

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

Population in 1871—17,973.

Present Net Annual Value, 43,132-2-0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of May 1879

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	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	729													
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse														
Permanent Fever Hospital	51													
Fever Sheds														
Total	780													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			8	31	39	52	13	6	20	11	15	19		
Admitted during the Week.			5	3						1	1	11		
TOTAL			13	34	39	53	13	6	20	12	16	20		
Discharged during the Week.			5	2						1	1	8		
Dead.														
Total Discharged and Dead.			16	3	6	3						8		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			16	36	39	53	14	6	20	13	17	19		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17th day of May 1879

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons.
No. I.	5	9			5	9	Bt. forward.						
No. II.	2	8			2	8	No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	7	17			7	17	TOTAL						

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

the 24th day of May 1879

PRESENT: In the Chair— Walter Taylor JP
Other Guardians:—

M. Shofan M. Connolly Jn. Coen
& John Rochford

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

day of 18

Signed,
Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 11 s. 7 d. 11

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 31 4 5

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 3 0
 Average Cost in Infirmary 4 10 2
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital 11 -

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

1382 lb. Bread
 210 1/2 lb. Bread
 112 lb. Meat
 140 " Meal
 1/2 chest Tea
 5 1/2 cwt. Sugar
 1/2 bad Porter
 140 Sheepheads
 10 lb. D. Candles.

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

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

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 day of 18

whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

The following Cheques were issued :-

Galway County Council Archives

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

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):

The following Report was read from Mr Hardman
an Officer

Gentlemen, in compliance with your Order of the 17th inst respecting the nuisance complained of by Mr Blake at the rear of his house I beg to state for the information of the Board that I examined the water closet the manure pit attached and the backyard and found no nuisance whatever to exist or complain of on the premises except the Coach house where Mr Blake directed my attention to a small quantity of ashes & the like most likely thrown there by the servants still no bad scents arising or likely to arise. As ordered by the Board I again visited the rear of Mr Blake's house on the 24th inst after the late rain and found a small quantity of sewerage matter deposited in the manure pit attached to the Closet

J. Hardman

M. Mellor Nolan
Clerk 31st May 79

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

Population in 1871—17,973.

Present Net Annual Value, £3132-2-0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of May 1879

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 9 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 9 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse.....	729	199													
Temporary Buildings.....															
Additional Workhouse.....															
Permanent Fever Hospital.....	51														
Beer Sheds.....															
Total.....	780	199													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			10	32	39	53	12	6	20	11	15	198	In Work-house Hospital In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,	4
Admitted during the Week.			1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6			
TOTAL			10	33	39	54	12	7	20	11	15	204	TOTAL	3	
Discharged during the Week.												1			
Dead.												1			
Total Discharged and Dead.			1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			9	33	39	53	12	7	20	11	15	199			No. at corresponding period last year, 207

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24th day of May 1879

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	5	11			5	11	Bt. forward.						
No. II.	2	4			2	4	No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Bt. forward	7	15			7	15	TOTAL						

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

the 31st day of May 1879

PRESENT: In the Chair— *Abellus Nolan*

Other Guardians:— *Robt. Lacey, P. A. Alexander, John Forrest, M. Connolly, P. C. Spehman and R. Burke*

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

day of 18

Signed, Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 27.11 d. 3
 Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 30 15 8
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.
 And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 2.11 3/4
 Average Cost in Infirmary : 3.10
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 4.14

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 :-

1378 Lt. Bread
 262 " B. Bread
 14 " Flour
 121 " Meat
 120 7/8
 2 Doz Wine
 1 gal Whiskey
 4 lb. Pepper
 1 lb salt
 10 Keeps Head
 5 Lt. Tobacco
 1 " Snuff

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 day of 18 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was -

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

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

The following Cheques were issued :-

Galway County Council Archives

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

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

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

Letter from Local Government Board, N^o 11428, dated 30th May 1879, transmitting for the Guardians observations thereon a copy of a letter which they have received from Messrs. Tom Dwyer and Pat Glynn complaining that there is no order kept in the Workhouse, that the master is reading the news the porter attending to the cows but the master's orders and a pauper in his office and that the rest of the paupers can go in and out and bring the property of the Union with them.

Minute—The Board have made inquiry and cannot find that there is such a person in this town as Tom Dwyer but several named Pat Glynn. If the L.G. Board direct

the authors of the letters, come before this Board and prefer their charges the Guardians will at once institute an inquiry but they have to state that they do not believe there is the slightest foundation for the statements made except that of the master, reading the news to which they cannot object and the Porter being placed by him in charge of the Cows when being milked which they quite approve of

Letter from C. G. Board No. 11949, dated 30th May 1879, transmitting a copy of a letter which they have received from Mr John Dixiney stating that the Clerk of the Union is frequently under the influence of drink and stating that the following persons can testify to the truth of his statement: - Dr Nolan Denis Dulley, L. S. Marjan, W. Murray Patrick Spelman. The Board request to be furnished with the Guardians observations on this letter.

Minute.

