of the analysis shews that the samples contain 1 1/2 per cent more soluble matter than the contract samples.

19<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> '88. From Dr. Liden, Workhouse Medical Officer, stating that he is of opinion that Mrs. Martin who has been acting as temporary Matron of the Fever Hospital, <sup>during the past month</sup> is capable of undertaking the discharge of the duties: that he has found her kind and attentive to the few patients who have been in the Hospital during that time.

It was moved by Mr. J. Kirwan, and seconded by Mr. J. Ashe, and Resolved that Bridget Martin be appointed Matron of the Fever Hospital at a salary of £20 and rations.

The Clerk submitted the Abstracts of the Accounts of the Union for the past half year duly certified by the Auditor, and being approved they were signed by the Chairman of the Board.  
Copies forwarded to Loc. Gov<sup>t</sup> Board.

Order. The charge for maintenance of Martin Joyce in Workhouse Hospital to be reduced to 3/- per week.



On the motion of Mr. J. J. Kirwan, seconded  
by Mr. M. Fallon, it was

Resolved - That as next week's meeting day will  
be St. Stephen's Day, that the Board do  
not again meet till this day fortnight.

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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 - - 29

Ditto disallowed - - - - - 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 3

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - 18

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

The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - 0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - 0

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.)

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the

2<sup>nd</sup> day of Jan 1889

(Signed),

*Robt. J. Mullery*  
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

## GALWAY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting  
held on WEDNESDAY, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of Dec<sup>r</sup> 1888.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., c. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Major W. Lynch (D.L.)  
Other Guardians:

(Same as at page 181)

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 Spiddal  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 14<sup>th</sup> ult.,  
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and reported that  
he had forwarded a copy to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice  
for the use of the Guardians.

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



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

Dispensary Districts.

Dispensary Districts.	No.	Name	Office	£	s.	d.
Galway	123	D. P. McRice	Salary as Medical Officer	30	0	0
"	124	M. Hyden	"	25	0	0
"	125	Keen	"	25	0	0
"	126	N. J. Fealy	Apothecary	7	10	0
Moycullen	127	J. Connolly	Medical Officer	30	0	0
Oranmore	128	W. P. Kirwan	"	30	0	0
Spiddal	129	P. J. Gorman	"	25	0	0
Furloughmore	130	J. Duggan	"	32	10	0
Oranmore	131	J. Mahon	Porter	1	10	0
"	151	D. W. Kirwan	for Vaccin <sup>n</sup> Fees	2	14	0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

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

Galway District, . . . . .	£
Moycullen District, . . . . .	£
Oranmore District, . . . . .	£
Spiddal District, . . . . .	£
Furloughmore District, . . . . .	£

[This is 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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—

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

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

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



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 L.G.B. No. 162/90 '88 dated 17<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> 1888, stating that

in consequence of the continued indisposition of Dr. Todd, the Union is placed temporarily in charge of Dr. Clements as Medical Inspector.

18<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> 88 From Dr. O'Gorman, Medical Officer of the Spiddal Sick Dist. informing the Board that on the 27<sup>th</sup> ult. finding it necessary to perform an operation on a patient who was unfit for removal to Hospital he obtained the assistance of Dr. Brereton of Galway.

Resolved - That a fee of £2.2.0 be given to Dr. Brereton for his services.

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

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

Galway, No. 1.	defaulters	Cranmore.	defaulters
Do. 2.	do.	Spiddal.	do.
Do. 3.	do.	Furloughmore.	do.
Moycullen.	do.		

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

Order The Clerk to write to Mr. Dooley, agent to Messrs. Stannus & others, to produce the title deeds of the Cranmore property to our Solicitor in order that he may report on the title of the site of the Dispensary and Residence, <sup>proposed to be erected</sup> at Cranmore.

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## BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

*Payments.*

- |     |  |         |
|-----|--|---------|
| 3   | P. J. Mullery, Salary as Clerk to Board      | £3.15.0 |
| 4   | J. Wares, " Galway Cem. Supt.                | 10.0.0  |
| 5   | J. Gilmore, for purchase of land at Rahoon   | 200.0.0 |
| 156 | J. O'Neill, Salary as caretaker of Begg B.G. | 1.0.0   |

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

District	Nature of Expenditure <i>Salaries.</i>	Amount		
		£	s.	d.
135	<i>P. F. Mullery Executive Sanitary Off.</i>	5	0	0
136	<i>D. M. Rice Sanitary Officer</i>	6	5	0
137	<i>" M. A. Lyden " "</i>	6	5	0
138	<i>" J. Hean " "</i>	3	15	0
139	<i>" J. Connolly " "</i>	3	15	0
140	<i>" W. O'Kerwan " "</i>	3	15	0
141	<i>" P. O'Gorman " "</i>	3	15	0
142	<i>" J. Suggan " "</i>	3	15	0
143	<i>J. Coleman " sub officer</i>	2	10	0
144	<i>J. Martin " "</i>	2	0	0
145	<i>P. Sullivan " "</i>	5	0	0
146	<i>J. D. McNeill " "</i>	1	10	0
147	<i>O. Kyme " "</i>	2	0	0
148	<i>B. Hernon " "</i>	5	0	0

*J. Wilson Lynch*

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

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the  
2<sup>nd</sup> day of *Jan* 1889.

(Signed) *P. F. Mullery*  
Clerk of the Union



[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1881—43,101.

Present Net Annual Value, £65,792.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Dec<sup>r</sup> 1888

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	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	310																
Temporary Buildings	222	30																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	41	2																
<b>TOTAL.</b>	<b>1,062</b>	<b>342</b>																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			8	15	83	141	16	8	19	31	21	342	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 67	In separate Wards } -				
Admitted during the Week,			18	2	5	4	.	.	.	1	1	31	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 2	In Wards with other inmates, } 12				
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>26</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>Total, 69</b>	<b>Total, 12</b>				
Discharged during the Week,			15	2	8	4	.	.	.	.	.	29	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.					
Died,					1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL		
Total Discharged and Dead,			15	2	9	5	.	.	.	.	.	31	No. Relieved during Week } 16	0	0	16		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			11	15	79	140	16	8	19	32	22	342	No. in Workhouse at date } 3	0	0	3		
													No. at corresponding period last year, 380					

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Dec<sup>r</sup> 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	65	151	.	.	65	151	Bt. forward	113	222	.	.	113	222
No. II.	21	29	.	.	21	29	No. IV.	10	20	.	.	10	20
No. III.	27	42	.	.	27	42	No. V.	4	5	.	.	4	5
							No. VI.	8	8	.	.	8	8
Car. forwd.	113	222	.	.	113	222	<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>"</b>	<b>"</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>255</b>

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of Dec<sup>r</sup> 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

*No meeting held.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1884 to No. 1885, 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. 7179 to No. 7182, 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:—

+ Includid £ 7 17 0 Repayment of Relief by way of Loan.

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

£ 100 : 18 : 6

£ 430 : 13 : 10

£ 562 : 17 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN H. BAILEY	Galway—North Ward							742	8	11			
	South Ward							508	9	1			
	East Ward							1270	4	3			
	West Ward							855	10	3			
	Ballintemple							175	10	8			
	Barna							225	15	7			
	Carrabrowne							77	11	12			
												3855	9
NICHOLAS KYNE	Aunaghdown							148	4	7			
	Aughrim							101	3	7			
	Belleville							61	13	11			
	Carnmore							117	10	6			
	Claregalway							151	5	3			
	Deerpark							126	12	5			
	Lackaghbeg							121	6	8			
	Liscananaun							136	16	7			
	Lisheenavalla							49	16	1			
												1014	9
JOHN MARTYN	Ballinacourty	15	15	11				223	12	8			
	Clarenbridge		6	4				270	1	6			
	Oranmore	22	8	6				193	9	8			
	Stradbally	26	19	1				82	15	11			
					65	9	10				769	19	9
	Inishmore							460	11	3			
											460	11	3
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin							95	7	3			
											95	7	3
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moyoullen							86	3	0			
	Slieveaneena							98	4	8			
	Tullokyne							144	19	7			
											329	7	3
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbough	10	8	9				75	16	10			
	Spiddal	17	2	11				67	16	7			
					27	11	8				142	15	5
FRANCIS KELLY	Killanin							55	17	6			
	Selerna							87	0	7			
											142	15	1
	TOTALS, £				93	1	6				6811	16	6

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

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



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

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

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2. The Provision Check Account.
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Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 50 s. 6 d. 10

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 4 s. 1 d. 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary, £ 5 s. 8

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, £ 4 s. 0

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

- |                     |                    |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| lbs. White Bread,   | lbs. Corn Flour,   |
| lbs. Brown Bread,   | „ Arrowroot,       |
| ton Oatmeal,        | „ Loaf Sugar,      |
| ton Indian Meal,    | „ Biscuits,        |
| qts. Milk,          | „ Pepper,          |
| lbs. Meat,          | cwt. Salt,         |
| lbs. Butter,        | Chickens,          |
| chests of Tea,      |                    |
| case of Cocoa,      |                    |
| lbs. Soft Sugar,    |                    |
| cwt. Rice,          | lbs. Candles,      |
| stones Flour,       | cask Lamp Oil,     |
| Eggs,               | lbs. Starch,       |
| half-brls. Porter,  | „ Soap,            |
| bots. Marsala Wine, | „ Blue,            |
| „ Port Wine,        | cwt. Washing Soda, |
| „ Gin,              | ozs. Tobacco,      |
| „ Brandy,           |                    |
| „ Soda Water,       |                    |
| „ Lemonade,         |                    |
| gals. Whiskey,      |                    |

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several 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 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Dec<sup>r</sup> 1888, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	7	18	6
In Kind,	1	16	0
Total,	£ 9	34	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 were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer			Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
No. I.	COLEMAN					Brought forward			
No. II.	MARTIN				No. V.	KYNE			
No. III.	CULLINAN				No. VI.	HERNON			
No. IV.	M'NEILL								
	Carried forward					TOTAL			

Credit Treasurer and Debit Believing Officers with Cheques Clerk's Petty Cash Account.

£ s. d.

Clerk to pay Small Bills.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Petty Cash Account with the above sum.

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

£ s. d.

Debit the several Accounts and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.







HOSPITAL REPORTS.

