

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 3 : 19 : 3 was produced and passed.

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was	-	-	-
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	-	69	14 : 0
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	-	64	5 : 1
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	-		
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was	-		3 : 0 1/2
Average Cost in Infirmary,	-		4 : 6
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:—

2680 lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Corn Flour,
78 lbs. Brown Bread,	„ Arrowroot,
cwt. Oatmeal,	28 „ Loaf Sugar,
cwt. Indian Meal,	„ Biscuits,
1680 qts. Milk,	„ Pepper,
523 lbs. Meat,	cwt. Salt,
85 lbs. Butter,	Chickens,
chest of Tea,	2 lbs. Bacon,
case of Cocoa,	
252 lbs. Soft Sugar,	lbs. Candles,
cwt. Rice,	1 cask Lamp Oil,
stones Flour,	4 lbs. Starch,
1399 Eggs,	90 „ Soap,
half-brl. Porter,	1 „ Blue,
bots. Marsala Wine,	cwt. Washing Soda,
„ Port Wine,	64 ozs. Tobacco,
„ Gin,	
„ Brandy,	
24 „ 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 20 day of January 1894, whereby it appeared that in that Week the total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, -	-	13	9 : 0
In kind, -	-	2	8 : 2
Total, -	£	15	17 : 2

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.
205 No. I.	COLEMAN	10 0 0		Brought forward	20 0 0
No. II.	MARTIN		No. V.	KYNE	
206 No. III.	CULLINAN	10 0 0	No. VI.	HERNON	
No. IV.	M'NEILL				
	Carried forward	20 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.

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

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

	Registration %.	£	s.	d.
198	M. Rice, Fees for Quarter to 31.12.93.	4	15	9
199	H. Phippen, „	5	17	0
200	C. Cactells, „	2	17	0
201	H. H. H. „		17	0
202	J. Kerwin, „	2	9	8
203	P. Loman, „	3	4	6
204	J. Huggan, „	2	11	6

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

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. 2677/94
22nd Jan'y 94
Returning the plan, specification and estimate of the alterations proposed to be made in the Workhouse, and stating that the Board see no objection to the works in question. Requesting that certified copies of the documents may be forwarded for lodgment in the Department with as little delay as possible.

Order. The Engineer to be called upon to forward certified copies as requested.

The issue of advertisement for tenders for the work; tenders to be considered at meeting on the 7th proximo.

No. 2648/94
23rd Jan'y
Transmitting questions for answers re appointment of Miss Kate Jackson to the office of temporary assistant nurse in the Fever Hospital.

Return duly filled in and signed, forwarded to the local Government Board on this date.

22nd Jan'y 94 From Relieving Officer B. Hernon, Arran Island, informing the Guardians that Roger Derrane states he has ample time at his disposal to act as temporary Relieving Officer; but if the Guardians continue of the opinion that he has not, he (B. Hernon) must comply with the request to nominate another substitute.

22nd Jan'y 94 From Rev. P. S. McPhilbin, P.P. Arran Island, informing the Guardians that during the two years he has been in Arran, Relieving Officer Hernon has fully satisfied him as to the manner in which he has discharged his duties. That he does not consider the Relieving Officer requires a substitute, for, if the poor had been neglected or in danger of it, he would have intimated as much to the Guardians. But if the Guardians consider it necessary to appoint a substitute, he is sure Roger Derrane has plenty of time to devote to that purpose.
Consideration deferred.

Pursuant to advertisement-tenders for the purchase of old clothing, &c. at Workhouse were received and considered and the following were accepted, viz:—

J. S. Clarke, Bones $\frac{5}{4}$ per cwt., Sea-lead $\frac{4}{4}$ per cwt.
Anne Foley, Coloured Rags $\frac{3}{4}$ per cwt.
Mary Holoney, oil casks $\frac{2}{6}$ each.

In pursuance of notice given for this day
 Mr. J. Kirwan moved

that in pursuance of Section 1, sub-section D of the Technical Education Act, 1889, a Rate of 1d. in the £ be levied over the Rural Sanitary District of the Union as provision in aid of Technical and Manual Instruction; and as the Board of Town Commissioners, Galway, the Urban Sanitary Authority have levied a similar Rate of 1d. in the £ over their District, and by resolution have authorized the Guardians to collect same, that provision be made in the Rate next to be made for the collection of 1d. in the £ over the Union at Large, for the above-mentioned purpose.

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

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

Being disallowed, - - - - - 0

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 8

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - - - 23

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 31st day of January 1894.

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

GALWAY UNION

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic. cap. 63), 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 24th day of January 1894.

PRESENT—In the Chair, W. J. Keaven Esq. (Ch.)

