

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.
Galway ⁴⁶⁴	P. A. Leslie Esq	67	16	10
Cranmore "	" " "	11	7	5
Spiddal "	" " "	8	10	5
Imore ⁴⁶⁶	F. Golding	1	10	0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 82 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

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

Galway 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 80 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from L.G.B. No. 45,941/98, dated 18th October, 1898, stating that

transmitting a copy of observations made by Dr. Maguire, Medical Officer of the Spiddal Dispensary District, on his Return Form L, for Quarters ended 30th ult., in which he draws attention to the want of a press for the safe custody of the poisonous medicines at the Dispensary; and the Board request that this matter may receive due consideration.

Referred to the Spiddal Dispensary Committee for their observations.

The Clerk referred the Guardians to the estimate of Medicines, &c, required by the Medical Officer of Spiddal Disp. Dist. which was before them at last meeting and ordered. Having ascertained that some goods requisitioned are not contained in the British Pharmacopoeia, he wrote to the Medical Officer on the subject

[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:—

and received the following reply.
"The drugs ordered by me are now in the British

British Pharmacopoeia, and as a matter of fact some of the drugs mentioned in the Requisition Form are not now contained in the Pharmacopoeia, so I don't think you need be uneasy about being sur-charged. I have on different occasions quite recently ordered almost identically the same drugs in other Unions and there was not as far as I am aware any objection by the L.G.B.

I hope you will have the things sent on at earliest convenience as they are much required."

(Signed) "Joseph Maguire."

Order to be informed that the Guardians struck out the items not contained in the Pharmacopoeia from the order sent to the Medicines Contractor.

Dr. F. Golding, late Medical Officer of the Furloughmore Dispensary District, furnished Report Form H, for 15 cases of successful Vaccinations in the District between the dates 1-4-'97, and 30-6-'97.

Order. The several Medical Officers of the Union to be called upon to furnish reports on the quality of the Medicines supplied by the Contractors during the past year.

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 19th day of October, 1898.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Thomas McDonogh Esq. M.P.
 OTHER GUARDIANS,
(same as at page 433)

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 Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 26th day of October, 1898.

(Signed), Robert 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:—

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The Police at Inveran reported a case of supposed Swine-fever in the district.

P. Kearns

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 26th day of October, 1898.

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

[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1891—38,719.

Present Net Annual Value £66,782 : 0 : 0.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of October 1898.

Table with columns for Accommodation, Age and Sex, and RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Permanent Fever Hospital, and various medical treatments.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 22nd day of October 1898, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for No. I, II, III, IV, V, VI and Car. forwd.

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

the 26th day of October 1898.

PRESENT: In the Chair, P. Kearns Esq. D.O.B.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs P. Kearns, W. McNeill, J. J. Kirwan, W. Lynch (A.), D. Curran, P. J. Burke, H. McDonnell, and B. Hee.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4227 to No. 4259, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 9573 to No. 9573, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman and Countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the Week, - - - £ 341: 17: 3

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was £ 427: 6: 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

New Rate

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							528	17	7						
	South Ward							350	10	2						
	East Ward							848	79	11						
	West Ward							661	18	2						
	Ballintemple							102	9	0						
	Barna							230	17	9						
	Carra Browne							115	44							
											2838	11	11			
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							135	7	7						
	Aughrim							63	6	8						
	Belleville							41	15	6						
	Carnmore							125	10	11						
	Claregalway							205	8	7						
	Deerpark							42	10	6						
	Lackaghbeg							59	4	0						
	Liscananaun							123	12	0						
	Tisheenavalla							40	6	5						
											837	3	0			
JOHN MARTYN	Ballinacourty							157	11	9						
	Clarenbridge							163	2	8						
	Oranmore							125	3	10						
	Stradbally							83	4	1						
											523	2	4			
THOMAS HERNON	Inishmore						269	7	7							
											269	7	7			
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin						255	14	0							
											255	14	0			
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycullen							116	16	8						
	Slieveaneena							133	6	6						
	Tullokyne							104	19	9						
											355	2	11			
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbough							100	7	2						
	Spiddal							160	13	1						
											261	0	3			
FRANCIS KELLY	Killanin							125	6	11						
	Selerna							156	13	0						
											281	19	11			
TOTALS, £														5622	11	11