<i>Infirmary—Admitted during the week,</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week,</i>	<i>1</i>
<i>Discharged ..</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>Discharged ..</i>	<i>1</i>
<i>Died ..</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Died ..</i>	<i>1</i>
<i>Remaining ..</i>	<i>79</i>	<i>Remaining ..</i>	<i>2</i>

*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 was - - -

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

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the

2<sup>nd</sup> day of Jan 1889.

(Signed), Robt. F. Muller  
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

## GALWAY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting  
held on WEDNESDAY, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1888.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

- I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.  
II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—*In the Chair,*

Other Guardians:

*No meeting held.*

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 reported that  
he had forwarded a copy to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice  
for the use of the Guardians.

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



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

Dispensary Districts.

£ s. d.

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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

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

Galway District, . . . . .	£
Moycullen District, . . . . .	£
Oranmore District, . . . . .	£
Spiddal District, . . . . .	£
Furloughmore District, . . . . .	£

[This is 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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—

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

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

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



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):—

Board Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that

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

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

Galway, No. 1, _____ defaulters	Cranmore, _____ defaulters
Do. 2, _____ do.	Iniddat, _____ do.
Do. 3, _____ do.	Furloughmore, _____ do.
Moycullen, _____ do.	

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

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BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

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[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1881—43,101.

Present Net Annual Value, £65,792.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of Decr 1888.

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 16 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	311														
Temporary Buildings	222	30														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	41	2														
<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>1,062</b>	<b>343</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			11	15	79	140	16	8	19	32	22	342	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 67	In separate Wards } 0		
Admitted during the Week,			15		1	5		4				25	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 2	In Wards with other inmates, } 12		
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>26</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>Total, 69</b>	<b>Total, 12</b>		
Discharged during the Week,			16		4	3		1				24	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,			16		4	3		1				24	No. Relieved during Week } 15			15
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			10	15	76	142	16	11	19	32	22	343	No. in Workhouse at date } 2			2
													No. at corresponding period last year, 393			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of Decr 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	65	157			65	157	Bt. forward	113	222			113	222
No. II.	21	29			21	29	No. IV.	10	20			10	20
No. III.	27	42			27	42	No. V.	4	5			4	5
							No. VI.	8	8			8	8
Car. forwd.	113	222			113	222	<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>255</b>			<b>135</b>	<b>255</b>

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd day of Jan'y 1889.

PRESENT: In the Chair,  
Other Guardians:—

Mayor J. W. Lynch (D.L.)  
Messrs R. Mullins, M. O'Sullivan (son), J. Grealy,  
P. O'Sullivan, M. Fallon, P. Dooley and M.  
McDonogh.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1864 to No. 1914, 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. 7179 to No. 7182, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.  
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the Week  
 Paid during the Week  
 And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was  
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
 The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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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.
JOHN H. BAILEY	Galway—North Ward	.	.	.				742	8	11			
	South Ward	.	.	.				508	9	1			
	East Ward	69	13	0				1200	11	3			
	West Ward	.	.	.				855	10	3			
	Ballintemple	9	8	7				166	2	1			
	Barna	.	.	.				225	15	7			
	Carrabrowne	.	.	.				77	11	2			
					79	1	7				3776	8	4
NICHOLAS KYNE	Aunaghdown	.	.	.				148	4	7			
	Aughrin	.	.	.				101	3	7			
	Belleville	.	.	.				61	13	11			
	Carnmore	.	.	.				117	10	6			
	Claregalway	.	.	.				181	5	3			
	Deerpark	.	.	.				126	12	5			
	Lackaghbeg	.	.	.				121	6	8			
	Liscananaun	.	.	.				136	16	7			
	Lisheenavalla	.	.	.				49	16	1			
											1074	9	7
JOHN MARTYN	Ballinacourty	.	.	.				223	12	8			
	Clareubridge	.	.	.				270	1	6			
	Oranmore	.	.	.				193	9	8			
	Stradbally	.	.	.				82	15	11			
Herman	Inishmore	.	.	.				460	11	3			
											460	11	3
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin	.	.	.				95	7	3			
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycullen	.	.	.				86	3	0			
	Slieveaneena	.	.	.				98	4	8			
	Tullokyne	.	.	.				144	19	7			
											329	7	3
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbough	.	.	.				75	16	10			
	Spiddal	.	.	.				67	16	7			
											143	13	5
FRANCIS KELLY	Killanin	.	.	.				55	17	6			
	Selerna	.	.	.				87	0	7			
											142	18	1
	TOTALS, £				79	1	7				6732	14	11

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

Debit the Treasurers 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 £ 6 : 9 : 8 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ 49 s. 15 d. 1

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . £ 56 : 16 : 9

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . : 4 : 2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . : 5 : 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:—

2308 lbs. White Bread,	8 lbs. Corn Flour,
54 lbs. Brown Bread,	„ Arrowroot,
ton Oatmeal,	„ Loaf Sugar,
ton Indian Meal,	„ Biscuits,
1348 qts. Milk,	„ Pepper,
583 lbs. Meat,	2 cwt. Salt,
62 lbs. Butter,	Chickens,
chests of Tea,	
case of Cocon,	
140 lbs. Soft Sugar,	lbs. Candles,
cwt. Rice,	1 cask Lamp Oil,
2 stones Flour,	lbs. Starch,
1070 Eggs,	70 „ Soap,
half-brls. Porter,	„ Blue,
bots. Marsala Wine,	cwt. Washing Soda,
„ Port Wine,	26 ozs. Tobacco,
„ Gin,	
„ Brandy,	
„ Soda Water,	
„ Lemonade,	
gals. Whiskey,	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29<sup>th</sup> day of Dec<sup>r</sup>. 1888 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, . . . . .	3	18	0
In Kind, . . . . .	3	18	6
Total, . . . . .	£ 7	16	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 were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer			Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
No. I.	COLEMAN	-	-	-		Brought forward	-	-	-
No. II.	MARTYN	-	-	-	No. V.	KYNE	-	-	-
No. III.	CULLINAN	-	-	-	No. VI.	HERNON	-	-	-
No. IV.	M'NEILL	-	-	-			-	-	-
	Carried forward	-	-	-		TOTAL	-	-	-

Credit Treasurer and Debit Relieving Officers with Cheques  
Clerk's Petty Cash Account.

£ s. d.

157 Clerk to pay Small Bills.

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Credit Treasurer and Debit Petty Cash Account with the above sum.

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

	£	s.	d.
158 Establishment of Patriotic Co. for Insurance of Workhouse &c	4	13	0

Debit the several Accounts and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.







HOSPITAL REPORTS.

<i>Infirmary—Admitted during the week,</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week,</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Discharged ..</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>Discharged ..</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Died ..</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>Died ..</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Remaining ..</i>	<i>66</i>	<i>Remaining ..</i>	<i>2</i>

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

The Master's Estimate of Petty Requirements for ensuing week was examined, and orders were issued on Contractors.

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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 49494/88 } Returning the Specification and Estimate of  
31<sup>st</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> } the proposed repairs of the Workhouse.

No 166/m/88 } Requesting to be furnished with a Return  
28<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> } showing the number of persons who appear by the Abstracts of the Union Accounts, Form 4A, to have received out-door <sup>relief</sup> at the Union during the year ended 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. last.  
*Furnished.*

No 51281/88 } Sanctioning the appointment of Bridget Martin  
31<sup>st</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> } as Matron of the Fever Hospital at a salary of £20 a year and rations.

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

No 57281/88 } Acknowledging the receipt of the Minute of  
31<sup>st</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> } the Board of Guardians of the 19<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> relative to the acceptance of the Bond of the Mutual Accident Association as a security for the due performance of his duties by Mr. Bailey, Poor Rate Collector; and in reply pointing out that by article 37 of the General Regulations the Board of Guardians are to require every collector of Rates to give a Bond with two sufficient sureties for the due and faithful performance of the duties of his office, and that by article 47 (2) one of such duties is to collect with due diligence the rates payable in regard to his district.

The Board cannot in the present case, regard the policy of the Association as being in compliance with the General Order of the Board inasmuch as it does not indemnify the Guardians against loss through non fulfilment of the collector's contract.

Proposed by Mr J. S. Kiwan, seconded by Mr Mich<sup>l</sup> Fallon, and unanimously Resolved - That in consequence of a Poor Rate collector in the present state of the country, being unable to procure solvent security from people here for the large amount of £1000. we again respectfully request the L.G. Board to reconsider their decision with regard to Mr. Bailey, and consent to accept the surety offered -



22<sup>nd</sup> Dec 88 From Mr John H Franks, Irish Land Commission Office, Dublin, forwarding two copies of Schedule of Temporary Adjustments of Judicial Rents throughout Ireland, requesting same to be posted.

28 Dec 88 From H. E. Treasury enclosing a Form for the annual Return of Government Property within the Union, with a view to the contribution of a Bounty in lieu of Rates on the property.  
The Return duly filled, was signed by the Chairman and forwarded 2<sup>nd</sup> inst.

No. 49,545/88 }  
31<sup>st</sup> Dec } Transmitting the notice which the L. G. B. are required by 4<sup>th</sup> Sec of the National School Teachers Act 1875 to transmit, requesting to be informed whether the Guardians are willing to become a contributory union within the meaning of the "The National School Teachers (Ireland) Act".

Resolved. That we decline to become a contributory Union.

1<sup>st</sup> Jan 89 From Mr R. J. Cullin, Clerk of Union, asking to be excused for nonattendance on the Board on 2<sup>nd</sup> inst, having to leave Town to attend the funeral of a relative, Leave granted.

Dr M. J. Lydon, Med. Officer Town Hospital appeared before the Board and applied that leave be given by the Guardians to put up a Boiler at the Town Hospital, that Blinds be provided for the windows of the Patients sleeping rooms, and also for the erection of a Water Closet.

Order - Tenders to be invited for the performance of the work required.

Mr. R. McDonogh, the Board's Solicitor came before the Board stating that the cases against the Milk Contractors which were tried at Sessions here on 24<sup>th</sup> ult. were dismissed on technical grounds, namely, that W. Cameron's signature to his certificate could not be duly verified, & also giving the opinion of Council (who was consulted) on the matter,  
Ordered That the cases be brought to a higher Court with a view to further legal proceedings.

1<sup>st</sup> Jan 89 From Mr P. J. B. Daly Solicitor continuing the Guardians against taking any action on any statement made by Messrs. Gately who charges a young man named John Fleming of Galway with seduction, and who has been this day admitted into the Workhouse



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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	48
Ditto disallowed	-	-	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	48

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	22
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	2
The number of other applicants in the Deceiving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	0
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the

9<sup>th</sup> day of Jan<sup>y</sup> 1889.

