

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as LOCAL AUTHORITY under the CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACTS, 1878 to 1890.

17th Dec. 95. Received a copy of "The Portal Inspection (Ireland) Order of 1895."

[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1891—38,719.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,265.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of Jan 1896.

Table with columns for 'Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided', 'Able-bodied', 'Aged and Infirm persons', 'Boys and Girls', 'Children above 5 and under 9 years of age', 'Children above 2 and under 5 years of age', 'Infants under 2 years of age', 'RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS', and 'OBSERVATIONS'.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending SATURDAY, the 4th day of Jan 1896, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for 'RELIEF DISTRICT', '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 DISTRICT', '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.'.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 8th day of January 1896.

PRESENT: In the Chair, M. Keaven Esq. v.c. Other Guardians:— Messrs O'Kearus, J. MacDonnell, S. Ruave, M. Fallon, J. Kirwan, G.D. Burke, J. J. Laine, J. McDonnell (S.), O. Kearus, M. Murphy, P. Burke, and A. S. Scott.

John Keaven

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 8th day of January, 1896.

(Signed), Robert H. Mullery Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1574 to No. 183, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2007 to No. 2007, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

* Including £7-5-4 Depayment of Relief

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, - - - £ 154: 6: 3*

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ 60: 8: 8

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was £ 929: 8: 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged			Total.			Remaining			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN H. BAILEY ...	Galway—North Ward	8	8	7				892	1	5			
	South Ward	7	15	1				612	19	9			
	East Ward	32	15	11				1372	0	4			
	West Ward							1080	3	8			
	Ballintemple							232	3	9			
	Barna							369	18	4			
	Carrabrowne						147	15	2				
					48	19	7				4707	0	5
NICHOLAS KYNE ...	Annaghdown	7	8	8				224	19	10			
	Aughrim	1	1	1				187	6	2			
	Belleville	5	17	2				122	4	0			
	Carnmore	9	5	5				175	13	8			
	Claregalway	4	2	2				265	17	11			
	Deerpark	17	3	9				139	8	0			
	Lackaghbeg	22	2	8				143	12	11			
	Liscananaun	1	1	1				194	1	6			
	Lisheenavalla	1	5	0				80	19	3			
					67	5	8				1534	3	3
JOHN MARTYN ...	Ballinacourty							285	1	8			
	Clarenbridge							314	16	1			
	Oranmore							268	4	7			
	Stradbally							87	3	9			
											955	16	1
THOMAS HERNON ...	Inishmore							198	11	9			
											198	11	9
OWEN KYNE ...	Kilcummin							104	12	3			
											104	12	3
EDWARD FAHERTY ...	Moycullen							100	7	7			
	Slieveaneena							158	11	4			
	Tullokyne							179	13	10			
											438	12	9
PATRICK CONCANNON ...	Furbough	8	12	8				74	2	5			
	Spiddal	22	3	0				117	1	4			
					30	15	8				191	13	9
FRANCIS KELLY ...	Killanin							95	15	0			
	Selerna							83	11	1			
											179	6	11
	TOTALS, £							147	0	11			
											8309	7	2

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

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

* Including £11-11-0 Seed Rates

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 8 : 17 : 4 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was - - - - - £ 64 : 8 : 2 1/4
 Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 58 : 4 : 3
 Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.
 And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - - : 3 : 3/4
 Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4 : 7
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 10 : 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:—

2308 lbs. White Bread,	8 lbs. Corn Flour,
49 lbs. Brown Bread,	,, Arrowroot,
cwt. Oatmeal,	,, Loaf Sugar,
cwt. Indian Meal,	,, Biscuits,
1492 qts. Milk,	,, Pepper,
440 1/2 lbs. Meat,	cwt. Salt,
87 lbs. Butter,	Chickens,
chest of Tea,	2 lbs. Bacon,
case of Cocoa,	
196 lbs. Soft Sugar,	lbs. Candles,
cwt. Rice,	1 cask Lamp Oil,
stones Flour,	lbs. Starch,
1364 Eggs,	560 ,, Soap,
1 half-brl. Porter,	,, Blue,
bots. Marsala Wine,	2 cwt. Washing Soda,
,, Port Wine,	80 ozs. Tobacco,
,, Gin,	
,, Brandy,	
,, Soda Water,	
,, Lemonade,	
gals. Whiskey,	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4th day of July 1896, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

In money, - - - £ 14 : 15 : 6
 In kind, - - - : 4 : 10
 Total, - - - £ 15 : 0 : 4

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.			RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		
		£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
No. I.	COLEMAN	10	0	0		Brought forward	20	0	0
No. II.	MARTYN	10	0	0	No. V.	KYNE			
No. III.	CULLINAN				No. VI.	O'FLAHERTY			
No. IV.	MCNEILL								
	Carried forward	20	0	0		TOTAL	20	0	0

Credit Treasurer and Debit Relieving Officers with Cheques.

Clerks Petty Cash Account. £ s d.

£	s.	d.
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Clerk to pay Small Bills.

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

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

	£	s.	d.
193. clothing etc. H. Phillips, for outfit	1	5	0

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

Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
175	E. Connell	For Bread	33	2	6
176	M. Kelly	" Milk	10	1	4
177	J. Duggan	" "	10	0	8
178	P. Barr	" "	9	2	6
179	J. Hogan	" "	9	10	6
180	M. Malley	" "	10	6	0
181	M. O'Sullivan	" Meat	39	0	9
182	M. Costello	" "	8	5	8
183	B. Semple	" Butter & eggs	35	10	0
184	T. Kean	" Groceries	15	0	2
185	T. Naughton	" "	3	8	8
186	J. Henihan	" "	3	4	3
187	P. Quinn	" "	4	18	10
188	J. Maloney	" Lamp oil	4	13	11
189	J. P. Hutchison	" Coals	27	12	6
190	A. Guinness & Co	" Posters	3	2	9
191	B. Connolly	" Groceries	4	15	11
192	P. Usher	" Bacon	.	16	0

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

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

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

HOSPITAL REPORTS.

Infirmary—Admitted during the Week, 13	Fever Hospital—Admitted during the Week, 2
Discharged " 7	Discharged " 0
Died " 1	Died " 0
Remaining " 95	Remaining " 6

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

Contractors Kelly and Hogan supplied sour milk once each during the week. Kelly forfeits his milk. Hogan took back the sour milk and supplied good milk instead.

Order. To be cautioned.

Please order the sale of old clothing, oil casks, lead, iron, metal, brass, and bones.

Ordered.

Arthur Duncleavy an able-bodied inmate has defied and abused me for some days. He was reported on several occasions before.

Order. To be discharged from Workhouse.

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

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

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

Dec. 1895. Circular from the Hon. Secs. to the Kingstown Life-boat Disaster Fund Committee, informing the Guardians that subscriptions to the fund may be sent to the Committee, or to any branch of the National Bank, Limited.
No order.

6th Jan'y '96. Acknowledgment on behalf of the Lord Lieutenant of copies of the Resolutions on the subject of Loans to Boards of Guardians in Ireland, adopted by the Guardians at their last meeting.

7th Jan'y '96. From McCloherty, Solicitor to the Guardians, explaining the cause of the delay in taking proceedings against John Carley for the recovery of the cost of maintenance of his

his father in the Workhouse.

7th Jan'y '96. Telegram from Rate Collector Thomas Hernon stating that he missed Tuesday's steamer and that he will be in Galway on Thursday.

8th Jan'y '96. From Pensioner Martin Murphy complaining that the full amount of his pension—6^d a day—has been stopped from him for the time he was an inmate of the Workhouse.

Read—

Notice of Eviction at Suit of Anne Wood Martin against Honoria Gealy from part of the lands of Ballymananagh with appurtenances.