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

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 3 : 3 : 0 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was - £ 60 : 18 : 3

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 55 : 7 : 1

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - 3 : 12

Average Cost in Infirmary, - 4 : 8 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - 8 : 0

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

2274 lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Corn Flour,
21 lbs. Brown Bread,	„ Arrowroot,
cwt. Oatmeal,	28 „ Loaf Sugar,
cwt. Indian Meal,	„ Biscuits,
1460 qts. Milk,	„ Pepper,
498 lbs. Meat,	cwt. Salt,
124 1/2 lbs. Butter,	Chickens,
chest of Tea,	lbs. Bacon,
case of Cocoa,	6 lemons
224 lbs. Soft Sugar,	lbs. Candles,
2 cwt. Rice,	cask Lamp Oil,
stones Flour,	lbs. Starch,
1572 Eggs,	„ Soap,
1 half-brl. Porter,	„ Blue,
bots, Marsala Wine,	cwt. Washing Soda,
„ Port Wine,	112 ozs. Tobacco,
„ Gin,	
„ Brandy,	
„ Soda Water,	
„ Lemonade,	
9 gals. Whiskey,	

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

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

The 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 22nd day of Oct 1898, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

In money, -	£ 14 : 12 : 0
In kind, -	„ : 1 : 0
Total, -	£ 14 : 13 : 0

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer and Debit Relieving Officers with Cheques.

Clerk's Petty Cash Account.

£ s. d.

10 0 0

Clerk to pay Small Bills.

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

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

		£	s.	d.
<i>Election, Law, &c. &c.</i>				
18	R. F. Mullery, Franchise Com ^{rs}	83	9	8
19	J. H. Bailey, „	31	9	9
20	N. Kyne, „	13	12	5
21	J. Martyn, „	7	0	8
22	C. Faherty, „	3	12	5
23	P. Concannon, „	2	7	6
24	J. Kelly, „	3	16	3
25	J. Hannon, „	4	6	10
26	O. Kyne, „	2	5	8
<i>Registration &c.</i>				
27	M. J. Lyden, Fees for Quarter	6	1	3
28	M. A. Lyden, „	4	19	6
29	C. Costello, „	1	16	4
30	J. Bonolly, „	1	3	0
31	J. S. Kevin, „	2	18	3
32	J. Kyne, „	4	3	2
33	P. D. Glynn, „	2	7	6

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

Est. 6
Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

34 P. McLoughlin, for plastering work 1 10 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:—

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HOSPITAL REPORTS.

Infirmary—Admitted during the Week,	11	Fever Hospital—Admitted during the Week.	0
Discharged	9	Discharged	1
Died	1	Died	0
Remaining	87	Remaining	2

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

Matron's Requisition,

60 Blankets, 100 Pugs, 200 yards of sheeting, 200 yards of shirting, 100 yards of lining and 60 yards of cap calico, 200 yards of Bengal Strips, 100 yards of check, 100 yards flannel, 30 Shawls, 25 pairs of womens' Boots, 10 pairs of School girls' Boots, 20 pairs of Childrens' Boots, 7 lbs. of linen thread, 2 lbs. of Cotton thread, 10 lbs. Knitting Cotton, & 3 lbs. worsted, *ordered.*

Workhouse Porter's Report,

On yesterday I was obliged to swear an information against an inmate named John Quinn who attempted to steal me with a garden fork which was taken from him with difficulty by an inmate named Lee and a member of the R. I. B.

I would be obliged if the Board would kindly direct their Solicitor to prosecute in this case.

Order. The Solicitor to be instructed to prosecute in this case.

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):—

193/10/98. } Transmitting forms for the usual returns
18th Oct. } of Officers of the Union.

46.624/98. } Acknowledging the receipt of replies to
19th Oct. } their inquiries respecting the appointment of Michael Reilly as Shoemaker in the Workhouse, and expressing their approval of the appointment on the terms specified, viz: remuneration at the rate of 10/- a week.

191/11/98. } Transmitting forms for returns showing
24th Oct. } (I) the receipts and expenditure of the Union during each of the half-years ended 25th March and 29th Sept 1898, respectively; and (II) the number of persons who received relief during the year ended on the latter date.