Minute: - John Dixiney has not appeared before this Board nor can they ascertain the existence of such a person Dr Nolan has indignantly denied that he has ever seen Mr Spelman, our Clerk under the influence of drink Our town Guardian who sees him almost daily makes the same statement and the Guardians unanimously believe the charge to be a ~~gross~~ gross fabrication

Ordered that the Clerk inform Mr Hester that if he does not relay the pipes at Mr Rosengraves house and fully carry out his contract within three days from the service of this notice the Board will place the matter in the hands of their solicitor and he will also be held responsible should any accident happen in consequence of his leaving the Caves at Shipper Street open and without protection and should any additional expense arise in consequence of the Guardians being obliged to place the work in other hands he will be held responsible.

D. Nolan

7th June 79

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

Population in 1871—17,973.

Present Net Annual Value, 31st

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of May 1879

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	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	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.....	729														
Temporary Buildings.....															
Additional Workhouse.....															
Permanent Fever Hospital.....	51														
Fever Sheds.....															
Total.....	780														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			9	333	9	53	12	7	90	11	15	199	In Workhouse Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,	E
Admitted during the Week.			2	2	3		1		1	1	1	11	In Fever Hospital		
TOTAL			11	35	12	53	13	7	91	12	16	210	TOTAL	TOTAL	
Discharged during the Week.			2	3	1	2	1		1	1	1	12			
Died.															
Total Discharged and Dead.			2	3	1	2	1		1	1	1	12			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			9	32	4	57	12	7	90	11	15	198			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 31st day of May 1879 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

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

the 7th day of June 1879

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

A. C. Spelman

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

day of 18

Signed, Clerk of the Union.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 30 s. 8 d. 6
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 30-19-7
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 2-11 3/4
Average Cost in Infirmary 3-10
Average Cost in Fever Hospital 4-7 1/2

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

1330 Wt. Bread
1852 " B. Bread
740 " Meat
7740 " Soap
1 cwt Soap

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 18
whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

Table with columns for £, s., d. and rows for In Money, In Kind, and Total.

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

The following Cheques were issued :—

Large empty ledger table with multiple columns and rows for recording transactions.

Galway County Council Archives

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

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

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

Ordered that a special meeting of the Board be summoned for next Saturday to consider Coal Contract and also Hector's Contract for Sewer at Slipper Street. and it is also ordered that the Contractor be directed to open the sewer for inspection from Slipper Lane to Main Sewer, he having improperly closed it before this Board received any intimation that it was ready for inspection and if the Contractor does not open it the Clerk is requested to employ a man to do so, whose hire Mr Hector must pay. if not opened by Hector before Thursday the Clerk to get it done.

Sam J. Braith

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

Population in 1871—17,973.

Present Net Annual Value, 43132-0-0 257

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of June 1879

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 8 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.					
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS			
Workhouse.....	729	706															
Temporary Buildings.....																	
Additional Workhouse.....																	
Permanent Fever Hospital.....	51																
Fever Sheds.....																	
Total.....	780	706															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			9	32	41	57	12	7	20	11	15	198	In Work-house Hospital in Fever Hospital	63	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,	3	4
Admitted during the Week.			2	4	2		1	2	2		1	14					
TOTAL			11	36	43	57	13	9	22	11	16	212		63	TOTAL,	3	
Discharged during the Week.			2				2					5					
Dead.												1					
Total Discharged and Dead.			2				2					6					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			9	36	42	55	11	9	22	11	16	206					

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7th day of June 1879 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
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No. I.	1/3	5			4	5	Et. forward.						
No. II.		2			3	2	No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	7	7			7	7	TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 14th day of June 1879

PRESENT: In the Chair— James Gabbraith J.P.
 Other Guardians: Walter Taylor J.P. Abraham
John Rochford. M. Coen. O. Sweeney.
John Forrest.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 18____
 Signed, _____
 Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was 28 s. 7 d. 11

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 30 s. 8 d. 9

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary 3 s. 10 d.

Average Cost in Fever Hospital 2 s. 5 d. 1/4

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 :—

1450 lb. of Bread
 100 lb. meat
 167 lb. B. Bread
 420 lb. Meal
 170 Eggs
 100 lb. Sugar
 5 lb. Tobacco
 1 lb. Snuff

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	£	s.	d.
In Money,
In Kind,
Total,	£	_____	_____

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Letter from L. Board dated 13th June 1879 transmitting for the immediate attention of the Guardians a letter which they have received from W. Rosenkrantz relative to a nuisance at his premises in the town of Lort

The Board accepted the tender of Patrick O'Brien for supplying the Workhouse with 110 tons of coal at £1.40.6 per ton.

John Rockford

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			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	729	707												
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse														
Permanent Fever Hospital	51													
Fever Sheds														
Total	780	707												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			936	425	0	11	922	11	16	700		63	3	
Admitted during the Week,			21	1	3									
Total			1137	426	3	11	922	11	16	700		63	3	
Discharged during the Week, Did.			21			2	21			1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			21			2	21			1				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			936	425	0	11	922	11	16	700		63	3	

RETURN of DISTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14th day of June 1879

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.												
No. II.												
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No. VI.												
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No. VIII.												
No. IX.												
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COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on

the 14th day of June 1879

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Wm Rochford

Other Guardians:—

H. De Blacquire, Arthur Alexander, M. Coen, M. Conolly, Patrick C. Sheehan, A. Cosgrave, John Burke, John Geoghegan and R. Burke