The Clerk informed the Guardians that Rate Collector Francis Kelly failed to submit his Books for examination since he received his Warrants for the collection of the new Rate on the 23rd of November last.

Order. The collector's sureties to be informed of this fact, and the collector to be warned that if he does not submit his Books for examination without further delay, proceedings shall be instituted against him and his sureties for nonfulfilment of contract.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	25
Of which disallowed, - - - - -	-	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	11

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was	-	0
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	-	0

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 15th day of January 1896.

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

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 8th day of January 1896.

PRESENT—In the Chair, M. J. Keaveny Esq. D.C. OTHER GUARDIANS—

(Same as at page 73)

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 follow:—

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the Galway No. 3 Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 17th Instant, having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and reported that he had forwarded a Copy to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

Dispensary Districts.

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

	£	s.	d.
Cranmore - 194 - G. Green, for roof repairs at Dispensary	0	18	0

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

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

Salway District,	-	-	£
Moycullen District,	-	-	£
Cranmore District,	-	-	£
Spiddal District,	-	-	£
Furloughmore District,	-	-	£

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 189
stating that

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

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

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

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

GALWAY COUNTY COUNCIL ARCHIVES

GALWAY UNION.
 PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.
 (41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 8th day of January 1896.

PRESENT—In the Chair, M. J. Keaven Esq. V.C.
 OTHER GUARDIANS,

(Same as at page 73)

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

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

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 15th day of January 1896

(Signed), Robt. G. Mullery
 Clerk of the Union.

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

Galway County Council Archives

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as LOCAL AUTHORITY under the CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACTS, 1878 to 1890.

2nd Jan'y '96. From the Vet. Dept. Privy Council Office, Dublin Castle, enclosing forms for returns showing the receipts and expenditure of the local authority during the year 1895. *Furnished*

Received - A copy of a resolution adopted at a public meeting held in Belfast on the 10th ultimo, protesting against the suggested establishment of a Pasteur Institute in Ireland, on the grounds of the unfavourable results of the methods employed. &c. *No order.*

Thos Mc Donogh

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

15th day of January 1896.

(Signed) *Robert H. Mullers*
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891—38,719.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,265.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of Jan'y 1896.

Table with columns: Numbers of inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, Children above 2 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.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending SATURDAY, the 11th day of Jan'y 1896, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 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 DISTRICT, 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.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 15th day of January 1896.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Thos. McDonogh Esq. J.P.*
Other Guardians:—
Messrs M. Heaven, J. Kearns, J. Kirwan, W. Fallon, P. Ryan, W. McNeill, J. Laine, R. H. French (P.), D. Curran, J. Joyce, P. J. Burke, G. MacDonnell, and J. G. Scott.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 7 : 14 : 10 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was - - - - - £ 64 : 0 : 3
 Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. - - - - - 61 : 2 : 10
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - 3 : 3 1/2
 And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - - - - - 4 : 7 1/4
 Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 6 : 7
 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:—

2406	lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Corn Flour,
37	lbs. Brown Bread,	„ Arrowroot,
	cwt. Oatmeal,	„ Loaf Sugar,
	cwt. Indian Meal,	„ Biscuits,
1592	qts. Milk,	8 „ Pepper,
544 1/2	lbs. Meat,	2 cwt. Salt,
90 1/2	lbs. Butter,	Chickens,
	chest of Tea,	2 lbs. Bacon,
	case of Cocoa,	6 bots Soda (Whites)
288	lbs. Soft Sugar,	
2	cwt. Rice,	lbs. Candles,
	stones Flour,	1 cask Lamp Oil,
1424	Eggs,	12 lbs. Starch,
	half-brl. Porter,	„ Soap,
	bots. Marsala Wine,	„ Blue,
	„ Port Wine,	cwt. Washing Soda,
	„ Gin,	6 1/2 ozs. Tobacco,
	„ Brandy,	
	„ Soda Water,	
24	„ Lemonade,	
	gals. Whiskey,	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of May 1896 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ 14 : 9 : 0
 In kind, - - - - - - : 4 : 1
 Total, - - - - - £ 14 : 13 : 1

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer and Debit Relieving Officers with Cheques.

Clerks Petty Cash Account.

£ s. d.

205

Clerk to pay Small Bills.

1000

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

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

£ s. d.

Registration exp.

197	D ^r M. J. Lyden,	fees for Quarter to 31.12.95	1	4	0
198	Thomas Lydon	"	2	12	3
199	D ^r M. A. Lyden	"	4	11	6
200	Colman Bostello	"	1	1	0
201	D ^r J. Canolly	"		18	0
202	John J. Kerin	"	1	18	8
203	D ^r P. O'Lorman	"	2	8	0
204	" J. Golding	"	2	11	6

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

Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

HOSPITAL REPORTS.

Infirmary—Admitted during the Week,	14	Fever Hospital—Admitted during the Week.	2
Discharged	9	Discharged	0
Died	0	Died	0
Remaining	90	Remaining	6

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

The five men discharged from Workhouse by order of the Board at last meeting, were re-admitted by the Relieving Officer on the 10th instant. One of them, Pat. Connell, was under the influence of drink when admitted. Another, Michael Linnin took his discharge on the 11th instant.

Order. These men to be allowed to remain in Workhouse, provided they do such work as may be allotted to them, until the 1st of March next.

The gate to the female yard is worn out and dangerous.

Order. A new gate to be erected.

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

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

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

No. 178/Mis/95 } Forwarding a copy of a statement which has been
8th Jan'y. 96 } prepared in anticipation of the detailed information to be given in Board's next annual Report, showing the receipts and expenditure of all the Unions, and the number of persons who received In-door and Out-door relief in Ireland during the year ended the 29th of September last, compared with similar particulars for preceding year.

No. 179/Mis/95 } Forwarding forms for Quarterly Return of Rates
8th Jan'y. 96 } made or agreed to.
Furnished by return of post.

No. 178/Mis/95 } Forwarding forms for a return of particulars
9th Jan'y. 96 } indicated by the headings of the form respecting the persons of unsound mind in the Workhouse on the 31st December.
Furnished by return of post.

2nd Mis. 96. } Circular re annual election of Guardians in
13th Jan'y. } the several Unions in Ireland.

1266/96. } Referring to Minutes of the 8th instant, and requesting
14th Jan'y. } the Guardians to obtain an explanation in writing from Collector Kelly why he failed to submit his books for examination since he received his warrants on 23rd November last.

(The Collector attended and submitted his books for examination on the 11th instant.)
Order - A written explanation to be called for.

Rate collector Thomas Serron submitted for the approval of the Guardians the names of Mr Thomas Keane of William Street, and Mr John Serrone of New Docks Street, Galway, as his sureties for his new Bond.

Approved.

Mr G. M. Dunn requested permission to give an entertainment to school children, other inmates, officials, &c. in the Workhouse, similar to that given by him last year.

Refused.

14th Jan'y. 96. } Letter from Mr W. Sullivan, meat contractor,
asking to be refunded £2.13.3 amount deducted from his account, being the extra cost of beef purchased in lieu of beef rejected last month.

Order The Medical Officers of the Workhouse to be called upon to furnish a written report on the quality of the beef rejected by them on the 20th instant, also that they be called upon to examine daily the provisions

provisions supplied to the Workhouse and to report as to quality to the Guardians at each weekly meeting.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	23
Bitts disallowed,	-	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	7

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was	-	1
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	-	0

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 22nd day of January 1896.

(Signed), *Robert H. Muller*
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 15th day of January 1896.

PRESENT—In the Chair, *W.D. McDonough Esq. (M.P.)*
OTHER GUARDIANS—
(Same as at page 97)

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 follow:—

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

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