(Signed), *John Heston*  
Clerk of the Union.

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## GALWAY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting  
held on WEDNESDAY, the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Jan<sup>y</sup> 1889,

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., c. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Major W. Lynch (D.L.)

Other Guardians:

(None is at Page 241.)

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers 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 reported that  
he had forwarded a copy to the Medical Officers of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice  
for the use of the Guardians.

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



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

Dispensary Districts

£ s. d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

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

Galway District, . . . . .	£
Moycullen District, . . . . .	£
Cranmore District, . . . . .	£
Spiddal District, . . . . .	£
Furloughmore District, . . . . .	£

[This is 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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, No. \_\_\_\_\_ 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):—

Board Letter from L.G. Board, No. 50202/88 dated 20<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> stating that

They have had before them the Minutes of the 12<sup>th</sup> of Dec<sup>r</sup> containing a resolution proposing to obtain a loan of £550 for the purpose of providing the residence proposed to be erected for the Orammore Dispensary District, instead of £500 the sum mentioned in the resolution of the Guardians of the 29<sup>th</sup> of August, and returning the Guardians' application for the Board's Certificate in order that the reply to query I may be amended accordingly.

*Amended & forwarded by return of post*

No. 157/M/88 } Enclosing Forms for Returns of the several  
21<sup>st</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> } Dispensaries in the Union, and of the expenses of each Dispensary District, for the year ended 29<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> last.  
*Furnished*

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

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

Galway, No. 1.	54	defaulters	Orammore	—	defaulters
Do. 2.	30	do.	Shiddal	—	do.
Do. 3.	—	do.	Furloughmore	—	do.
Boycullen	2	do.			

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

*Ordered. The Relieving Officers to send the usual returns on Defaulters —*

No. 7314/88 } Referring to Minutes of the 21<sup>st</sup> Oct<sup>r</sup>, and  
29<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> } requesting to be informed whether the defaulters under the Vaccination Act in Galway Nos 1 & 2 Div<sup>s</sup>. Districts have since complied with the Law.  
*Ordered. Allowed another fortnight in consequence of the violence of the weather.*

No. 16561-88 } From the Office of Public Works acknowledging receipt of Parks communication of the 27<sup>th</sup> instant & enclosures, which shall receive due attention.

No. 16561/88 } From the Office of Public Works requesting that the lease for 60 years (in reference to the Orammore Dispensary), referred to in Memorial, be forwarded for inspection.  
*Draft Lease forwarded on 1<sup>st</sup> inst*

No. 51382/88 } Stating that they have had before them the Resolution of the Board of Guardians of the Galway Union of the 13<sup>th</sup> inst, proposing to pay a fee of £2-2-0 to Dr Brunton, remuneration for assistance afforded to the Med Officer of the Shiddal D. Dist, requesting to be informed whether Dr Brunton's services were obtained through the agency of the Reliev<sup>g</sup> Officer of the District.  
*Dr Brunton was called in with the knowledge and approval of the Relieving Officer*

No. 52291/88 } Forwarding a Form which they rec<sup>d</sup> from the Com<sup>r</sup> of Public Works re the Orammore Disp<sup>y</sup>. &c requesting same to be perfected & returned —  
*Furnished —*



BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

*Payment.*

6 { *Patristic Co. for Insurance on Buildings in }  
Galway Cemetery } £1.17.6*

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PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the LOCAL AUTHORITY under the  
CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

N<sup>o</sup> 50139, 88  
20<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> Forwarding for the information of the Guardians  
a copy of a letter which the Local Government  
Board have addressed to the Treasurer of the  
Union, calling his attention to the obligation  
imposed on him by the 83<sup>rd</sup> section of the Con. Dis.  
(Animals) 1878, of paying over to the Bank of Ireland  
to the credit of the <sup>General</sup> Cattle Diseases Fund, the  
amount assessed on the Galway Union by the  
Board's order of the 5<sup>th</sup> of May last.

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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Population in 1881—43,101.

Present Net Annual Value, £65,792.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of Jan'y 1889.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		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	815														
Temporary Buildings	222	30														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	41	2														
<b>TOTAL.</b>	<b>1,082</b>	<b>347</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			10	15	76	142	16	11	19	32	22	343	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 72	In separate Wards } —		
Admitted during the Week,			14	1	6	7					1	29	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 2	In Wards with other Inmates, } 12		
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>24</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>372</b>	<b>Total, 74</b>	<b>Total, 12</b>		
Discharged during the Week,			14	1	4			2	1			22	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Died,					1	2						3	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead,			14	1	5	2		2	1			25	No. Relieved during Week } 11			11
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			10	15	77	147	16	9	18	32	23	347	No. in Work-house at date } 4			4
															No. at corresponding period last year, 40 23	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of Jan'y 1889, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
							Bt. forward	112	218			112	218
No. I.	3	146			63	146	No. IV.	10	20			10	20
No. II.	22	30			22	30	No. V.	4	5			4	5
No. III.	27	42			27	42	No. VI.	8	8			8	8
Car. forwd.	112	218			112	218	<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>251</b>			<b>134</b>	<b>251</b>

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

the 9th day of Jan'y 1889.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major W. Lynch (D.L.)

Other Guardians:—

Messrs J. Davis, P. Kearns, W. O'Sullivan (Senr)  
 P. Keeley, P. O'Donoghue, W. O'Sullivan (Junr)  
 J. Madden, W. Fallon, J. J. Kirwan, and  
 A. H. French (D.L.)

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1915 to No. 1946, 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. 7182 to No. 7182, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the Week

And that the Balance on the Account ~~Against~~ the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Division arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN H. BAILEY	Galway—North Ward							742	8	11			
	South Ward							508	9	1			
	East Ward							1200	11	3			
	West Ward							855	10	3			
	Ballintemple							166	2	1			
	Barna							225	15	7			
	Carrabrowne							77	11	2			
											3776	8	4
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							148	4	7			
	Aughrim							101	3	7			
	Belleville							61	13	11			
	Carnmore							117	10	6			
	Claregalway							151	5	3			
	Deerpark							126	12	5			
	Lackaghbeg							121	6	8			
	Liscananaun							136	16	7			
	Lisheenavalla							49	16	1			
											1014	9	7
JOHN MARTYN	Ballinacourty							223	12	8			
	Clarenbridge							270	1	6			
	Oranmore							193	9	8			
	Stradbally							82	15	11			
											769	19	9
Mrs. Hanson	Inishmore										460	11	3
											460	11	3
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin	7	2	8				88	4	7			
				7	2	8					88	4	7
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycullen	15	0	8				71	2	4			
	Slieveaneena							98	4	8			
	Tullokyne	3	16	11				141	2	8			
				18	17	7					310	9	8
PATRICK CONGANNON	Furbough							75	16	10			
	Spiddal							67	16	7			
											143	13	5
FRANCIS KELLY	Killanip							55	17	6			
	Selerna							87	0	7			
											142	18	1
	TOTALS, £				26	0	3				6706	14	8

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

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



The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 9 : 13 : 3 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £49 s.16 d.3

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . 50 : 15 : 0

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . : : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . : : :

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

2280	lbs. White Bread,		lbs. Corn Flour,
143	lbs. Brown Bread,		„ Arrowroot,
	ton Oatmeal,	28	„ Loaf Sugar,
	ton Indian Meal,	21	„ Biscuits,
1368	qts. Milk,	4	„ Pepper,
405	lbs. Ment,		cwt. Salt,
64	lbs. Butter,	2	Chickens,
1	chest of Tea,		
	case of Cocon,		
140	lbs. Soft Sugar,		lbs. Candles,
	cwt. Rice,	1	cask Lamp Oil,
	stones Flour,		lbs. Starch,
990	Eggs,	70	„ Soap,
1	half-brl. Porter,		„ Blue,
	bots. Marsala Wine,		cwt. Washing Soda,
	„ Port Wine,	26	ozs. Tobacco,
	„ Gin,		
	„ Brandy,		
12	„ Soda Water,		
12	„ Lemonade,		
	gals. Whiskey,		

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several 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 5<sup>th</sup> day of July 1889, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	7	12	6
In Kind,	2	6	6
Total,	£ 9	19	0

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 were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer			Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
No. I.	COLEMAN	10	0	0		Brought forward	15	0	0
No. II.	MARTYN	5	0	0	No. V.	KYNE			
No. III.	CULLINAN				No. VI.	HERNON			
No. IV.	M'NEILL								
	Carried forward	15	0	0		TOTAL	15	0	0

Credit Treasurer and Debit Believing Officers with Cheques.

Clerk's Petty Cash Account.

£ s. d.

179

Clerk to pay Small Bills.

10 0 0

Credit Treasurer and Debit Petty Cash Account with the above sum.

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

		£	s.	d.
	<i>Election Law, &amp;c. &amp;c</i>			
173	J. Ward for O.D. Coffins	1	9	0
174	D. P. M. Rice " 3 Lunacy Fees	3	3	0
	<i>Clothing &amp;c</i>			
175	M. Jordan, for leather &c	2	9	1
176	J. McDonagh, " Clothing	6	16	4
	<i>W. H. Burial &amp;c</i>			
176	J. McDonagh, for shrouding	16	8	
	<i>Establishment &amp;c.</i>			
178	N. Daly for Rate Receipt Books	2	13	0

Debit the several Accounts and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.



## Workhouse Invoice Account

		£	s	d
159	M. S. Lynch for Bread	68	7	11
160	J. Duggan " Milk	8	5	6
161	W. Dalley " "	7	10	9
162	H. Callaghan " "	10	5	9
163	H. Hawless " "	6	8	4
164	M. Kelly " "	8	9	7
165	P. O'Brien " Meat	46	16	1
166	P. Fisher " Butter	16	2	0
167	H. Bottingham " Eggs	15	14	5
168	B. Connolly " Groceries	8	1	6
169	H. Keane " "	20	0	0
170	J. Henihan " "	2	5	4
171	J. Joyce " "	1	8	9
172	J. P. Hutchison " Coals	21	9	4

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer 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:—



## HOSPITAL REPORTS.

<i>Infirmary—Admitted during the week,</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week,</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Discharged ..</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>Discharged ..</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Died ..</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>Died ..</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Remaining ..</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>Remaining ..</i>	<i>2</i>

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

*That the Sewer in the ward behind the Board Room is not working satisfactorily.  
Order to get it set right at once.*

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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):—

10163/m/88  
7<sup>th</sup> Jan'y. '89  
Enclosing Forms for Quarterly Returns of Rates made, Furnished to

10485/89  
8<sup>th</sup> Jan'y  
Referring to Guardians' Resolution of the 2<sup>nd</sup> instant, and to previous correspondence relative to Collector Bailey's Sureties, and stating that they cannot sanction a proposal to dispense with the requirements of the General Regulations respecting the security that should be given by a Poor Rate collector, and requesting the Guardians to call upon Mr. Bailey to provide adequate security for the due performance of his duties.