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

day of 18

Signed, Clerk of the Union.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 28 7 11
 Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 30 8 9
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.
 And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 2 11 2
 Average Cost in Infirmary 3 10 4
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital 2 5 4

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 :-

170 lbs. Bread
 167 " " Bread
 420 Omeal
 120 295 Water
 1 doz Soap
 5 lbs Tobacco
 1 Snuff

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 day of 18

whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

The following Cheques were issued :-

Sanitary Thomas Hector factm...
 for construction of...
 at 11...
 Invoice M. Kulan, Butter 5 7
 J. Hayden, Seal 2
 Clothing M. W. Mahon, Shoes 17
 4th & 5th St. J. Kennedy & Smith, 1 15
 1st. Patrick Kelly, Sweep 18 31

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

The Punishment book having been produced the master reported that Margaret Broderick snatched bread & tea from Margaret Wade and threatened to split her skull if she did not give it, and that she also made use of the most scurrilous and abusive language to the porter and others and generally conducted herself very badly since her admission. The master further reported that for the said offences he stopped her liquid food for two days.

Liquid food to be stopped for one day and six hours in Refractory Ward for two days.

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):

Letter from L.G. Board No. 12,525, dated 17th inst directing the attention of the Guardians to their letter of the 16th ultimo with reference to the conduct of the Clerk of the Union and to which they have received no reply a circumstance which they can only account for by the Clerk wilfully suppressing the correspondence or purposely omitting to communicate the Guardians views thereon. The Board have directed the preparation of an order under their Seal removing him from the office of Clerk.

Letter from Local Govt Board No. 13,550, dated 20th June 1879 requesting that they may be informed whether the above letter dated 17th inst was opened when it came into the

the hands of the preceding Chairman, as there is reason to suspect that the contents are known to Mr. Peiman, the Clerk of the Union. It does not appear from the minutes of Proceedings of the 17th and 21st ultims and 7th inst. that there was any special meeting of the Board held to consider his neglect as suggested by the L. G. Board, and they consider that the fact of the Guardians resolution of the 17th ultims having only now reached the Board is sufficient to show that the Clerk has not attended to his duties in the meantime and the Board have further to observe that he has neither attempted to justify his neglect nor shown any desire of amendment. The Board will however withhold the Order for his removal in order to give him an opportunity of resigning.

Jan. 1841

The Guardians having had before them the letters of the L. G. Board and the Clerk's explanation of his neglect have admonished the Clerk but as they are convinced that the accounts for the September half year will be prepared for audit by the 15th August next and the accounts for year closed by the 29th Sept next and having arranged that the Clerk shall receive acceptance thereof the L. G. Board will agree to and next deal with their arrangement.

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

Population in 1871—17,973. Present Net Annual Value, £1320-0-0. STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of June 1879

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated, Total No. in each building, Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Building, Additional Workhouse, Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, and summary rows for remaining, admitted, discharged, and total.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of June 1879 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: Relief Districts, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.), Total relieved out of the Workhouse, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (not comprised in Sec. 1.), Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for districts I through IX and a TOTAL row.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 28th day of June 1879

PRESENT: In the Chair— James Galbraith Esq. Other Guardians:— Walter S. Taylor Esq., A. Bellew Esq., H. D. Blackmore Esq., John Rochford, Owen Sweeney, John Torrest, Michael Connolly, P. P. Spelman, Arthur Cogan, Mich. Clachy, John Georgegan and Richard Burke Esqs. The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday, the day of 18 Signed, Clerk of the Union.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1001 to No. 1023 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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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 in favour of 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	Amount Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
THOMAS HARDIMAN	Ardamullivan												
	Ballycahalan												
	Beagh												
	Cahermore												
	Cappard												
	Doorus												
	Gort												
	Kilbeacanty												
	Killinny												
	Kiltartan												
MICHAEL TAYLOR	Kilthomas												
	Kinvarra												
	Andrahan												
	Castletaylor												
	Drummaceo												
	Killeely												
	Killeenavarra												
	Rahasane												
Skehanagh													
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 Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:--

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

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

Letter from L.G. Board No. 13720, dated 27th inst transmitting a copy of a letter which they have received from W. Thomas Rosingrave asking to be released from his liability as surety for W. Spelman, the Clerk of the Union, on the grounds that W. Spelman charged him with writing to the L.G. Board requesting that his name might be withdrawn and refusing to state who his author was

The Clerk of the Union stated that some time ago having been privately informed that W. Rosingrave was anxious to withdraw his name from the Bond he at once called on him for the purpose of ascertaining the accuracy of this statement and informed him that he was immediately prepared to release him from his liability. W. Rosingrave then denied in the most emphatic terms that he ever made such a statement and not even content with this denial wrote a letter (which the Clerk will lay before the Board next Saturday) further disavowing the matter. The Clerk did decidedly refuse

refuse to furnish W. Mosgrave with the name of the person who informed him of the matter & statement being made to him confidentially. Under the circumstances the Clerk will now consider it his duty to submit for the approval of the Guardians with the least possible delay the name of some other person in place of W. Mosgrave.

