

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

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

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

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

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

23rd May '92 From Dr. O'Gorman, Medical Officer of Health of the Spiddal Dispensary District, enclosing letters he received from the Divisional Officer of Coast-Guards, Galway, and the Admiral Superintendent, on the subject of the open drain from the Village of Spiddal which flows within 20 yards of the Coast-Guards' houses, stating that he (Dr. O'Gorman) previously reported on this drain as being dangerous to the public health.

Read, the Guardians, repeating their oft expressed opinion that the ^{improving this drain} work ought to be carried out by the Admiralty and not have the cost imposed as an additional ^{tax} on the ratepayers of the impoverished district of Spiddal.

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

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

J. Wilson Lynch

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of June 1892.

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

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GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1881—43,101.

Present Net Annual Value, £65,781.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of May 1892

Number of Inmates for which accommodations provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. 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 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.		
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.			
Workhouse, - - -	816	308														
Temporary Buildings, -	222	30														
Permanent Fever Hospital, -	44	2														
Total, - - -	1,082	340														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			9	25	102	137	24	24	14	8	7	350	Under Medical Treatment in Infirmity Wards, } 74	In separate Wards, }		
Admitted during the Week.			16	4	9	1	1	3	2	1	3	40	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, } 5	In Wards with other inmates, }	5	
TOTAL,			25	29	111	138	25	27	16	9	10	390	Total, } 76	Total, }	5	
Discharged during the Week.			18	6	8	7	2	1	2	1	4	49				
Died, - - - - -						1						1				
Total Discharged and Dead			18	6	8	8	2	1	2	1	4	50				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			7	23	103	130	23	26	14	8	6	340	No. at corresponding period last year.— 359			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending SATURDAY, the 28th day of May 1892, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
							Bt. forwd.	128	276			128	276
No. I.	73	169	.	.	73	169	No. IV.	16	24	.	.	16	24
No. II.	29	57	.	.	29	57	No. V.	10	12	.	.	10	12
No. III.	26	50	.	.	26	50	No. VI.	29	34	.	.	29	34
Car. forwd.	128	276	.	.	128	276	TOTAL,	183	346	.	.	183	346

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of June 1892.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Major W. Lynch, D.L.*
Other Guardians -
Messrs J. Kirwan, N. Fallon, W. Heaven, G.D. Burke, G.B. Burke (S.), H. Davoren, and J. J. Sullivan,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4365 to No. 4395, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 8087 to No. 8091, 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 £ 11.9.11 Supplemental Loan for supply of Seed Potatoes

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 favor 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 follow:—

Table with columns: Name of each Collector, Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts, Collected and Lodged, Total, Remaining, Total. Includes entries for JOHN H. BAILEY, NICHOLAS KYNE, JOHN MARTYN, THOMAS HERNON, OWEN KYNE, EDWARD FAHERTY, PATRICK CONCANNON, FRANCIS KELLY, and a final TOTALS row.

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 £ 39.12.0 Seed Rate.

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was	59	7	5
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	58	18	1
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was		3	2 3/4
Average Cost in Infirmary,		4	2 3/4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,		5	10

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

264 8 lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Corn Flour,
46 lbs. Brown Bread,	„ Arrowroot,
ton Oatmeal,	„ Loaf Sugar,
ton Indian Meal,	26 „ Biscuits,
1420 qts. Milk,	„ Pepper,
3 1/2 lbs. Meat,	cwt. Salt,
7 3/4 lbs. Butter,	1 Chickens,
chest of Tea,	
case of Cocoa,	
168 lbs. Soft Sugar,	lbs. Candles,
2 cwt. Rice,	1 cask Lamp Oil,
2 stones Flour,	lbs. Starch,
1190 Eggs,	70 „ Soap,
half-brls. Porter,	„ Blue,
bots. Marsala Wine,	cwt. Washing Soda,
„ Port Wine,	64 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 28th day of May 1892, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -	11	0	5
In kind, - - - -	4	5	6
Total, - - - -	£ 15	5	11

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	18	0	0
No. II.	MARTYN				No. V.	KYNE			
No. III.	CULLINAN	10	0	0	No. VI.	HERNON	10	0	0
No. IV.	M'NEILL								
	Carried forward	10	0	0		TOTAL	20	0	0

Credit Treasurer and Debit Relieving Officers with Cheques.

Clerks Petty Cash Account.

	£	s.	d.
Clerk to pay Small Bills.	10	0	0

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

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

	£	s.	d.
<i>Eastern Hospitals &c.</i>			
65 D. O'Brien for Deaf & Dumb Institution	7	10	0
<i>Establishment &c.</i>			
66 R. Halloran on &c of Painting Contract	20	0	0

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

HOSPITAL REPORTS.

Infirmary—Admitted during the Week, 11		Fever Hospital—Admitted during the Week. 0	
Discharged	13	Discharged	3 (3)
Died	0	Died	0
Remaining	72	Remaining	0

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

With under standard during week.

Colleran's on 5 days registering 5.4.5.5.6 degrees of cream.

Lawless's " 6 " " 7.6.5.6.7.6 " " "

Malley's " 2 " " 6.7. " " "

Kelly's " 3 " " 7.7.6 " " "

Duggan's " 2 " " 6.7. " " "

Curran's " 1 " " 6 " " "

I enclose a list of requisites for Fever Hospital recommended by Dr. Colahan.

Ordered—

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

Galway County

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 21211/92. } Acquainting the Guardians that they have had before
31st May. } them the Abstracts of rate collected and lodged in the Union to the 21st instant from which they observe that collector Bailey has made very little progress with the collection of either poor rate or seed rate, in his district, only 5 per cent. of the latter assessment having been lodged by him to the credit of the Guardians at the date to which the Returns extend; and the Board request that this officer may be called upon to proceed with increased activity in the collection of both these rates.

Order. The collector to be called upon to proceed with increased activity in the collection of rates.

No 20309/92. } Forwarding for the information of the Guardians extracts
31st May. } from Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of Ballinashoe Union on the 18th instant relative to the

the transfer of a pauper named Denis Byrne to the Workhouse of that Union from the Galway Union Workhouse, and the Board request that they may be furnished with the Guardians' observations on the subject. The Guardians beg to state for the information of the Local Government Board that they had under consideration at last meeting copies of the documents referred to, together with a copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Guardians of the Ballinashoe Union at meeting on the 18th ultimo in which a threat is made that proceedings shall be taken against this Board for the cost of the maintenance of the man Byrne while he continues an inmate of the Ballinashoe Workhouse; that the documents were then marked "read"; that the Guardians do not desire, under the circumstances, to make further observations on the subject.

25th May, 92. } From Dr Cameron, furnishing report of analysis of
samples of milk forwarded to him, stating that not one of them comes up to the standard of average quality milk, but not one is so undoubtedly adulterated that he could certify it to be adulterated.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	25
Of which disallowed,	-	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	1

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was	-	38
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 Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 8th day of June 1892.

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

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. }

GALWAY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of June 1892.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Major M. Lynch (D.L.) OTHER GUARDIANS: (Same as at page 651.)

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

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

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

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.

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 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 Election to fill any vacancies 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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

30th May, '92

Read Letter from Messrs Harrington & Son, Cook, Contractors, stating that

they are in receipt of copy of D-Kean's letter. His complaints are very vague indeed. The Guardians will see by enclosed medical opinions that in the many Villages and Institutions where their medicines are used they give universal satisfaction. Being bona fide manufacturers they can guarantee the quality of their preparations, and so far from packing their goods in a slovenly manner, they are most careful, and they doubt if any other Contractors send out their supplies in a better way.

Resolved - That we respectfully request the Local Government Board to direct their Medical Inspector, D-lements, to examine the drugs in the several Dispensaries in the Union, it having come to the knowledge of the Guardians that, besides D-Kean, two other Medical Officers have had reason to complain of the ^{quality of the} drugs supplied by the Contractors.

[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.	Turloughmore,	do.
Moycutten,	do.		

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

1st June, '92. From Mr. W. N. Rims, B.C. informing the Guardians that he has handed to Mr. Scuple, Contractor, the necessary plans, specifications, &c. for the improvement of the Craunmore Dispensary Residence. The further improvements recommended by the Dispensary Committee will necessitate an expenditure of £57. 8. 6.

Approved

Vaccination Reports.

Galway Nos 1 & 2, Dispensary Districts, 70 defaulters.
Craunmore " " 10 "

Order - In the Craunmore District a few of the defaulters longest on the list to be summoned to Petty Sessions Court.

BURIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

The tender of Thomas Lodge for the sheep grazing of the Rahoon new cemetery for six months, in accordance with the terms of advertisement, amount £6.10.0 was accepted.

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*From the Privy Council, a copy of "The Neuro-Pneu-
monia Order, No 107, dated 24th May, 1892."*

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