Mr. Bailey submitted a letter received by him from the District Manager at Dublin, <sup>of the 14<sup>th</sup> Jan'y.</sup> in which he states - "our Head Office are unable to alter the guaranteed Policy which is upon the form approved of by the Local Government Board, and applicable to Poor Law Officers in Ireland as well as in England. Such being the case we fail to see why any objection is taken thereto, as the document already distinctly states -

"The said Officer shall and will from time to time, and at all times hereafter, whilst he continues in the said office duly and faithfully discharge all and every the duties of said office to which he has been appointed as aforesaid; and in all things and at all times faithfully and duly obey the orders and regulations applicable to his said office and prescribed by lawful authority in that behalf."

On the motion of Mr. Davis, seconded by Mr. F. Dooley it was unanimously Resolved, That the attention of the Local Government Board be called to the matters referred to in the foregoing communication, and that we again respectfully request them to reconsider their decision.

~~Forwarding a copy of a letter addressed to the Board's Solicitors by Mr. P. McDonagh on the subject of the Leasehold title to~~  
Order Mr. Townsend to be requested to prepare a Specification for the erection of a Water Closet on the Fever Hospital.



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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 - - 25

Ditto disallowed - - - - - 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - 24

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - 19

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

The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - 0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - 0

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.)

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the

16<sup>th</sup> day of Jan 1889.

(Signed),

*Robt. J. Mullery*

Clerk of the Union.

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## GALWAY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting  
held on WEDNESDAY, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of July 1889.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

*Major W Lynch (S.L.)*

Other Guardians:

*Same as at page 271.*

*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 reported that  
he had forwarded a copy to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice  
for the use of the Guardians.*

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



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

Dispensary Districts.

	£	s.	d.
Galway J. Naughton Salary as Disp <sup>y</sup> Porter	1	13	4

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

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

Galway District, . . . . .	£
Moycullen District, . . . . .	£
Cranmore District, . . . . .	£
Spiddal District, . . . . .	£
Furloughmore District, . . . . .	£

[This is 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 Depute-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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—

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

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

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



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 L.G.B. No. 965/89 dated 8<sup>th</sup> Jan'y.  
stating that

forwarding a copy of a letter addressed to the Board's Solicitor by Mr. C. McDonagh on the subject of the lessor's title to the land proposed to be taken by the Guardians for a site for a Dispensary Residence at Oranmore.

The Guardians will observe from the terms of the Board's letter of the 27<sup>th</sup> of November last that they merely approved of the "conditions" of the proposed lease of the site in question in pursuance of Section 11 of the Dispensary Houses (Ireland) Act, 1879. It does not devolve upon the Board to express any opinion with respect to the lessor's title to the site, that being a matter which must be determined by the Guardians (with the assistance of their Solicitor) on their own responsibility.

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

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

Galway, No. 1, _____	defaulters	Oranmore _____	defaulters
Do. 2, _____	do.	Iniddat _____	do.
Do. 3, _____	do.	Furloughmore 44	do.
Moycullen, _____	do.		

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

The Relieving Officer to serve the usual notices on defaulters.

Mr. J. Dooley, Agent to Lessors, submitted a letter received from Mr. H. Donohoe, Solicitor, in which he (Mr. Donohoe) gives it as his opinion "that it is only on a conveyance on sale or purchase that the title of the Vendor must be shown." "If the Guardians require the site they will accept the lease in the usual way."

On the motion of Mr. J. Kirwan, seconded by Mr. P. Kearns, it was

Resolved—that being satisfied of the title of the Messrs. Stannus to the ground selected as a site for a Dispensary Residence at Oranmore, our Solicitor be instructed to have the lease ready to be perfected when the sanction of H. M. Treasury will be obtained for the Loan of £550.

Order—The Solicitor to be directed to send the lease to Mr. Dooley that he may examine it before being perfected.



## BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

Order - 4 ton of coals for use in Galway Cemetery  
Lodge.

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PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the LOCAL AUTHORITY under the  
CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

10/1/1889 } Enclosing Forms for Return of the Expend-  
22<sup>d</sup> Inst } iture of the Local Authority for year ended  
31<sup>st</sup> ultimo.  
Furnished.

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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Population in 1881—43,101.

Present Net Annual Value, £65,792.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of January 1889.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 16 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	343															
Temporary Buildings	222	30															
Permanent Fever Hospital,	41	2															
<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>1,062</b>	<b>375</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			10	15	77	147	16	9	18	32	23	347	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	24	In separate Wards	—	
Admitted during the Week,			25	9	10	10	2	2	1		2	55	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital.	2	In Wards with other inmates,	12	
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>35</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>402</b>	<b>Total,</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>Total,</b>	<b>12</b>	
Discharged during the Week,			17	1	2	2	1			1	1	24	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died,					1	2						3		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead,			17	1	2	4	1			1	1	27	No. Relieved during Week	24	1	1	26
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			18	17	85	153	18	10	19	31	24	375	No. in Workhouse at date	7	1	1	9
													No. at corresponding period last year, 400				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of January 1889, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	62	142			62	142	Bt. forward	111	214			111	214
No. II.	22	30			22	30	No. IV.	10	20			10	20
No. III.	27	42			27	42	No. V.	4	5			4	5
							No. VI.	9	13			9	13
Car. forwd.	111	214			111	214	TOTAL,	134	252			134	252

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 16th day of January 1889.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major W. Lynch (D.L.)  
Other Guardians:—

Messrs J. Kirwan, M. Fallon, M. O'Sullivan (Senr)  
J. Shaine, J. Davis, M. O'Sullivan (Jnr)  
R. M. Somerville (D.P.) and M. J. Cresse (D.P.)

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1947 to No. 2000, 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. 7183 to No. 7192, 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:—

*for Sale of Farm Produce & Oil Barrels*  
 \* Including £ 6.18.6 Repayment of Relief by way of loan.

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 \* £ 67.6.6

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians

was £ 281.19.1

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £ 822.11.6

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.
JOHN H. BAILEY	Galway—North Ward							742	8	11			
	South Ward							508	9	1			
	East Ward							1200	11	3			
	West Ward	5	12	6				849	17	9			
	Ballintemple							166	2	1			
	Barna							225	15	4			
	Carrabrowne							77	11	2			
					5	12	6				3770	15	10
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							148	4	7			
	Aughrim							181	3	7			
	Belloville							41	13	11			
	Carnmore							117	10	6			
	Claregalway							151	5	3			
	Deerpark							126	12	5			
	Lackaghbeg							121	6	8			
	Liscannan							136	16	7			
	Lisheenvalla							49	16	1			
											1814	9	7
JOHN MARTYN	Ballinacourty							223	12	8			
	Clareubridge	15	12	0				254	9	6			
	Oranmore	11	7	6				182	2	2			
	Stradbally	27	16	0				54	19	11			
					54	15	6				715	4	3
Thomas Murray	Inishmore							460	11	3			
											460	11	3
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin							88	4	7			
										88	4	7	
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycullen							71	2	4			
	Slieveaneena							98	4	8			
	Tullokyne							141	2	8			
										310	9	8	
PATRICK CONCLINNON	Furbough							75	16	10			
	Spiddal							67	16	7			
											143	13	5
FRANCIS KELLY	Killanin							55	17	6			
	Selerna							87	0	7			
											142	18	1
	TOTALS, £				60	8	0				6646	6	8

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

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



The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 3 : 15 : 3 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ 56 s. 17 d. 6

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 53 : 19 : 3

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - : 2 : 10 1/2

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

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 5 : 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:—

2392 lbs. White Bread,	8 lbs. Corn Flour,
116 lbs. Brown Bread,	„ Arrowroot,
ton Oatmeal,	„ Loaf Sugar,
ton Indian Meal,	21 „ Biscuits,
1400 qts. Milk,	„ Pepper,
37 1/2 lbs. Meat,	2 cwt. Salt,
68 lbs. Butter,	2 Chickens,
chests of Tea,	2 Hi. Bacon
case of Cocoa,	
140 lbs. Soft Sugar,	
cwt. Rice,	lbs. Candles,
stones Flour,	1 cask Lamp Oil,
1100 Eggs,	lbs. Starch,
half-brls. Porter,	70 „ Soap,
bots. Marsala Wine,	„ Blue,
„ Port Wine,	cwt. Washing Soda,
„ Gin,	26 ozs. Tobacco,
„ Brandy,	
„ Soda Water,	
„ Lemonade,	
gals. Whiskey,	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of Jan'y 1889, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	7	15	6
In Kind,	1	15	9
Total,	£ 9	11	3

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 were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer			Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
No. I.	COLEMAN								
No. II.	MARTYN				No. V.	KYNE			
No. III.	CULLINAN				No. VI.	HERNON			
No. IV.	M'NEILL	5	0	0					
	Carried forward	5	0	0					
						Brought forward	5	0	0
						TOTAL	5	0	0

Credit Treasurer and Debit Relieving Officers with Cheques Clerk's Petty Cash Account.

£ s. d.

Credit to pay Small Bills.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Petty Cash Account with the above sum.

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

	£	s.	d.
<u>Eastern Hospitals &amp;c.</u>			
183 D. O'Brien for Deaf & Mute Institution	7	10	0

Debit the several Accounts and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.







## HOSPITAL REPORTS.

<i>Infirmary—Admitted during the week,</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week,</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Discharged ..</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>Discharged ..</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Died ..</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>Died ..</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Remaining ..</i>	<i>83</i>	<i>Remaining ..</i>	<i>2</i>

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

*A carpenter would be required for a week or so to make some seats and a table for the Separation Ward.*  
*Permission granted.*

*The Master's Estimate of Petty Requirements for ensuing week was examined and orders were issued on Contractors.*

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

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

No. 5 m/89 } Transmitting a copy of a statement which  
10<sup>th</sup> June } has been prepared in anticipation of the more  
detailed information to be given in the Board's  
next Annual Report, showing the Receipts and  
Expenditure of Unions, &c.