The Board next proceeded pursuant to notice to take into consideration the letters of the L. G. Board with reference to the neglect of the Clerk in having his account Returns &c in arrear. The Clerk handed in the following statement:-

Gentlemen,

Referring to the arrears which have accumulated in my Department and to the letters of the L. G. Board relating thereto and which you are specially summoned to consider I beg to state that this circumstance is entirely owing to the state of my health for the past six months. I have until very lately been subject to fainting fits which used to occur often several times daily and which rendered me physically incapacitated from continuous work. I beg to present to you certificates from D. Jolan and Taaffe and to remind the Board that in January last on the recommendation of the former Gentleman you kindly granted me leave of absence which I did not avail myself of hoping from day to day that I would be able to master the work which was at that time commencing to ~~accumulate~~ get into arrear. I would also further beg to

remind

remind you that on several occasions when attending your Meetings I have had with your permission to ask the Master to read the minutes owing to weakness. I must admit, Gentlemen, that I acted very wrongly in not communicating to you my continued illness and asking you to make arrangements for the discharge of the duties until I would be sufficiently recovered to discharge them satisfactorily and I have now to express my most sincere regret for not having done so and give you firm assurance that such a circumstance shall never occur again. The Minutes of Proceedings of your Board were not forwarded to the L. G. Board punctually of late in consequence of the Board having directed my immediate attention to the fact that the Half yearly Abstracts of Accounts were still outstanding and to which I was directing my entire attention believing that this matter was of primary importance. It may be that I acted injudiciously in this instance also but I am sure the Guardians will credit me when I state that I was trying to act for the best.

I am now sufficiently recovered to perform my duties and if you, Gentlemen and the L. G. Board will allow me a reasonable time to clear off the arrears I will undertake to have such done by that time and by the most strenuous exertions to regain to good opinion which I flatter myself you and they entertained of me up to the present

I have &c. John R. Spehman

Minute - The Board having had the letters of the L. G. Board on the subject of the Clerk's arrears

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of Accounts with his letter of explanation and the Doctors' certificates before them and being satisfied that the Accounts in arrears to 29th Sept will be ready for audit on the 1st August and the Half yearly Accounts to 25th March on the 29th September next the Board have arranged that the Clerk will receive assistance and this Board are to be informed each week of the progress made with the Accounts and having admonished the Clerk for his great neglect and remissness in not informing the Board of his inability to attend to his business but taking into consideration his previous efficiency and the opinion of the Doctors that they see no reason why for the future he will not be able to fully discharge his duties this Board trust the Local Govt Board will next be satisfied with and assent to this arrangement.

John Pritchard

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	-	-	-
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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.)

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

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

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

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

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

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

Population in 1871—17,973.—1797

Present Net Annual Value, 46,137 0 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of July 1879

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	729	729												
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse														
Permanent Fever Hospital	51													
Fever Sheds														
Total	780	729												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.														
Admitted during the Week.														
TOTAL														
Discharged during the Week.														
Died.														
Total Discharged and Dead.														
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.														

RETURN of DESITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 18 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

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

the 5th day of July 1879

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

W. John Rochford
Richard Burke, A. B. Holan
and P. P. P. P.

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

day of 18

Signed, Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. _____ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. _____ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature 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 - £ 4-6-7
 Paid during the week - £ 238-18-10
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 1131-14-7
 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	Amount Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
THOMAS HARDIMAN	Ardamullivan													
	Ballycahalan													
	Beagh													
	Cahermore													
	Cappard													
	Doorus													
	Gort													
	Kilbeacanty													
	Killinny													
	Kilbannon Kenosra													
	Kilthomas													
Kilbannon Killistum														
MICHAEL TAYLOR	Andrahan													
	Castletaylor													
	Drummacoo													
	Killeely													
	Killeenavarra													
	Rahasane													
	Skehanagh													
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 £ - : - : - was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. 25 10 10
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 31 3 6
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 2 10 2
 And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 4 11 2
 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 :-

148 lb Bread
 140 " meal
 86 " meat
 2 1/2 cwt Sugar
 270 lbs
 4 lbs pepper
 8 " heads
 110 tons Coal
 10 lb diff Coal
 112 " Soap
 5 lbs tobacco
 1 lb snuff

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 18th day of July 1841 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£ 1 - 18 - 2
In Kind,	
Total,	£ 1 - 18 - 2

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

The following Cheques were issued :-

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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):

Letter from L.G. Board, dated 5th July 1879 with reference to the Guardians' resolution of the 28th inst. relating to the Clerk's neglect of his duties for some time past and stating that in deference to the Guardians' wishes they will not object to give the Clerk a further chance and will direct their Inspector, D. Houghan, to visit the Workhouse on the first week in August and report on the state of the Clerk's books and Accounts and on the progress made in the preparation of the Accounts for audit. It must be distinctly understood that should D. Houghan's report not be satisfactory on every respect the removal of the Clerk from his office will be the result.

Galway County Council Archives

Circular from L. G. Board No. 13, 703:79, dated 30th June 1879 requiring to be furnished with a return relating to the salaries and allowances of Workhouse Chaplains and the average time each Chaplain was engaged each month in the discharge of his duties during the year 1878
Read.

The Clerk referring to his explanation to the Board on the 28th instant relative to Mr. Rosingrave's letter to the L. G. Board requesting to be released from his liability, as one of the Clerk's Sureties laid before the Board a letter written by Mr. Rosingrave on the 16th May. 79 in which after denying in the strongest terms that he ever intended to withdraw his name from the bond characterized the investigators of the report as Cowards and slanderous fabricators

A copy of this letter to be sent to the Local Government Board with a request to send down to this Board for temporary comparison the originals of the letters of Complaint with fictitious names written against the Clerk and officers of this Union and which accompanied the Board's letter to the Guardian No. 11428 & 11249, dated 30th May 1879 this Board observing that there
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is a strange contract between this letter of Mr. Rosingrave and the letter really written to the L. G. Board withdrawing his name as Surety for the Clerk.

Geo. Charles Burt

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

Population in 1871—17,973.

Present Net Annual Value, 43,137 2/8

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of July 1879

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 6 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.			OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse.....	729	213													
Temporary Buildings.....															
Permanent Fever Hospital.....	51	2													
Cover Sheds.....															
Total.....	780	215													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			10	38	44	48	13	9	24	13	17	21	6		
Admitted during the Week.			4	2	1	1			1	1	1	1	1		
TOTAL			14	40	45	49	13	9	25	14	18	22	7		
Discharged during the Week.			4	2					2	1	2	1	2		
Did.															
Total Discharged and Dead.			4	2					2	1	2	1	2		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			10	38	45	49	12	9	23	13	16	21	5		
															No. at corresponding period last year, 201

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of July 1879 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	6	7			6	7	Bt. forward.						
No. II.	2	6			2	6	No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	8	13			8	13	TOTAL						

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

the 12th day of July 1879

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

Richard Burke Esq
Arthur Alexander
John Forrest and P. C. Spelman Esq

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

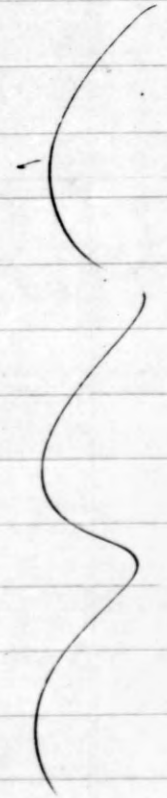
day of 18

Signed, Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

but not examined

The Workhouse Register was produced, ~~examined, and authenticated,~~ from No. _____ to No. _____ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. _____ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature 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 in favour of 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	Amount Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
THOMAS HARDIMAN	Ardamullivan												
	Ballycahalan												
	Beagh												
	Cahermore												
	Cappard												
	Doorus												
	Gort												
	Kilbeacanty												
	Killinny												
	Kiltartan												
MICHAEL TAYLOR	Kilthomas												
	Kinvarra												
	Andrahan												
	Castletaylor												
	Drummacoo												
	Killeely												
	Killeenavarra												
Rahasane													
Skehanagh													
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 £ - : - : - was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 33 s. 11 d. 9
 Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 31-8-0
 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 : 3-10
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 3-4 1/2

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

1436 lbs. of Bread
 227 " Brown Bread
 64 " Meal
 240 Eggs
 1 doz. Ale
 5 Sheep's Heads.

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 day of July 18 79 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

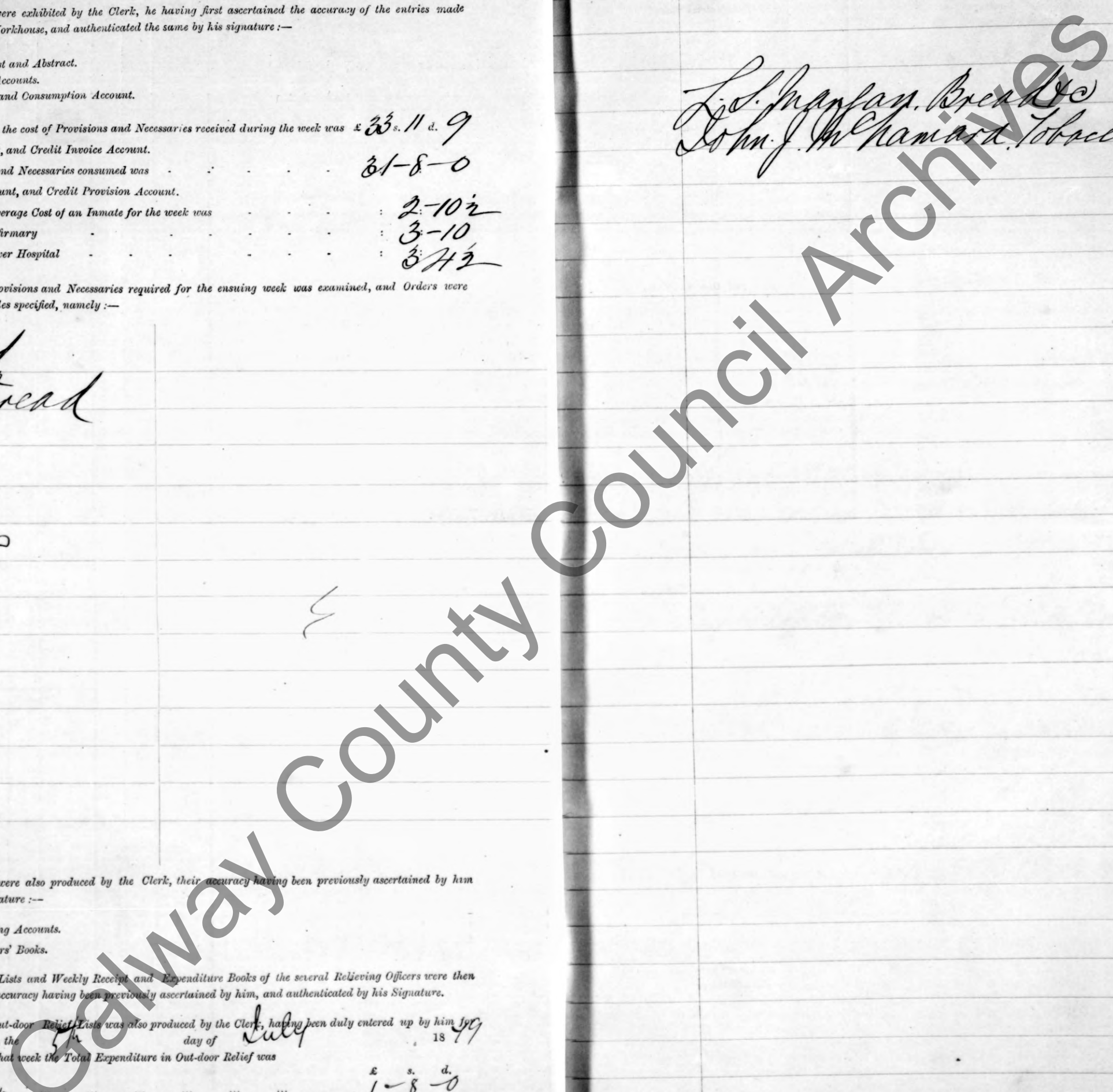
In Money,	£	1	s.	8	d.	0
In Kind,						
Total,	£	1	s.	8	d.	0

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

The following Cheques were issued :-

L. S. Mayday Bread &c
 John J. McNamee Tobacco

29 13 6
 2 15 8



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

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

Sealed Order from Local Government Board
 assessing the sum of £44-18-7 on the Gort
 Union under the provisions of the Cattle
 Diseases Act 1876

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):

Letter from L.G. Board No. 14705, dated
 11th July 1879 transmitting for the Guardians
 observations thereon a copy of a letter which
 they have received from Mr. Macinnes in
 reference to the nonabatement of a nuisance
 near his premises in the town of Esort

The Guardians have already at
 considerable expense abated any nuisance
 which did exist at Mr. Macinnes by laying
 down the necessary pipes and they must
 therefore decline to take any further action
 in the matter

Galway County Council

The Clerk reported that on the 7th inst a case of Cattle Disease was reported to him by the Constabulary at Tubber and no Inspector under the Cattle Diseases Act having been appointed for the Union he considered it his duty to telegraph to the Clerk of the Privy Council, when he was directed by the Council to have the animal inspected by a Veterinary Surgeon or by the most competent person whose services could be obtained, the Council at the same time stating that an Inspector should be appointed without delay. The Clerk in compliance with this order appointed Mr Patrick Gilchrist of Lichent to inspect the animal who reported to him that it was only suffering from bronchitis which is not contagious. Mr Gilchrist's remuneration is left for the consideration of the Board.

Minute - Steps taken by the Clerk approved of and a special meeting of the Board to be summoned for the 19th inst to consider the advisability of appointing an Inspector.

Doctor Hally was granted leave of absence from the 12th to the 17th inst. Dr Traffé consenting to do the duty during his absence.

The Clerk reported that the Half yearly accounts for the September half year were closed and the Abstracts prepared. The Parliamentary Votes Lists were also forwarded during the week. The preparation of the Half yearly accounts for March would now be at once proceeded with.

Approved - The Board think it would be better to defer sending the Abstracts to the Auditor for audit until the other Half year is prepared but the Clerk is directed to write to the L. G. Board on the matter.

Walter S. Taylor Chairman
July 19/19

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

Population in 1871—17,973.

Present Net Annual Value, *£132,000*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the *17th* day of *July* 18*79*

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 9 and under 15 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	729													
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse														
Permanent Fever Hospital	61													
Fever Sheds														
Total	780													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			10	38	45	49	12	9	23	13	16	21	5	1
Admitted during the Week			4	3	1							8		
TOTAL			14	41	46	49	12	9	23	13	16	22	5	1
Discharged during the Week			14	14	10	9	12	9	23	13	16	22	5	1
Died			2	5					1	1	1	1		
Total Discharged and Dead			16	19	10	9	12	9	24	14	17	23	5	1
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			10	38	45	48	11	8	23	12	15	21	5	1

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *17th* day of *July* 18*79* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (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.	5	7			5	7	Bt. forward,						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	5	7			5	7	TOTAL						

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

the *19th* day of *July* 18*79*

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Walter Taylor Esq. R.P.