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

(Same as at page 121)

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

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the Clannore Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 10th inst. 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 Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the Half-year ended 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,	-	-	£
Moyoulten District,	-	-	£
Cranmore District,	-	-	£
Spiddal District,	-	-	£
Furloughmore District,	-	-	£

This is to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any 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 C 1 and C 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 _____
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.	Turloughmore, _____ do.
Moycullen, _____ do.	

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

Minutes of Proceedings at a Special Meeting of the Spiddal Dispensary Committee held on 24th January, 1894.
Members present, Messrs E. D. Burke and John Walsh.

Having considered the subject of Dr. Sorman's application for a locum tenens it was Resolved— that Dr. Sorman be called upon to pay his locum tenens the Committee having already paid a sum of £ 50.8.0 in 1891 and 1892 for locum tenens duty performed for him.

(Signed) Edw. D. Burke,
Chairman.

On the motion of Mr. J. Laine, seconded by Mr. R. H. French the following persons were appointed Wardens in the Spiddal Dispensary District, viz:—
Patrick Curran of Cloghmore,
Bartly Flaherty " Miina,
John Folan " Cornarona, and
Peter Costello " Longharney.

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

21st day of January 1894.

PRESENT—In the Chair, W. Keaven Esq. (Ct.)

OTHER GUARDIANS,

(Same as at page 121)

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.
<u>Drammore,</u>	<u>John Hartson,</u>	<u>Non compliance with order</u>	<u>to remove manure from the</u>
			<u>front of a dwelling house.</u>

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

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

21st day of January 1894.

(Signed), Robt. C. 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:—

No. 4/m/94. } Informing the Rural Sanitary Authority that
19th Jan'y. } the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1883 (46 & 47 Vic. c. 60)
and any unrepealed enactments amending
or affecting that Act, in so far as they are tem-
porary in their duration, are continued until
the 31st of December, 1894, by Section 1 of the
Expiring Laws Continuance Act of 1893.

No. 8th 6/94. } From the Accountant, Office of Public Works,
22nd Jan'y. } acknowledging receipt of application for
£50 the final instalment on account of
a loan of £350 for Spraw Waterworks, and
stating that the application has been forwarded
for the recommendation of the Local Government
Board.

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

24th Jan'y '94. The Veterinary Inspector reported on the case of Swine Fever on the premises of James Brennan of Adrigole, Clonbois. The pig was by his order slaughtered and the carcass buried. He valued the pig at £7.

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

31st day of January 1894.

(Signed) Robt. P. Mullery Clerk of the Union.

[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1891—38,719.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,333.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of January 1894

Table with columns for Accommodations provided, Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, and NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending SATURDAY, the 27th day of January 1894, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting,

Table with columns for RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, and Cases/Persons.

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

the 30th day of January 1894

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. McDonough Esq. &c.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs J. Kirwan, C. Burke, P. Kearns, T. Palmer (C.), M. Erraue, J. Leath, P. Kearns, J. A. French (C.)

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2297, to No. 2328, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 8474 to No. 8478, 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, £ 112: 9: 4

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was £ 23: 1: 8

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.

County Council

The Ledgments 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	1	1	1				747	42				
	South Ward	2	12	6				527	142				
	East Ward	6	10	0				1113	89				
	West Ward	12	4	4				890	08				
	Ballintemple	1	1	1				138	18				
	Barna	1	1	1				203	161				
	Carrabrowne	1	1	1				89	1311				
							21	610				3709	195
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown	1	5	5				91	1610				
	Aughrim	1	2	4				101	910				
	Belleville	1	1	0				75	108				
	Carnmore	3	3	4				98	78				
	Claregalway	1	0	5				162	185				
	Deerpark	3	4	2				93	160				
	Lackaghbeg	13	3	3				83	910				
	Liscananaun	5	13	2				127	1210				
	Lisheenavalla	1	15	7				55	105				
							28	88				890	126
JOHN MARTYN	Ballinacourty	1	1	1				197	93				
	Clarenbridge	1	1	1				204	158				
	Oranmore	1	1	1				164	34				
	Stradbally	1	1	1				64	96				
											630	179	
THOMAS HERNON	Inishmore	18	0	0				298	04				
							18	00				298	04
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin	44	13	10				68	153				
							* 44	1310				68	153
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycullen	1	1	1				77	101				
	Slieveaneena	1	1	1				137	73				
	Tullokyne	1	1	1				114	110				
											328	192	
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbough	1	1	1				67	96				
	Spiddal	1	1	1				69	72				
											136	168	
FRANCIS KELLY	Killanin	1	1	1				73	88				
	Selerna	1	1	1				67	210				
											140	126	
	TOTALS, £						* 112	94				6204	137

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 £1:6:0 Seed Rate.

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 Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.
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 Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.
 And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - : 3 : 1 1/4
 Average Cost in Infirmary, - : 4 : 6 1/2
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - : 8 : 1

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:—

27 1/2 lbs. White Bread,	4 lbs. Corn Flour,
7 1/2 lbs. Brown Bread,	„ Arrowroot,
cwt. Oatmeal,	„ Loaf Sugar,
cwt. Indian Meal,	28 „ Biscuits,
17 1/2 qts. Milk,	4 „ Pepper,
6 1/2 lbs. Meat,	cwt. Salt,
90 lbs. Butter,	Chickens,
chest of Tea,	2 lbs. Bacon,
case of Cocoa,	
2 1/2 lbs. Soft Sugar,	lbs. Candles,
cwt. Rice,	1 cask Lamp Oil,
stones Flour,	4 lbs. Starch,
14 1/2 Eggs,	90 „ Soap,
half-brl. Porter,	„ Blue,
12 bots. Marsala Wine,	2 cwt. Washing Soda,
4 „ Port Wine,	64 ozs. Tobacco,
„ Gin,	
„ Brandy,	
„ Soda Water,	
24 „ Lemonade,	
gals. Whiskey,	

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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 27th day of Jan'y 1894, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

In money, -	£ 15 : 11 : 6
In kind, -	1 : 14 : 6
Total, -	£ 17 : 6 : 0

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

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

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

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Credit Treasurer and Debit Relieving Officers with Cheques.

Clerks Petty Cash Account.

£ s d.

10 0 0

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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.

Technical Education Co.
 209 Rev. P. Hally P.P. Hon. Sec. to Committee }
 for Sundbills. } 22 11 4

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

Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit 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:—~~

Matron's Requisition.

- 20 pairs Blankets,
- 100 yards Tickew,
- 4 lbs. Linen Thread,
- 2 1/2 Cotton Balls,
- 2 gross Buttons.

Ordered—

HOSPITAL REPORTS.

Infirmary—Admitted during the Week,	15	Fever Hospital—Admitted during the Week.	1
Discharged „	14	Discharged „	0
Died „	1	Died „	0
Remaining „	93	Remaining „	2

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

Having noticed that the quantity of coal supplied in a cart by J. & P. Hutchison on Monday last looked small for a ton, I got it weighed at the Town Commissioners' Weighbridge, and, as will be seen by the weigh docket, it only weighed 18.3. instead of a ton. I reported the matter to their Manager.

31 Aug. 94. Letter from Messrs J. & P. Hutchison, Coal Contractors, stating, with reference to the load of coal sent to Workhouse on Monday last supposed to be light in weight, that they are positive their weighing machine is correct as they have had it tested with others and find it so. The ton of coals delivered this morning for instance weighed as follows:—

	Gross.	Tare	Nett.
	c qrs	c qrs	T. c. qrs. lbs.
On their own machine,	29.2	9.2	1.0.0.0
„ McCrossis,	29.3	9.2	1.0.1.0
„ Limerick S. S. Co's	29.2	9.2	1.0.0.0
„ Town Court	29.3	10.1	—19.2.0

and attached are weigh dockets showing above figures. They would suggest as a test of their weights that the Workhouse Master select a load at any time and have it weighed over in cwt's on a small scale.

Order—This suggestion to be acted upon, also that every check that possible to be applied.

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. 1684/94. Requesting to be informed what is the present
24th Jan'y. Valuations of the Galway Rural District.
Informed by return of post. £39,689.12.0.

No. 3845/94. Referring to their letter of the 25th September
30th Jan'y. last expressing their sanction to the appoint-
ment of Miss Julia O'Reilly as temporary assist-
-ant nurse in the Fever Hospital for a period
of three months, and the Board approve ~~approve~~
of her continued employment to the 13th instant
when Miss Jackson was appointed in her stead.

No. 3485/94. Acknowledging the receipt of replies to their
30th Jan'y. inquiries respecting the appointment of Miss
Kathleen Jackson as temporary assistant
nurse in the Fever Hospital for a period of
four months from the 13th instant and the
Board

Board approve of the appointment, on the terms specified, namely, a salary at the rate of £14 a year with rations.

24th Jan'y 94. Circular from the Clerk of Union, Ballinasloe, forwarding a copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Guardians of that Union as follows:—

RESOLVED—That we, the Board of Guardians of the Ballinasloe Union, do respectfully request the Government to bring in a Bill to repeal or amend the law relating to the deportation of paupers from Great Britain to Ireland; that we are of opinion that the present state of the law in this matter is most unfair, not to say unjust, considering that England and Scotland have the power to deport those paupers, after having the benefit of their life labours, to Irish Workhouses to maintain them in old age, whilst Irish Boards of Guardians have no power to deport English and Scotch paupers under similar circumstances.

That copies of this resolution be sent to the various Boards of Guardians in Ireland for adoption, and to The Right Hon W E Gladstone, The Right Hon John Morley, Justin McCarthy, John Dillon, T M Healy, Wm O'Brien, John Roche, J E Redmond, and Colonel Nolan, M.P's.

This resolution was adopted unanimously.

The Clerk informed the Guardians that on the 27th instant he wrote to Dr Colahan and Hyden, Workhouse Medical Officers enquiring when they shall have their report ready to lay before the Committee appointed to enquire into the increased expenditure for medicines, &c. for the Workhouse, the Committee having adjourned their meeting on the 29th ultimo for a fortnight, or until the report should be furnished by the Medical Officers. The following reply has been received from Dr Colahan.
"I have written to Dr Clements re your com-
-munication

-munication as to our (Medical Officers) report,
I am laid up with a cold myself today.

*Order - To be informed that the Guardians consider
the report should have been furnished long ere
this.*

An estimate of medicines, &c. required by the
Medical Officers of the Workhouse was laid before
the Board, and those requisitioned on the printed
form were ordered of contractors.

The Guardians having taken into consideration
the subject of the appointment of a substitute for
Relieving Officer Bernon, from Islands district,
for a period of three months, and acting on the
recommendation of the Parish Priest (whose
letter is entered on the Minutes of last meeting)
they appointed Roger Derrane, the Relieving
Officer's son-in-law, to act as substitute, the
salary of the Relieving Officer to go as re-
-muneration for the services of the substitute,
which arrangement the Relieving Officer has
agreed to (vide his letter entered on the
Minutes of the 17th instant.)

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	-	28
Ditto disallowed,	-	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	5
The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was	-	27
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 7th day of February 1894.

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

GALWAY UNION

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 63), 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 31st day of January 1894.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Thos. McDonough Esq. M.P.
OTHER GUARDIANS:—

(Same as at page 145)

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

Ordered of Contractors.

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

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

One ton of coals

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 *N. Kean, Aram Sanitarist* 27th January, stating that

having recovered from the influenza he shall resume duty as Medical Officer on the 29th instant. The late epidemic has been more severe and also more fatal than the others, six deaths having taken place in his district. In the fatal cases the immediate cause of death was pneumonia. The epidemic is now waning and he thinks will have disappeared in a short time.

The form of requisition for medicines contains many things that are obsolete, and does not contain those things that are needful in every Dispensary, such for instance as oiled silk or gutta serena tissue. There is no large wound, or burn, or scald can be effectually dressed without one or other of these things.

Order His attention to be directed to paragraph 2 of the form of Requisition for Medicines.

[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.
Moycullen, _____	do.		

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

Cranmore

30th January 1894

A special meeting of the Cranmore Dispensary Committee, was held this day. In the Chair Rev.^d James J. Keane D.D. & John Kerin —

The meeting was called to examine the state of the Medical Officers house and the Dispensary as also some damage that has been done to the large entrance gate to the yard, which has been blown down —

The Committee find on examination the front windows of the house are admitting a large quantity of rain water thro' the wall over the windows, and which flows across the floors. The remedying of this was part of the late contract — The Kitchen Chimney is smoking in a most disagreeable way, and this also, was part of the late contract — and which, altho certified for, has not been done or finished, in a satisfactory manner — The rain water finds its way in under the dispensary door and covers the floor — The large entrance gate to the yard has been blown down and must be put up again

The Committee regrets the manner in which the dispensary contracts have been carried out and closed

The expenditure for the half year ending the 29th Sept 1893 amounting to £89. 14. 2. was laid before the Committee

James J. Keane D.D.

The Committee takes leave Chairman
to refer the Guardians to their *Order* A copy of these Minutes to be furnished to the Engineer in reference to the dispensary work of the Board, & his observations on the complaints contained therein, to be requested.

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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

31st day of January 1894.

PRESENT—In the Chair, *Thos. M. Donogh Esq. J.P.*

OTHER GUARDIANS, *(Same as at page 145.)*

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

7th day of February 1894.

(Signed), *R. H. Muller*
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:—

No 3100/94 } Referring to application for the issue of the final
26th Aug } instalment of the loan of £350 sanctioned for
Arran Island Waterworks, and requesting
to be furnished in enclosed forms with
a statement of the work done and liabilities
incurred under the loan up to date,
Furnished.