No. 1549/80 } Referring to Resolution of the Guardians on the  
15<sup>th</sup> June } 9<sup>th</sup> instant, and to previous correspondence  
respecting the security offered by Mr. Bailey,  
Poor Rate Collector, and stating that having regard  
to the letter of the Manager of the Mutual Accident  
Association which appears on the Guardians Minutes  
& Proceedings of above mentioned date and in  
which he recedes from the position taken up  
in his letter of the 14<sup>th</sup> August last and practi-  
-cally

-ically admits the liability of the Association  
from any loss arising from neglect on the  
part of the Rate collector to perform his duty  
in collecting or to account for money received  
by him, they will no longer press their objection  
to the acceptance of the policy of the Association  
referred to as security for Mr. Bailey.

Michael Doherty made an offer of  $\frac{1}{6}$  per week as  
Rent for two rooms over the Relief office at  
Middle St. and submitted a written guarantee  
given by Mr. O'Sullivan of Mainuard St. that  
the Rent shall be duly paid.  
Accepted.

Mr. W. H. Halliday one of the Sureties of Mr. W.  
Laubert, defaulting Rate collector, came before  
the Board and submitted in writing an offer  
as follows:—

"I have waited upon you this day in regard to  
"the defalcations of Mr. Walter Laubert which by  
"Writ handed me last Wednesday appears to  
"be £215.12.0 in liquidation of my moiety of  
"which £107.16.0. I propose to pay now £40 forty  
"pounds) and the residue within 4 or 6 months.  
"Your acceptance of which offer will confer an  
"obligation on you very obt. servt."  
"W. H. Halliday."

"Any further defalcations found from Laubert I  
"will pay one half."  
On the motion of Mr. H. Perce, seconded



by Mr. J. Keenan it was  
Resolved - That we accept the offer made by Mr.  
W. H. Halliday.

Mr. Halliday handed over to the Clerk of  
Unions the sum of £40.

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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 - - 33

Ditto disallowed - - - - - 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - 6

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - 16

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - 0

The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - 0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - 0

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.)

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the

23<sup>rd</sup> day of July 1889

(Signed), *Robert A. Mullery*  
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

## GALWAY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting  
held on WEDNESDAY, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of Jan<sup>y</sup> 1889.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., c. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Major J. W. Lynch (D. L.)

Other Guardians:

Same as at page 301

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers 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 reported that  
he had forwarded a copy to the Medical Officers of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice  
for the use of the Guardians.

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



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

Dispensary Districts.

Dispensary Districts.		£	s.	d.
Spiddal	H. W. Brereton for assisting at a surgical operation	2	2	0

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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

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

Galway District, . . . . .	£
Moycullen District, . . . . .	£
Cranmore District, . . . . .	£
Spiddal District, . . . . .	£
Furloughmore District, . . . . .	£

[This is 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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, No. \_\_\_\_\_ 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 *L. G. B. No. 51282/88* dated *9th Jan'y '89* stating that

Expressing their sanction to the proposed payment of a sum of £2.2.0 to *Dr. Brereton* as remuneration for assistance afforded by him to the Medical Officer of the *Spiddal Dispensary District* in a difficult surgical case.  
*Chaque request*

*10/14/1889* From the Secretary to the Commissioners of Public Works calling attention to the fact that the cost of the building of the proposed Dispensary Residence at *Crannore* according to the detailed estimate of the Engineer will be only £464.15.10, and requesting to be informed of the purpose for which the difference between that amount and the £550 loan applied for, is required.  
*The Clerk reported having furnished the information by return of post.*

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

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

Galway, No. 1.	defaulters	Oranmore.	25	defaulters
Do. 2.	do.	Spiddal.	85	do.
Do. 3.	116	Furloughmore.		do.
Moycullen.	do.			

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

*The Relieving Officers to serve the usual notices on defaulters.*

Reports Form H from Dispensary Medical Officers.  
*Spiddal Disp. Dist.* 35 cases of successful vaccination during past-Quarter  
*Furloughmore* " 17 " do. do.

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## BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

The Contractors for the building of the  
Boundary Wall at Rahoon near Burial  
Ground submitted the names of Messrs Owen  
Kearns of Upper Dangan, and Martin Faherty  
& Dominick M. as their Sureties.  
*Accepted.*

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PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the LOCAL AUTHORITY under the  
CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Draumore	D. W. Kirwan	Unsanitary premises	(1) Defective sewer at Police Barracks at Draumore. (2) over-crowding of persons in an old house at Draumore

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:—

<sup>to</sup>  
11th Jan'y. '89. From the Receiver of Wreck, Custom House, Galway,  
applying for repayment of the sum of 7/6 disbursed  
for the burial of the carcass of a sheep at Kinnis  
Point on the 15<sup>th</sup> ult. by the Coast Guards at Colett's  
Bay Station.

Order. To be informed in reply that the Guardians  
assume the charge excessive.

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[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1881—43,101.

Present Net Annual Value, £65,792.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of Jan'y 1889.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		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 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	346															
Temporary Buildings	222	30															
Permanent Fever Hospital	41	2															
<b>TOTAL.</b>	<b>1,062</b>	<b>378</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			18	17	85	153	18	10	19	31	24	375	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	84	In separate Wards	-	
Admitted during the Week,			11	4	5	6			1	2	2	31	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other inmates	12	
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>29</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>Total,</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>Total,</b>	<b>12</b>	
Discharged during the Week,			12	11	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	28	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died,																	
Total Discharged and Dead,			12	11	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	28	No. Relieved during Week	9	2		11
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			17	17	89	153	17	9	19	32	25	378	No. in Workhouse at date	4			4
												No. at corresponding period last year, 421					

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	65	145			65	145	Bt. forward	116	219			116	219
No. II.	24	32			24	32	No. IV.	9	9			9	9
No. III.	27	42			27	42	No. V.	4	5			4	5
Car. forwd.	116	219	"	"	116	219	No. VI.	12	16			12	16
							<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>"</b>	<b>"</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>249</b>

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

the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Jan'y 1889,

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major W. Lynch (M.P.)

Other Guardians:—

Mess<sup>rs</sup> P. Kearns, M. Fallon, J. Kirwan,  
and H. Curran.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2001 to No. 2038, 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. 7193 to No. 7195, 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 £ 40. 0. 0 on acc<sup>t</sup> W. Lambert's defalcations  
and £ 4. 0. 6 repayment of Relief by way of loan  
£ 44. 0. 6

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 \* £ 116 : 10 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 110 : 0 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £ 826 : 1 : 10

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.
JOHN H. BAILEY	Galway—North Ward							742	8	11			
	South Ward							508	9	1			
	East Ward							1200	11	3			
	West Ward							849	17	9			
	Ballintemple							166	2	1			
	Barna							225	15	7			
	Carrabrowne							77	11	2			
											3770	15	10
NICHOLAS KYNE	Aunaghdown	31	19	1				116	5	6			
	Aughrim							107	3	7			
	Belleville							61	13	11			
	Carumore	11	2	6				106	8	0			
	Claregalway							151	5	3			
	Deerpark							126	12	5			
	Lackaghbeg	9	15	7				111	11	1			
	Liscadanaun	9	12	11				127	3	6			
	Lisheenavalla							49	16	1			
						62	10	1				951	19
JOHN MARTIN	Ballinacourty							223	12	8			
	Clareubridge							254	9	6			
	Oranmore							182	2	2			
	Stradbally							54	19	11			
											715	4	3
Thomas Remson	Inishmore							460	11	3			
											460	11	3
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin							88	4	7			
											88	4	7
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycullen							71	2	4			
	Slieveaueena							98	4	8			
	Tullokyne							141	2	8			
											310	9	8
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbough							75	16	10			
	Spiddal							67	16	7			
											143	13	5
FRANCIS KELLY	Killanin							55	17	6			
	Selerna							87	0	7			
											142	18	1
	TOTALS, £				62	10	1				6583	16	7

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

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



The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 4 : 0 : 5 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ 53 s. 19 d. 4

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . 53 : 19 : 4

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . . 2 : 9 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . 4 : 1

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . 5 : 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:—

2520 lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Corn Flour,
160 lbs. Brown Bread,	„ Arrowroot,
ton Oatmeal,	„ Loaf Sugar,
ton Indian Meal,	„ Biscuits,
1432 qts. Milk,	„ Pepper,
396 1/2 lbs. Meat,	cwt. Salt,
72 lbs. Butter,	Chickens,
chests of Tea,	
case of Cocoa,	
140 lbs. Soft Sugar,	lbs. Candles,
cwt. Rice,	1 cask Lamp Oil,
stones Flour,	lbs. Starch,
1120 Eggs,	70 „ Soap,
1 half-brl. Porter,	„ Blue,
bots. Marsala Wine,	2 cwt. Washing Soda,
„ Port Wine,	26 ozs. Tobacco,
„ Gin,	
„ Brandy,	
„ Soda Water,	
„ Lemonade,	
gals. Whiskey,	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19th day of June 1889, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, . . . . .	£	s.	d.
In Kind, . . . . .			
Total, . . . . .	10	2	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer			Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
No. I.	COLEMAN	10	0	0		Brought forward	20	0	0
No. II.	MARTYN				No. V.	KYNE			
No. III.	CULLINAN	10	0	0	No. VI.	HERNON			
No. IV.	M'NEILL								
	Carried forward	20	0	0		TOTAL	20	0	0

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Credit Treasurer and Debit Relieving Officers with Cheques. Clerk's Petty Cash Account.

£ s. d.

197

Clerk to pay Small Bills.

10 0 0

Credit Treasurer and Debit Petty Cash Account with the above sum.

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:—

Registration &c.

185 Dr. P. M. Rice,	fees for Quarter to 31/12/88	5	4	0
186 " M. A. Sinden,	"	4	13	0
187 " Keane,	"	1	10	0
188 " Honolly,	"	1	11	0
189 Dr. Kerin,	"	1	13	8
190 Dr. P. J. Gorman,	"	1	10	0
191 " Duggan,	"	2	0	0

Establishment &c.

192 M. Clayton for office Stationery	2	8	2
193 J. Dillon " School cloack		19	0

Clothing &c.

194 M. Kelly for clothing materials	29	15	0
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Debit the several Accounts and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.







HOSPITAL REPORTS.

<i>Infirmary—Admitted during the week,</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week,</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Discharged ..</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>Discharged ..</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Died ..</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Died ..</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Remaining ..</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>Remaining ..</i>	<i>2</i>

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

That Joseph H. Guann a young able bodied inmate who was admitted to the Workhouse by the Board at last meeting, refused to do any work, and <sup>when remunerated with</sup> made use of bad language.

Order—To be discharged.

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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):—

1<sup>st</sup> 26<sup>th</sup> /m. /89 } Enclosing Terms for a Return showing  
21<sup>st</sup> /Jan. } the number of Idiots and Epileptic Idiots  
in the Workhouse of the Union on 31<sup>st</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup>  
1888.

23<sup>rd</sup> /Jan. /89 } From the Terms in charge of the Girls' School  
requesting that a bath be fitted up in the  
Girls' Laboratory instead of the contemplated  
foot bath.  
Referred to the Engineer.

The Warrants for the collection of the new  
Rate in McBailen's district of collection  
were signed, and the Clerk of Union was  
directed

directed to hand them over to the collector  
when he produces the receipt for the payment  
of the Renewal Premium on the Guarantee  
Policy of the Mutual Accident Association.

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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 - - 32

Ditto disallowed - - - - - 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - - 32

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - 20

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - 0

The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - 0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - - 0

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.)

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the

30<sup>th</sup> day of *July* 1889,

(Signed),

*Robt. J. Mullery*  
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

## GALWAY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting  
held on WEDNESDAY, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Jan'y 1889,

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., c. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Major J. W. Lynch (D.L.)

Other Guardians,

(Same as at page 331.)

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers 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 reported that  
he had forwarded a copy to the Medical Officers of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice  
for the use of the Guardians.*

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







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

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

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

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

Galway, No. 1.	defaulters	Oranmore.	defaulters
Do. 2.	do.	Iniddat	do.
Do. 3.	do.	Furloughmore.	do.
Moycullen.	do.		

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

Relieving Officer Coleman reported that there are 46 defaulters under the Vaccination Act in Galway Nos 1 & 2 Disp Dist. Allowed further time to comply with the law.

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BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

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PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the LOCAL AUTHORITY under the  
CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

<sup>the</sup> 19<sup>th</sup> Jan'y 89 From the Receiver of Wreck at Galway giving  
the items of expenditure incurred in the  
burial of the carcass of a sheep by the Coast  
guards of Castella Bay Station.  
Order - To be paid 7/6 the amount disbursed.

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[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1881—43,101.

Present Net Annual Value, £65,792.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of *Jan* 1889.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		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 LUNATIC		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	342														
Temporary Buildings	222	30														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	41	-														
<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>1,082</b>	<b>372</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			17	17	89	153	17	9	19	32	25	378	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 50	In separate Wards } -		
Admitted during the Week,			19	3	8	2	1		2			25	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 0	In Wards with other inmates } 12		
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>26</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>Total, 80</b>	<b>Total, 12</b>		
Discharged during the Week,			17	3	10	4	1	1	1			37	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Died,					1	3						4	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead,			17	3	11	7	1	1	1			41	No. Relieved during Week } 18	2	0	20
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			19	17	86	148	17	8	20	32	25	372	No. in Workhouse at date } 5	0	0	5
													No. at corresponding period last year, 420			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of *Jan* 1889, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	66	149			66	149	Bt. forward	115	220			115	220
No. II.	23	31			23	31	No. IV.	9	9			9	9
No. III.	26	40			26	40	No. V.	4	5			4	5
							No. VI.	13	19			13	19
Car. forwd.	115	220			115	220	<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>253</b>			<b>141</b>	<b>253</b>

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

the 30<sup>th</sup> day of *Jan* 1889.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Major W. Lynch (D.L.)*

Other Guardians:—

*Messrs* *C. Mullis, M. Fallon, M. Joyce, P. Dooley, M. O'Sullivan (Senr), J. O'Sullivan, J. Davis, J. Ashe, and D. Curran.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2039 to No. 2063, 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. 7196 to No. 7198, 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 £1 for sale of Workhouse offal

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

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

Paid during the Week

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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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.
JOHN H. BAILEY	Galway—North Ward							742	8	11			
	South Ward							508	9	1			
	East Ward							1200	11	3			
	West Ward							849	17	9			
	Ballintemple							166	2	1			
	Barna							225	15	7			
	Carrabrowne							77	11	2			
											7770	15	10
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							116	5	6			
	Aughrim							101	3	7			
	Belleville							64	13	11			
	Carnmore							106	8	0			
	Claregalway							151	5	3			
	Deerpark							126	12	5			
	Lackaghbeg							111	11	1			
	Liscananaun							127	3	8			
	Lisheenavalla							49	16	1			
												951	19
JOHN MARTYN	Ballinacourty							223	12	8			
	Clarenbridge							254	9	6			
	Oranmore	4	19	9				177	2	5			
	Stradbally	24	18	0				30	1	11			
											29	17	9
685	6	6											
Thomas Heron	Inishmore							460	11	3			
											460	11	3
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin	47	6	1				40	18	6			
											47	6	1
											40	18	6
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycullen							71	2	4			
	Slieveaneena							98	4	8			
	Tullokyne							141	2	8			
											310	9	8
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbough							75	16	10			
	Spiddal							67	16	7			
											143	13	5
FRANCIS KELLY	Killainin	15	1	3				40	18	3			
	Selerna	20	16	0				66	4	7			
											35	17	3
											107	0	10
											113	1	1
	TOTALS, £										6470	15	6

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

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



The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 9 : 13 : 9 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ 52 s. 3 d. 5

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 57 : 14 : 9

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - : 2 : 10

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

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 5 : 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:—

2600 lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Corn Flour,
146 lbs. Brown Bread,	„ Arrowroot,
ton Oatmeal,	„ Loaf Sugar,
ton Indian Meal,	„ Biscuits,
1524 qts. Milk,	„ Pepper,
381 lbs. Meat,	cwt. Salt,
70 lbs. Butter,	Chickens,
1 chests of Tea,	
1 case of Cocoa,	
140 lbs. Soft Sugar,	lbs. Candles,
cwt. Rice,	1 cask Lamp Oil,
stones Flour,	lbs. Starch,
Eggs,	70 „ Soap,
half-brls. Porter,	„ Blue,
bots. Marsala Wine,	cwt. Washing Soda,
„ Port Wine,	26 ozs. Tobacco,
„ Gin,	
„ Brandy,	
„ Soda Water,	
„ Lemonade,	
gals. Whiskey,	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of January 1889, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, . . . . .	8	2	3
In Kind, . . . . .	1	15	0
Total, . . . . .	£ 9	17	3

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 were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer			Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
No. I.	COLEMAN					Brought forward	5	0	0
No. II.	MARTYN	5	0	0	No. V.	KYNE			
No. III.	CULLINAN				No. VI.	HERNON	5	0	0
No. IV.	M'NEILL								
	Carried forward	5	0	0		TOTAL	10	0	0

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Credit Treasurer and Debit Relieving Officers with Cheques.  
Clerk's Petty Cash Account.

£ s. d.

200

Clerk to pay Small Bills.

10 0 0

Credit Treasurer and Debit Petty Cash Account with the above sum.

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

£ s. d.

Debit the several Accounts and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.







## HOSPITAL REPORTS.

<i>Infirmaty—Admitted during the week,</i>	14	<i>Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week,</i>	0
<i>Discharged ..</i>	11	<i>Discharged ..</i>	2
<i>Died ..</i>	2	<i>Died ..</i>	0
<i>Remaining ..</i>	81	<i>Remaining ..</i>	0

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

*Ordered—300 yards of Shirting Calico*

Galway County Council Archives



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):—

<sup>4<sup>th</sup></sup> 26<sup>th</sup> Jan'y '89 From the Managers of the Mutual Accident Association informing the Guardians that the Renewal Premium on Guarantee Bond, No. 11432. Jas. H. Bailey, Collector of Rates, having been paid, he requests that his communication of the 7<sup>th</sup> ultimo be considered withdrawn. The Clerk informed the Board that Mr. Bailey on yesterday handed him the receipt for the payment of the Renewal Premium, and in compliance with the order of the Board at last meeting he handed over to Mr. Bailey the Warrants, &c. for the collection of the new Rate.

<sup>4<sup>th</sup></sup> 30<sup>th</sup> Jan'y '89 From Miss Julia Kinnear requesting to be allowed a week and she will commence

to

to pay regular instalments of the claim made against her for the maintenance of her servant in the Workhouse Hospital.

Granted.

Ordered Mary Fisher and her son to be supplied with clothing to amount of £2 on discharge from the Workhouse.

Thomas Moran to get the clothing of his father, and Peter Geraghty of his wife, both of whom died in Workhouse Hospital recently.

<sup>4<sup>th</sup></sup> 29<sup>th</sup> Jan'y '89 From Pat<sup>l</sup> Lynch an inmate of the Workhouse since 29<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> 1886, requesting to be registered as a Protestant instead of a Roman Catholic, having altered his views in regard to religious matters.

Consideration postponed for a fortnight to enable the Board to ascertain whether the man is sane.

From Mr. D. Burke tendering for the supply of Royal Daylight Petroleum oil to the Workhouse until the 29<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> next, at 8<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> per gallon. Accepted.

Ordered The Solicitor to the Board to be instructed to institute legal proceedings against Denis Holpin of Glennacaul, the putative father of an illegitimate child at present maintained in the Workhouse with its mother.



The following members of the Board were appointed a Committee to confer with Mr. Townsend, Engineer, from time to time with regard to the Contract for the work of repairing the Workhouse - viz.  
Messrs J. Davis, J. Kirwan, and M. Fallon.

The Chairman of the Board having sent for the Schoolmaster of the Workhouse, made a statement in his presence as follows:—

That he had been informed from outside that some time about Christmas last, the Schoolmaster had kicked James Clarke a little boy of very tender years, and that in consequence he had had to be sent to Hospital suffering from hip disease. That he (the Chairman) had questioned the little lad who appeared frightened and nervous and was somewhat contradictory in his replies to questions asked him on the subject.

The Schoolmaster in reply to questions denied having ever kicked James Clarke or any other of the School children.



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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	-	-	16
Ditto disallowed	-	-	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	16

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	19
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	2
The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - 0

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.)

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the

6<sup>th</sup> day of *July* 1889.

(Signed),

*Robt. F. Mullery*

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

## GALWAY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting  
held on WEDNESDAY, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of Jan<sup>y</sup> 1889.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., c. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—*In the Chair,**Major W. Lynch (D.L.)*

Other Guardians

*(Same as at page 361.)*

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 reported that  
he had forwarded a copy to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice  
for the use of the Guardians.

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

*One ton of Coals.*



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 Districts.

£ s. d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

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

Galway District, . . . . .	£
Moycullen District, . . . . .	£
Oranmore District, . . . . .	£
Spiddal District, . . . . .	£
Furloughmore District, . . . . .	£

[This is 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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—

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

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

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



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

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

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

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

Galway, No. 1, _____ defaulters	Cranmore, _____ defaulters
Do. 2, _____ do.	Shiddat, _____ do.
Do. 3, _____ do.	Furloughmore, _____ do.
Moycullen, _____ do.	

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

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BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

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PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the LOCAL AUTHORITY under the  
CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Galway No. 3	D. J. Keane	Unsanitary premises,	cesspools & manure heaps near dwelling houses.
Dunlongmore	D. J. Huggan	Same.	Same.

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:—

<sup>4<sup>th</sup></sup> 29<sup>th</sup> July 89 From Mr. R. S. Golding, stating that he will enquire into the matter of the complaint made as to unsanitary condition of the Police Barrack premises at Oranmore, and will try to meet the wishes of the Medical Officer of Health.

From Sanitary Sub Officer P. Hernon, requesting the Board to forward 20 barrels of lime to be distributed to poor persons on Aran Islands, to enable them to lime wash their dwelling houses, lime not being procurable on the Islands. A charge to be made in case of persons whom he will consider able to pay.  
*Ordered.*

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[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1881—43,101.

Present Net Annual Value, £65,792.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of Feb'y 1889.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		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	346															
Temporary Buildings	222	30															
Permanent Fever Hospital,	41	1															
<b>TOTAL.</b>	<b>1,082</b>	<b>377</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			19	17	86	148	17	8	21	32	25	372	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	51	In separate Wards	—	
Admitted during the Week,			15	2	10	3	1	1	1	1	1	35	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other inmates,	12	
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>34</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>Total,</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>Total,</b>	<b>12</b>	
Discharged during the Week,			20								1	28	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died,					1	1						2	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead,			20	1	7	1					1	30	No. Relieved during Week	16	1	0	17
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			14	18	89	150	18	9	21	33	25	377	No. in Workhouse at date				
													No. at corresponding period last year, 416				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of Feb'y 1889, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	68	154			68	154	Bt. forward	117	225			117	225
No. II.	23	31			23	31	No. IV.	9	19			9	19
No. III.	26	40			26	40	No. V.	4	5			4	5
							No. VI.	15	30			15	30
Car. forwd.	117	225			117	225	<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>279</b>			<b>145</b>	<b>279</b>

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of Feb'y 1889.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

*J. Davis Esq. D.V.C.*  
 Messrs: *H. Finn, M. Dwyer, J. Kirwan, M. Fallon, M. O'Sullivan (Genl), M. McDonagh, J. Ashe, R. Mullin, J. Shaine, M. O'Sullivan (Emr) & D. Curran,*

*A. Bourke Esq. L. G. Inspector attended.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2164 to No. 2181, 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. 7198 to No. 7198, 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

Baid during the Week £ 61 : 1 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians

was £ 844 : 17 : 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
JOHN H. BAILEY	Galway—North Ward							742	8	11				
	South Ward							508	9	1				
	East Ward							1200	11	3				
	West Ward							849	17	9				
	Ballintemple							166	2	1				
	Barna							225	15	7				
	Carrabrowne							77	11	2				
											3770	15	10	
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							116	5	6				
	Anghrim							101	3	7				
	Belleville							61	13	11				
	Carnmore							106	8	0				
	Claregalway							151	5	3				
	Deerpark							126	12	5				
	Lackaghbeg							111	11	1				
	Liscananaun							127	3	8				
	Lisheenavalla							49	16	1				
											951	19	6	
JOHN MARTIN	Ballinacourty							223	12	8				
	Clarenbridge							257	9	6				
	Oranmore							177	2	5				
	Stradbally							30	1	11				
											685	6	6	
Thomas Armon	Inishmore										460	11	3	
											460	11	3	
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin							40	18	6				
											40	18	6	
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycullen							71	2	4				
	Slieveaneena							98	4	8				
	Tallockyne							141	2	8				
											310	9	8	
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbough	28	5	7				47	11	3				
	Spiddal	32	15	5				35	1	2				
							61	1	0			82	12	5
FRANCIS KELLY	Killanin							40	16	3				
	Selerna							66	4	7				
											107	0	10	
	TOTALS, £						61	1	0			6409	14	6

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

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



The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 3 : 3 : 5 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ 56 s. 0 d. 0

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . 574 : 5 : 0

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . . 2 : 9 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . 4 : 1

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . 0 : 0

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

2560 lbs. White Bread,	8 lbs. Corn Flour,
164 lbs. Brown Bread,	,, Arrowroot,
ton Oatmeal,	,, Loaf Sugar,
ton Indian Meal,	21 ,, Biscuits,
1488 qts. Milk,	,, Pepper,
398 1/2 lbs. Ment,	2 cwt. Salt,
70 lbs. Butter,	Chickens,
chest of Tea,	
case of Cocon,	
140 lbs. Soft Sugar,	4 lbs. Candles,
cwt. Rice,	1 cask Lamp Oil,
stones Flour,	lbs. Starch,
1050 Eggs,	70 ,, Soap,
1 half-brl. Porter,	,, Blue,
bots. Marsala Wine,	cwt. Washing Soda,
,, Port Wine,	26 ozs. Tobacco,
,, Gin,	
,, Brandy,	
,, Soda Water,	
,, Lemonade,	
9 gals. Whiskey,	

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several 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 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February 1889, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, . . . . .	8	5	9
In Kind, . . . . .	2	6	6
Total, . . . . .	£ 10	12	3

Credit each Believing Officers, 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 were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer			Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
No. I.	COLEMAN								
No. II.	MARTYN				No. V.	KYNE			
No. III.	CULLINAN				No. VI.	HERNON			
No. IV.	M'NEILL								
	Carried forward	-	-	-		TOTAL	-	-	

Credit Treasurer and Debit Believing Officers with Cheques.

Clerk's Petty Cash Account. £ s. d.

Clerk to pay Small Bills.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Petty Cash Account with the above sum.

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

		£	s.	d.
<u>Establishment &amp;c.</u>				
218	Shahms Anne, for services as midwife, L.D.H.	7	10	0
219	P. Greene, for Linware	8	13	0
220	M. Brennan ,, W.H. Porter's clothes	3	10	0
221	M. J. Donnellan ,, Hospital Bandages &c	1	6	11
<u>Clothing &amp;c.</u>				
220	M. Brennan for Pauper's clothes	1	0	0
221	M. J. Donnellan ,, Blankets, &c.	33	17	1
<u>W.H. Burial &amp;c.</u>				
222	Pat Ward for W.H. Coffin	4	4	0

Debit the several Accounts and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.



## Workhouse Invoice Account

			£	s.	d.
201	M. Lynch	for Bread	55	4	4
202	J. Duggan	" Milk	7	1	8
203	M. Malley	" "	6	7	2
204	H. Holleran	" "	7	18	7
205	J. Shawless	" "	5	2	8
206	M. Kelly	" "	6	4	6
207	P. O'Brien	" Meat	30	17	0
208	P. Fisher	" Butter	13	2	7
209	St. Bottingham	" Eggs	12	7	11
210	B. Connolly	" Groceries	5	14	5
211	J. Keane	" "	10	0	6
212	J. Keane	" "	5	7	7
213	J. Joyce	" "	1	4	2
214	B. Scuple	" Oatmeal	10	0	0
215	M. Usher	" Ind-meal & Flour	4	4	8
216	A. Guinness Co.	" Porter	5	6	8
217	J. & P. Hutchison	" Coals	18	2	3

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer 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:—



HOSPITAL REPORTS.

<i>Infirmary—Admitted during the week,</i>	13	<i>Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week,</i>	1
<i>Discharged ..</i>	12	<i>Discharged ..</i>	0
<i>Died ..</i>	0	<i>Died ..</i>	0
<i>Remaining ..</i>	82	<i>Remaining ..</i>	1

*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):—

On the motion of Mr. H. Fallon, seconded by Mr. J. Kehe it was unanimously  
 "Resolved - That we the Galway Board of Guardians regard with feelings of the utmost horror and indignation the brutal and unchristian tortures to which our pure souled and unconquerable fellow countryman, William O'Brien, M.P., is being subjected in Clonmel Jail: and we call upon all Christian people to use every means in their power to prevent, if not to avert, the life of William O'Brien being sacrificed to appease the wounded vanity and malignity of his defeated and despised political opponent and Sailer, Mr. Balfour."

Ordered - A copy of this Resolution to be sent to the "Freeman's Journal."

Order - The Solicitor to the Board to be called upon to report as to how matters stand in the following cases - viz.

Guardians v. Flaherty & Sureties.

v. Owners of Arran Islands property for Rates due by them as Immediate Lessors.

" v. Wick Contractors - prosecution for adulteration.



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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 - - - 32  
 Ditto disallowed - - - - - 0  
 The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 5

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - 30  
 Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - 0  
 The number of other applicants in the Deceiving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - 0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - 0

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.)

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the

13<sup>th</sup> day of Feb<sup>y</sup> 1889,

(Signed),

Robt. F. Mullery

Clerk of the Union.



14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

## GALWAY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 6<sup>th</sup> day of July 1889.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

- I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.
- II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, David Esq. D.V.C.

Other Guardians:

(Same as at page 391)

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 reported that he had forwarded a copy to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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



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

Dispensary Districts.