46.620/98. } Referring to the replies to their inquiries
25th Oct. } respecting Honoria Duggan who has been employed as Wardmaid in the Workhouse, and expressing their sanction to the payment of remuneration at the rate of £1 a year to this woman while so employed.
The Guardians beg to point out that this woman was appointed at £6 a year.

194th Oct. '98. } From the Post Typewriter Co. expressing a hope that the Guardians will purchase the Typewriter left on trial free of charge with the Clerk, as Clerks of other Unions speak very highly of the machine. Price £23 less 5/0 for cash.

Order. To be informed that the Guardians consider the price too high.

24th Oct. '98 } From Mr. P. Corcoran, stating in reply to Clerk's inquiry that he is willing to continue as surety for Mr. Bailey, Rate Collector, the period allowed for closing the collection of the new half-year's rate being five months.

In response to advertisement for a trained Nurse in the Workhouse Hospital at a salary of £30 a year, with rations, &c, only one application was received.

The appointment of the applicant, Miss Frances Duggan was proposed by Mr. St. A. Lynch, seconded by Mr. J. J. Kirwan, and

and carried unanimously.

Order, Notice to quit to be served on the family occupying the rooms over the Relief Office at Calway.

Report of Visiting Committee.

We have taken stock of the clothing, provisions, &c. in the Workhouse and found it correct. We recommend that the worn out clothing and bedding mentioned in detail in the Clothing Receipt Book, be cancelled from the stocks.

We note with pleasure the improvement visible everywhere in the Workhouse and the Hospitals.

We recommend that the small tables that are placed at side of Hospital patients' beds be converted into cupboards to hold food, &c. That new Vestments be procured for use of the R. C. Chaplain.

That a specific Ward with separate water closet accommodation be provided for male patients, in the corner of the male ward yard, similar to the arrangement at the female side of the Hospital.

That the chimneys of the Workhouse and lying-in Hospital be pointed, and the louvers be made staunch, and the windows of the Chapel to be made staunch. That the porch in the female infirm ward be sheeted on the inside with match boarding. That a timber porch be erected outside the

main entrance door to the Workhouse, and a small porch outside the Gate Porter's room.

(Signed) John J. Kirwan,
Patrick J. Burke,

Report adopted by the Guardians.

Warrants for the collection of the new Rate were signed for Collectors J. Kelly and J. Heron.

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	-	34
Ditto disallowed,	-	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	5
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
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	0

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd day of November, 1898.

(Signed),

Robert A. Mullery
Clerk of the Union.

GALWAY 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 26th day of October, 1898.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

P. Kearns Esq. D.O.B.

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

(Same as at page 457)

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:—

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.
Moycullen	2 Year. 35. Dr. Honolly, vaccination fees	8	8	0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 82 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

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

Galway 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 80 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

^{L.G.B.}
Read Letter from ^{L.G.B.} N46404/98 dated 27th Oct^r 1898, stating that

they have received from Dr. Glynn, Medical Officer of Turloughmore Disp. Dist. his Return Form L, for Quarter ended 30th ult., from which it appears that he has reported 60 Vaccination defaulters to the Guardians on Form P for the period in question; and the Board request that the Guardians will be good enough to take energetic measures to enforce compliance with the Vaccination Law in the District.

39842/98 } Referring to Minutes of 31st August last.
24th Oct. } and requesting to be informed whether the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the several Disp. Dist., have since complied with the law.

Order. The Medical Officers to be called upon to report whether the defaulters have since complied with the law.

[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.: for Quarter ended 30th Sept. 1898.

Galway, No. 1, _____ defaulters	Cranmore, _____ 58 _____ defaulters
Do. 2, _____ do.	Spiddal, _____ do.
Do. 3, _____ 15 _____ do.	Turloughmore, _____ 60 _____ do.
Moycullen, _____ 2 _____ do.	

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows: Notices to be served on defaulters by Relieving Officers.
Reports from Galway Nos 1 & 2, & Spiddal Districts not furnished.

Reports from Medical Officers on quality of the Medicines supplied by Messrs Leslie & Co. Contractors, during the past 12 months.