Other Guardians:—

*John L. B. B. Esq. R.P. H. De Blacquire
Queen's Quay. R. Burke. R. C. Spelman
M. Coen. John Rochford*

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

day of 18

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. _____ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature 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 in favour of 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	Amount Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
THOMAS HARDIMAN	Ardamullivan												
	Ballycahalan												
	Beagh												
	Cahermore												
	Cappard												
	Doorus												
	Gort												
	Kilbeacanty												
	Killinny												
	Kiltartan												
	Kilthomas												
Kinvarra													
MICHAEL TAYLOR	Andrahan												
	Castletaylor												
	Drummacoo												
	Killeely												
	Killeenavarra												
	Rahasane												
	Skehanagh												
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 £ — : — : — was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 24s. 6d. -

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 31-2-1

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include: Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 2:10; Average Cost in Infirmary 3:10; Average Cost in Fever Hospital 3:5 1/2

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

Handwritten list of items: 146 lb. W Bread, 214 1/2 " B Bread, 168 " meal, 240 Eggs, 66 1/2 lb. meat, 7 Sheep heads, 2 1/2 doz. soap, 6 lb. mould candles, 11 1/2 doz. Washing Soda, 5 doz. Tobacco, 1 doz. Snuff

£

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 11th day of July 1879 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include: In Money, In Kind, Total. Amount shown as £ 1-5-0

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

The following Cheques were issued:—

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

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

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

Letter from Local Government Board dated 18th mo^o. requesting the Guardians with reference to their Minute of the 15th mo^o to give directions that the Abstracts of Accounts for the Half year ended 25th Sept. 78 be forwarded to the Auditor without delay and that no time should be lost in completing the accounts for the Half year ended 25th March 1879

The Clerk reported that he had received a letter from the Local Government Board referring him to the above letter, and that he was prepared to send to the Auditor the Abstracts for the Half year ended 25th Sept. 78, next week and also that the Half year for the March Half year would be prepared for Audit early in August
Abstracts for March Half year to be sent at once

Letter from Local Government Board
 No. 14711 dated 11th July 1879 transmitting
 for the observations of the Guardians
 thereon a letter which they have received
 from Mrs Alice Blake relative to the
 nuisance complained of near her
 premises in Gort

Minute. The Board have had before
 them the Sanitary Sub Officer who states
 that the yards of Mr Blake and Dr Nolan are
 divided by a party wall which is concrete
 on Dr Nolan's side along the Ashpit and
 Privy so thoroughly as to be impervious
 to any percolation of nuisance excreta
 Mr Blake's yard, but at the top of Mr Blake's
 yard there is situated a pit and privy
 in which it would appear the nuisance
 exists, and therefore should be abated
 by either Landlord or Tenant.

Mr'Brien having appeared before the
 Board and having refused to supply coal
 on the Guardians terms as advertised for
 in the Galway Indicator it was ordered
 that new tenders should be invited
 and considered on 2nd August.

The following notice of motion was handed
 in.

I give notice that I will move on
 this day fortnight (or some one on my
 behalf) that the salary of the Schoolmaster
 be increased from £26 to £33 per annum

(Signed) O'Connell

W. R. Joyce

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

Population in 1871—17,973.

Present Not Annual Value, 463132-0-0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of July 1879

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.....	729	191												
Temporary Buildings.....														
Additional Workhouse.....														
Permanent Fever Hospital... Fever Sheds.....	51	5												
Total.....	780	196												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			12	32	40	47	10	8	23	11	15	20	In Work-house Hospital In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates.
Admitted during the Week, . . .			3	2	3								8	3
TOTAL			15	32	48	50	10	8	23	11	15	20	8	3
Discharged during the Week, . . .			6	3					3	2	2	16		
Died,														
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			6	3					3	2	2	16		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			9	29	48	50	10	8	20	9	11	19		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26th day of July 1879 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)	Total relieved out of the Workhouse	Relief Districts	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)	Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
											Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	5	11			5	11						
No. II.												
No. III.												
No. IV.												
No. V.												
No. VI.												
No. VII.												
No. VIII.												
No. IX.												
TOTAL	5	11			5	11						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 2nd day of August 1879

PRESENT: In the Chair— Right Hon. Sir William H. Gregory K.C.B. & C.

Other Guardians:—
 W. Taylor J. James Galbraith M. J. H. B. B. J. M.
 Robt. Lattin H. D. Blackmore Arthur Alexander
 R. Rochford M. Coen J. Horne M. Connolly
 P. C. Spelman, J. Cochrane J. Rippe M. Munton
 M. Claxby J. Geoghegan and R. Burke

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 18
Signed, _____ Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 31 s. 3 d. 11

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 32 1 10

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary 4 1

Average Cost in Fever Hospital 4 6

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:—

1400 lbs. Bread
 18 1/2 " B. Bread
 112 " Meal
 94 " Meat
 10 " Tea
 56 " Sugar
 10 " Candles
 300 lbs
 1 Gal Whiskey
 1/2 bar. Porter
 1 doz. Ck
 12 Sheepheads

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 day of 18

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

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

The following Cheques were issued:—

Danl. O'Brien, maint of Burke	15
" " " " " "	15
D. Nolan Registration Fees	8 6
D. Gally ditto	2 12
L. Manjar Bread	34 1 4
Petty Bills (4-10-6) Depolman.	

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

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

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

Letter from Local Government Board No. 15719, dated 25th July 1879, transmitting a further letter which they have received from Mr. Blake relating to the nuisance complained of by her near her premises in Gort and requesting that they may be furnished with any additional observations which the Guardians may wish to make on the subject.

The Board of Guardians have no remarks to make on Mr. Blake's letter; they presume that the L.G. Board do not consider it necessary that the Gort Board of Guardians should investigate Mr. Blake's proposal for the sewerage of the town.

The Clerk reported that he had received a copy of an order made requiring the Select Vestry of the Parish of Liverpool to cause Patrick Duffan and Elizabeth Duffan with her two children to be removed to the Union "Kead".

Mr John Geaghegan having proposed pursuant to notice of motion that the salary of Miss Torde the Schoolmistress be raised from £25 to £33 per annum and the Board having taken the proposal into consideration a poll was called for when there voted as follows:-

For the motion

Against it

Mr Rochford
" Coxnave
" John Burke
" Staunton
" Geaghegan

Mr Taylor
" Galbraith
" Keight
" Lattley
" D. Macquise
" Alexander
" Coen
" Sweeney
" Connolly
" Clachy
" Richard Burke

The motion was ⁵ accordingly declared lost. Mr Torde declined to vote.

The Board accepted the tender of ^{Mr James} ~~Mr~~ Curtain for supply the Workhouse with 110 tons of best second class Mean coal at £0-19-6 per ton.

Resolved that the Local Government Board be requested to issue an order under their seal authorizing the Guardians to grant Mary Kearney the sum of £1 to assist her to emigrate to America.

B. A. Jones Chm.

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

Population in 1871—17,973.

Present Net Annual Value, £3132-0-0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of August 1879

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 9 and under 15 years of age.	Children under 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				No. in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS	
Workhouse	729	198													
Temporary Buildings															
Additional Workhouse															
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	3													
Fever Sheds															
Total	780	201													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			929	485	10	8	20	9	16	196					
Admitted during the Week.			2	31		1	1	1		10					
TOTAL			1132	495	11	9	21	10	13	206					
Discharged during the Week.			1	1	1	2		1		6					
Died.															
Total Discharged and Dead.			1	1	1	2		1		6					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			1031	488	11	8	21	10	13	200					

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of August 1879, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	5	13			5	13	Et. forward.						
No. II.	2	4			2	4	No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	7	17			7	17	TOTAL						

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

the 2nd day of August 1879

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Right Hon. Sir William H. Gregory

Other Guardians:—

John Corneet, P. C. Spelman, A. Alexander and Martin Coen.

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

day of 18

Signed, Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 36 s. 4 d. 2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 31-5-5 5674

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 2-11-4 2-11-4

Average Cost in Infirmary 3-10-4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital 6-7

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:—

1383 lbs. Bread
 86 1/2 " Meat
 228 " B. Bread
 112 " Meat
 1/2 cheaf. Tea
 2 cwt. Rice
 3 lbs. Eggs
 1 doz. Apples
 8 Sheepheads
 5 lbs. Tobacco
 1 " Snuff.

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	£	s.	d.
In Money,
In Kind,
Total,

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

The following Cheques were issued:—

William Flatley Cash

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

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

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

Circular from Local Government Board relating to a Return recently furnished by Works of Unions and giving instructions for the amendment of same. The return referred to relates to the attendance of Workhouse Chaplains.

Read.
W. H. Jones

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

Population in 1871—17,973.

Present Net Annual Value, £2132-0-0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of August 1879

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Inmates under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.....	729													
Temporary Buildings.....														
Additional Workhouse.....														
Permanent Fever Hospital..	61													
Fever Sheds.....														
Total.....	780													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			10	31	48	48	71	8	21	10	4	201	In Workhouse Hospital 57	In separate Wards, with other inmates, 10
Admitted during the Week.			2	3	3	2	1		2	1		16		
TOTAL			12	34	51	50	9		10	22	10	162	57	13
Discharged during the Week.			4	5	4	4	1					16		
Dead.														
Total Discharged and Dead.			4	5	4	4	1					16		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			8	31	44	47	13		10	22	10	162		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9th day of August 1879, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	5	7			5	7	Et. forward,						
No. II.	3	8			3	8	No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	8	15			11	15	TOTAL						

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

the 16th day of October 1879

PRESENT: In the Chair—The Right Hon. Sir William H. Gregory & George P. C. Spelman and John Redford.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Saturday, the day of 18

Signed, Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. _____ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature 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 in favour of 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	Amount Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
THOMAS HARDIMAN	Ardamullivan												
	Ballycahalan												
	Beagh												
	Cahermore												
	Cappard												
	Doorus												
	Gort												
	Kilbeacanty												
	Killinny												
	Kiltartan												
	Kilthomas												
Kinvarra													
MICHAEL TAYLOR	Andrahan												
	Castletaylor												
	Drummacoo												
	Killeely												
	Killeenavarra												
	Rahasane												
	Skehanagh												
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 £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 27 14 s. 9
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 31 2 11
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 2 11
Average Cost in Infirmary 2 10 2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital 6 7

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 :-

1390 lbs. Bread
280 " Bread
108 " Meal
28 " Red
600 " Butter
12 lbs. Ale
27 Arrowroot
9 Sheepheads.

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Large empty table with multiple columns and rows, likely for recording cheques issued.

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