Dispensary Districts.		£	s.	d.
Galway 223	J. Naughton. Salary as Porter	1	13	4
Spiddal 224	Dr P. Forman. Vaccination fees	3	10	0
Furloughmore 225	" L. Duggan, " "	1	14	0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

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

Galway District, . . . . .	£
Moycullen District, . . . . .	£
Oranmore District, . . . . .	£
Spiddal District, . . . . .	£
Furloughmore District, . . . . .	£

[This is 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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—

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

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

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



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):—

Board Letter from L.G.B. No. 4557/89 dated 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb. stating that

in consequence of the continued illness of their Inspector Dr. Todd, they have appointed Dr. J.B. Power to act temporarily as Medical Inspector of his District.

4<sup>th</sup> Feb. '89 From Dr. Keau Medical Officer, Arran Islands, again complaining that the owner of the Dispensary House at Arran Island does not supply a sufficient quantity of fuel to the Dispensary. That this is the third occasion he has been compelled to report on this subject to the Board, and when next the fuel runs short he will himself buy it and send the bill to the Board.

Order. The owner of the Dispensary to be informed that this shall be the last caution he shall get; and if any complaint be again made of his want

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

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

Galway, No. 1.	defaulters	Oranmore	defaulters
Do. 2.	do.	Shiddat	do.
Do. 3.	do.	Furloughmore.	do.
Moycullen.	do.		

were laid before the Board and Directions given thereon as follows:— of attendance, &c. the Guardians will at once remove the Dispensary from his house.

Letter from Dr. Keau, Medical Officer, Galway No. 3 Dispen. Dist.

Arran Island, 4<sup>th</sup> Feb. 1889.

Gentlemen. I think it right to bring before you the following case of misapplied relief. As I have already informed you some cases of fever exist in the village of Killeany. Four members of the family of Coleman Pirane were stricken down. There are children, the fourth a young man. He another applied to the Relieving Officer and to me for relief. The Relieving Officer told me the people were not objects for relief and accordingly it was refused. On the same day a letter was addressed to the Relieving Officer by the Parish Priest warning him of consequences if he did not give relief. The letter was of a menacing character & the R. O. yielded to these menaces and gave the applicant an order for three shillings worth. Knowing that the patients were unable to swallow solid food I was led to enquire what articles were supplied as relief. I ascertained that it consisted of flour, tea, sugar & loaves of bread. I need not tell the Board that this is not the diet required by fever patients and I was curious to know who consumed these groceries. The man of the house did not deny it, they were consumed by the healthy <sup>members</sup> of the family. Whether this relief is to be granted a second time or oftener I cannot tell you, it depends upon the



~~BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.~~continued.

the Parish Priest. Now I wish the Board to take note of these two facts: first- the relief was not necessary & would not be granted if the P. O. were left to his own judgment; and secondly the relief was given, not to the sick but to the healthy who are thoroughly well able to subsist on the potatoes of which I see a large store in the house, enough to last them for the next five months. It would be well if the Board were to ask the P. O. not to allow himself to be hectorred into giving relief in those cases where he thinks it unnecessary.

I am, Yours, &c.

The Board of Guardians, Thomas Kean.

Order - a copy of this letter to be sent to the Relieving Officer for his remarks on the case.

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PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the LOCAL AUTHORITY under the  
CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

2<sup>nd</sup> Feby. '89. From the Constabulary at Galway reporting that a setter dog was found straying at Satt Hill, and as it exhibited symptoms of rabies, the Veterinary Inspector was called to examine it, who pronounced the dog to be mad and it was at once shot.

The Veterinary Inspector reported on this case.

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1881—43,101.

Present Net Annual Value, £65,792.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of Feb<sup>y</sup> 1889,

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		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	343															
Temporary Buildings	222	30															
Permanent Fever Hospital,	41	1															
<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>1,082</b>	<b>374</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			14	18	89	150	18	9	21	33	25	377	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 78	In separate Wards } —			
Admitted during the Week,			17	2	8	3						30	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 1	In Wards with other inmates, } 12			
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>31</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>Total, 79</b>	<b>Total, 12</b>			
Discharged during the Week,			15	4	7	2	1	2	2			33	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died,																	
Total Discharged and Dead,			15	4	7	2	1	2	2			33	No. Relieved during Week } 16	Males } 2	Females } 0	Children under 15 } 0	TOTAL } 18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			16	16	90	151	17	7	19	33	25	374	No. in Workhouse at date } 2	Males } 0	Females } 0	Children under 15 } 0	TOTAL } 2
												No. at corresponding period last year, 398					

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of Feb<sup>y</sup> 1889, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	68	158	.	.	68	158	Bt. forward.	119	234	.	.	119	234
No. II.	23	31	.	.	23	31	No. IV.	9	19	.	.	9	19
No. III.	28	45	.	.	28	45	No. V.	4	5	.	.	4	5
Car. forwd.	119	234	.	.	119	234	No. VI.	15	30	.	.	15	30
							<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>288</b>			<b>147</b>	<b>288</b>

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of Feb<sup>y</sup> 1889,

PRESENT: In the Chair, J. Davis Esq. D.O.B.  
Other Guardians:—

Mess<sup>rs</sup> W. Fallon, J. Kirwan, W. Sullivan (Senr)  
W. Joyce, W. Finn, & J. McDonagh.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2105 to No. 2128, 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. 7198 to No. 7198, 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 £211-13-0 Bounty in lieu of Rates on Gr<sup>t</sup> Liberties and 2.12.9 Repayment of Relief by way of doles

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 £439:13:1  
And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £202:15:0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
JOHN H. BAILEY	Galway—North Ward	11	13	4				7	30	15	7			
	South Ward	1	9	2				50	6	19	11			
	East Ward	21	5	4				11	7	9	5	11		
	West Ward	3	10	0				8	4	6	7	9		
	Ballintemple	3	8	11				1	4	2	13	2		
	Barna	.	.	.				2	2	5	15	7		
	Carrabrowne	.	.	.				7	7	11	2			
					41	6	9					27	2	9
NICHOLAS KYNE	Aunaghdown	4	7	1				1	1	18	5			
	Aughrim	.	.	.				1	0	3	7			
	Belleville	.	.	.				6	1	13	11			
	Carnmore	7	13	11				9	8	14	1			
	Claregalway	.	.	.				1	5	5	3			
	Deerpark	18	10	10				1	0	8	7			
	Lackaghbeg	9	15	4				1	0	15	9			
	Liscanansun	13	2	8				1	1	1	0			
	Lisheenavalla	.	.	.				4	9	16	1			
					53	9	10					29	8	8
JOHN MARTIN	Ballinacourty							2	2	12	8			
	Clarenbridge							2	5	9	6			
	Oranmore							1	7	2	5			
	Stradbally							3	0	1	11			
												6	8	6
J. Heron	Inishmore	9	0	0				4	5	11	3			
					9	0	0					4	5	11
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin							4	0	18	6			
												4	0	18
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycullen	19	5	2				5	1	17	2			
	Slieveaueena	12	6	9				8	5	17	11			
	Tullokyne	28	18	7				1	1	4	1			
					60	10	6					2	4	2
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbough							4	7	11	3			
	Spiddal							3	5	1	2			
												8	2	5
FRANCIS KELLY	Killauin	25	9	11				1	5	6	4			
	Selerna	35	10	4				3	0	14	3			
					61	0	3					4	6	7
	TOTALS, £				225	7	14					119	4	2

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurers 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 £ 5 : 18 : 11 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ 58 s. 15 d. 5

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - 54 : 18 : 7

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 2 : 9 3/4

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

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 5 : 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:—

2560	lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Corn Flour,
151	lbs. Brown Bread,	„ Arrowroot,
	ton Oatmeal,	28 „ Loaf Sugar,
	ton Indian Meal,	„ Biscuits,
1520	qts. Milk,	4 „ Pepper,
397	lbs. Meat,	cwt. Salt,
70	lbs. Butter,	Chickens,
	chests of Tea,	
	case of Cocoa,	
140	lbs. Soft Sugar,	lbs. Candles,
	cwt. Rice,	1 cask Lamp Oil,
	stones Flour,	lbs. Starch,
1110	Eggs,	70 „ Soap,
	half-brls. Porter,	„ Blue,
	bots. Marsala Wine,	cwt. Washing Soda,
	„ Port Wine,	32 ozs. Tobacco,
	„ Gin,	
	„ Brandy,	
	„ Soda Water,	
	„ Lemonade,	
	gals. Whiskey,	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of Feb<sup>r</sup> 1889, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	8	4	9
In Kind,	2	9	0
Total,	£ 10	13	9

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipts 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 were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer			Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
No. I.	COLEMAN	10	0	0		Brought forward	15	0	0
No. II.	MARTYN	5	0	0	No. V.	KYNE	3	0	0
No. III.	CULLINAN				No. VI.	HERNON			
No. IV.	M'NEILL								
	Carried forward	15	0	0		TOTAL	18	0	0

Credit Treasurer and Debit Relieving Officers with Cheques Clerk's Petty Cash Account.

Clerk to pay Small Bills.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Petty Cash Account with the above sum.

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

	£	s.	d.
<i>Establishment of P. McDonald for Plumbing Work</i>	6	10	0

Debit the several Accounts and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.







HOSPITAL REPORTS.

<i>Infirmary—Admitted during the week.</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week.</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Discharged ..</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>Discharged ..</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Died ..</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>Died ..</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Remaining ..</i>	<i>77</i>	<i>Remaining ..</i>	<i>1</i>

*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):—

On the motion of Mr. M. Sullivan (Secy) seconded by Mr. J. Kirwan it was unanimously  
 "Resolved— That we tender to Mr. J. Redington, D.P., and to Major Wilson Lynch, D.P., the expression of our most heartfelt condolence and sympathy in the lamented death of Lady Redington, a lady whose many virtues, amiability of character and life long labours in the cause of charity were so widely known and appreciated; and that our Clerk do convey to the respected Chairman of this Board, and Mr. Redington our distinguished fellow-countryman, this expression of our deep and sincere  
 regret—

regret on the melancholy event. And as a mark of respect that we do not transact further business, and that the meeting stand adjourned for a week."



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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	-	-	19
Ditto disallowed	-	-	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	19

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	28
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	2
The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	0
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the

20<sup>th</sup> day of Feb 1889

(Signed), *Robt. J. Mullery*  
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

## GALWAY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting  
held on WEDNESDAY, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of Feb 1889.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

- I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.  
II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

*J. Davis Esq. D.V.C.*

Other Guardians:

*(Same as at page 421)**Meeting adjourned for a week.*

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers 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 reported that  
he had forwarded a copy 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:—