Workhouse & Dispensary Apothecary.
The drugs were very good as far as my experience goes, & there being no reports from the Medical Officers with reference to the matter.

Moycullen Dispensary Medical Officer.
The quality of the Medicines supplied during the last 12 months cannot be surpassed.

Cranmore Dispensary Medical Officer.
The drugs supplied for the past year produced the effects I should expect from pure drugs. They have been sent with the utmost dispatch and very neatly put up. I have already reported same to L. G. Board at end of each Quarter.

Turloughmore Dispensary Medical Officer.
Concerning the Medicines in use during the past year, I beg to say that I was pretty well satisfied with them.

It was moved by Mr. J. J. Kirwan, seconded by Mr. M. A. Lynch, and unanimously Resolved. That Messrs Leslie & Co. be declared Contractors for the supply of medicines to the Union to the 29th September next.

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 26th day of October, 1898.

PRESENT—In the Chair, P. Kearns Esq. D.P.
OTHER GUARDIANS,
(Same as at page 457)

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 Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd day of November 1898.

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd
day of November 1898.

(Signed) Robert A. Mullery
Clerk of the Union.

[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1891—38,719.

Present Net Annual Value £66,782 : 0 : 0.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of October 1898.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building in each above state.	Total P. in each above state.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above and under 15 years of age.		Children above 9 and under 15 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 9 years of age.	Infants under 2 year 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,	816	298												
Temporary Buildings,	222	30												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	44	21												
Total,	1,082	350												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			1	22	112	114	17	7	22	5	19	319	92	5
Admitted during the Week,			10	1	8	11	2	1	1	5	37	37	12	5
TOTAL,			11	23	120	125	19	8	23	5	22	356	94	10
Discharged during the Week,			9	2	4	6	1	1	1	2	24	24		
Died,														
Total Discharged and Dead,			9	2	4	6	1	1	1	2	26	26		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			2	21	114	119	18	8	23	5	20	330		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 29th day of October 1898, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	120	202	.	.	120	202	Bt. forwd.	170	270	.	.	170	270
No. II.	25	35	.	.	25	35	No. IV.	15	16	.	.	15	16
No. III.	25	33	.	.	25	33	No. V.	15	16	.	.	15	16
Car. forwd	170	270	.	.	170	270	No. VI.	21	31	.	.	21	31
							TOTAL,	221	333	.	.	221	333

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd day of November 1898.

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:—

No meeting held, only one Guardian, Mr. Thomas J. Costello, being in attendance.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4260, to No. 4304, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

x Including £6.0.11 Repayment of Relief
and 7.10.0 Contn from Cattle Disease
Fund.

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, - - - £ 159. 2. 7 x

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ 471. 9. 6

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was £ 739. 13. 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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	38	18	14				489	18	8					
	South Ward	4	5	6				346	4	8					
	East Ward	66	12	8				782	7	3					
	West Ward	10	18	3				650	14	11					
	Ballintemple	4	10	9				97	18	3					
	Barna	.	2	6				230	15	3					
	Carrabrowne	2	3	6				113	0	10					
							127	12	0			2710	19	11	
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							135	7	7					
	Aughrin							63	6	8					
	Belleville							41	15	6					
	Carnmore							125	10	11					
	Claregalway							205	8	7					
	Deerpark							42	10	6					
	Lackaghbeg							59	14	10					
	Liscananaun							123	12	0					
	Lisheenavalla							40	6	5			837	3	0
JOHN MARTYN	Ballinacourty							157	11	9					
	Clarenbridge							163	2	8					
	Oranmore	11	8	2				113	15	8					
	Stradbally	6	11	6				76	12	7			505	2	8
											17	19	8		
THOMAS HEARNON	Inishmore							269	7	7			269	7	7
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin							255	7	4			255	7	4
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycullen							116	16	8					
	Slieveaneema							133	6	6					
	Tullokyne							104	19	9			355	2	11
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbough							100	7	2					
	Spiddal							160	13	1			261	0	3
FRANCIS KELLY	Killanin							125	6	11					
	Selerna							158	13	0			281	19	11
TOTALS, £								145	11	8			276	10	3

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

and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged