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# GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1891—38,719.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,239.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of June 1894.

Number of inmates for which accommodations provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	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	345														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	20														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	44	1														
<b>Total, . . . . .</b>	<b>1,082</b>	<b>376</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			6	36	110	131	18	5	30	28	14	378	82	10		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			23	5	10	6		1	1	2	1	49	1			
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>29</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>10</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			22	4	12	5			2	2	1	48				
Died, . . . . .					2						1	3				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			22	4	14	5			2	2	2	51				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			7	37	106	132	18	6	29	28	13	376				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending SATURDAY, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of June 1894, 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.,	160	311			160	311
No. I.	106	214			106	214	No. IV.	12	14			12	14
No. II.	36	61			36	61	No. V.	8	11			8	11
No. III.	18	36			18	36	No. VI.	47	96			47	96
Car. forwd.	160	311			160	311	TOTAL,	227	432			227	432

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of June 1894

PRESENT: In the Chair, Thos. McDonogh Esq. J.P.  
Other Guardians:—

Messrs M. J. Keaven, O'Keams, M. Cunningham,  
J. Madden, C. W. Burke, A. Scott, W. Grealish  
J. J. Kirwan, & P. J. Haunon (Jr.)

*The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2922, to No. 2980, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 8582 to No. 8590, 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 clerk informed the Guardians that Rate collector Bailey had furnished a list of persons owing arrears of rates in his district but that he failed to give the particulars of the amount due by each defaulter.

*Order.* This collector to be informed that the Guardians have gone over the defaulters' list, and that they are of opinion that the arrears of rates could readily have been collected ere this, had the collector duly pressed for payment. That they will insist upon a more active discharge of his duties, and unless a satisfactory amount of the outstanding rates be collected and lodged by him during the coming week, he shall be proceeded against for disobeying the lawful orders of the Guardians. Rate collector Hernon has neither attended for the purpose of having his accounts checked, nor furnished a list of persons owing arrears of rates. A sum of £ 152.19.2 was lodged to the credit of his collection account during the week. *No order.*

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, - - - - - £ 483: 5: 9

And that the Balance on the Account *favor* the Guardians was £ 157: 18: 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.

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	75	13	6				289	11	1			
	South Ward	49	3	3				120	15	0			
	East Ward	59	16	1				414	7	4			
	West Ward	48	0	0				243	9	2			
	Ballintemple	7	12	11				53	18	7			
	Barna	11	1	9				106	7	9			
	Carrabrowne	15	6	6				34	16	5			
					266	15	4				1263	5	4
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown	5	7	1				35	1	3			
	Aughrim	5	6	11				15	13	9			
	Belleville		18	8				5	19	8			
	Carnmore	5	14	5				15	12	7			
	Claregalway	3	11	4				65	17	7			
	Deerpark	14	6	3				13	7	9			
	Lackaghbeg	4	17	0				20	30	0			
	Liscananaun	1	16	11				34	50	0			
	Lisheenavalla							32	10	0			
						41	18	7				258	1
JOHN MARTYN	Ballinacourty	1	4	2				7	4	5			
	Clarenbridge	2	13	9									
	Oranmore	7	10	9				11	0	10			
	Stradbally	1	17	10									
					13	6	6				18	6	1
THOMAS HERNON	Inishmore	152	19	2				94	10	0			
					152	19	2				94	10	0
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin							7	2	0			
											7	2	0
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycullen							4	5	11			
	Slieveaneena							42	7	0			
	Tullokyne							19	11	9			
											66	1	8
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbough	3	0	6				1	8	6			
	Spiddal	5	5	8				5	9	3			
					8	6	2				6	1	9
FRANCIS KELLY	Killanin												
	Selerna												
	TOTALS, £				483	5	9				1694	4	5

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

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



The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 7 : 13 : 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.	-	59	12 : 4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	-	58	14 : 11
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	-	-	-
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was	-	-	2 : 11 1/4
Average Cost in Infirmary,	-	-	4 : 4 1/2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	13 : 2

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

27 1/6 lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Corn Flour,
29 5/8 lbs. Brown Bread,	„ Arrowroot,
cwt. Oatmeal,	„ Loaf Sugar,
cwt. Indian Meal,	„ Biscuits,
16 7/8 qts. Milk,	„ Pepper,
4 1/2 lbs. Meat,	cwt. Salt,
78 lbs. Butter,	10 Chickens,
chest of Tea,	2 1/2 lbs. Bacon,
1 case of Cocoa,	3 parts Buttermilk
2 2/4 lbs. Soft Sugar,	lbs. Candles,
cwt. Rice,	cask Lamp Oil,
stones Flour,	8 lbs. Starch,
14 1/10 Eggs,	118 „ Soap,
1 half-brl. Porter,	2 „ Blue,
bots. Marsala Wine,	cwt. Washing Soda,
4 „ 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 16<sup>th</sup> day of June 1894, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

In money,	-	-	£	s.	d.
In kind,	-	-		15	-
Total,	-	-	£	16	3 : 6

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.	HANSON of Slattery			
No. IV.	M'NEILL								
	Carried forward					TOTAL	-	-	-

Credit Treasurer and Debit Relieving Officers with Cheques.

Clerks Petty Cash Account. £ s d.

155 Clerk to pay Small Bills.

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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>Establishment &amp;c.</i>			
156 Govt Education for School Requisites	1	6	3
<i>Collectors &amp;c.</i>			
157 J. Martyn, for Poundage Fees	27	11	5
<i>W.A. Burial &amp;c.</i>			
158 P. Hodge, for coffins	4	14	8

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):—

№ 24171/94. }  
19<sup>th</sup> June. } The Board have had before them the Minutes of the 6<sup>th</sup> instant containing a resolution proposing to pay £60 to Mr Bailey, Poor Rate collector, in account of his poundage fees: and the Board desire to state that having brought this payment under the notice of their Auditor, Mr Ellis, they are informed by him that, as in his last report he distinctly called attention to the irregularity of this practice, the Guardians by whom the cheque for the amount in question has been signed will be liable to be surcharged at the audit of the Accounts in which the transaction appears.

№ 25245/94. }  
19<sup>th</sup> June. } Adverting to Minutes of the 6<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> instant, the Board desire to express their sanction to the payment of £6.6.7 to Mr Roger Derrane, as remuneration for acting as temporary Relieving Officer of the Dismore Relief District during the

period from the 26<sup>th</sup> of March last, to the 30<sup>th</sup> ultimo.

№ 25245/94. }  
19<sup>th</sup> June. } Transmitting questions for answers respecting Mr Patrick Kain to whom the Guardians propose to grant a superannuation allowance in respect of his services as Tailor of the Workhouse.

Order. De Lyden, Workhouse Medical Officer, to be called upon to furnish at once a medical Certificate in this case.

In pursuance of notice given for this day, it was proposed by Mr J. S. Kirwan, seconded by Mr M. J. Keaven, and

Resolved - That the wages of Michael Kenny, the driver of the Workhouse Ambulance shall be increased from ten shillings to twelve shillings a week.

Ordered - Requisites for Workhouse Female and Infant School to amount of £1.6.3.

Ordered - The issue of advertisement for tenders for the painting of the Workhouse Chapel, &c. Tenders to be considered at meeting on the 4<sup>th</sup> proximo.

Salaries

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Establishment etc.

96	Rev. J. F. Berry	Salaries W.H. Chaplain	6 5 0
97	" P. J. Lally	" " "	32 10 0
98	Robt. F. Mullery	" Clerk of Union	35 0 0
99	Ed. J. Athy	" W.H. Master	17 10 0
100	Sr. M. B. Skerrett	" " Matron	15 0 0
101	M. Finn	" " School Master	12 10 0
102	Sr. M. A. Kane	" " " Mistress	12 10 0
103	D. N. J. W. Colahan	" " Med. off. r.	18 15 0
104	" M. A. Hyden	" " " "	18 15 0
105	" N. G. Grealy	" " Apothecary	17 10 0
106	P. Larkin	" " Porter	3 0 0
107	Sr. J. Macklin	" " Hosp. Nurse	15 0 0
108	" E. Hogan	" " " "	7 10 0
109	" J. Ryan	" " " "	7 10 0
110	Kate Dwyer	" " Wardmaid	1 0 0
111	Mary Lee	" " " "	2 10 0
112	Honor Mannion	" " " "	2 10 0
113	Anne Mahony	" " Midwife	3 15 0
114	J. M. Keenan	" " 3. Hosp. Nurse	6 5 0
115	J. M. Burke	" " " "	3 10 0
116	Martin Nestor	" " Porter	3 15 0
117	Peter Healy	" " Chapl. attdt	2 10 0
118	Las Coleman	" Relieving Officer	11 15 0
119	John Martyn	" " "	8 0 0
120	Pat Cullinan	" " "	7 10 0
121	Las J. McNeill	" " "	6 0 0
122	Owen Byrne	" " "	8 0 0
123	Martin O'Flaherty	" " "	1 18 5 <del>3 15 0</del>

Election, Law, &c. etc.

98	Robt. F. Mullery	" Returning Officer	2 10 0
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Superannuation. etc.

134	John F. Lynch	Superannuation Allow.	16 0 0
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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	-	53
Bitts disallowed,	-	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	10
The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was	-	3
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 27<sup>th</sup> day of June 1894.

(Signed), Robt. 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 20<sup>th</sup> day of June 1894.

PRESENT—In the Chair,  
OTHER GUARDIANS—

W. McDonogh Esq. JP.  
(Same as at page 1)

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 Jurloughmore Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 6<sup>th</sup> 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.
Galway	124	D. P. Rice	Salaries med. off?	30	0 0
"	125	" M. A. Lyden	"	30	0 0
"	126	" J. Keane	"	27	10 0
"	127	" N. Grealy	" Apothecary	7	10 0
Moycullen	128	" L. Bonally	" Med. off?	30	0 0
Cranmore	129	" W. P. Kiernan	"	25	2 6
Spiddal	130	" P. O'Gorman	"	30	0 0
Jurloughmore	131	" J. Golding	"	20	0 0
Galway	132	" P. Griffin	" Porter	5	0 0
Cranmore	133	" J. Mahon	"	1	10 0
Spiddal	151	" P. Kyne	For service of Vacc. Notices	1	0 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.

Galway District,	-	-	£
Moycullen District,	-	-	£
Cranmore District,	-	-	£
Spiddal District,	-	-	£
Jurloughmore 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 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 UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS,

(41 and 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 20th day of June 1894.

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

OTHER GUARDIANS,

*(Same as at page 1)*

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 27th day of June 1894.

(Signed), *Robt. H. Mullerds*  
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 following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz.:

Dist.	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
	<i>Salaries</i>			
135	R. F. Mullery	5	0	0
136	D. J. M. Rice	6	5	0
137	" Mahyden	6	5	0
138	" J. Keane	3	15	0
139	" J. Conolly	3	15	0
140	" W. P. Kiwan	3	15	0
141	" P. Gorman	3	15	0
142	" J. Golding	2	6	1
143	Jas Coleman	2	10	0
144	John Martyn	2	0	0
145	Pat Bullinan	5	0	0
146	Jas J. McNeill	1	10	0
147	Owen Kyme	2	0	0
148	M. O'Flaherty	0	9	7

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS acting as the BURIAL BOARD.

*Payments.*

152.	Robt. J. Mullery,	Salary as clerk to Burial Board	£ 7: 10: 0
153.	J. Darcy	" Cemtry Superintdt	10: 0: 0
154.	Patt Barr	" " Caretaker	6: 10: 0

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

*Payments.*

149. Robt. F. Mullery, Clerk to Local Authority £5:0:0  
150. J. O'Malley v.s. Veterinary Inspector 10:0:0

The Constabulary at Galway reported the following persons for allowing their dogs to wander on the public road muzzled.

Pat. Whelan of Dangan.  
Thomas Kehilan " Bushypark.  
Pat. Faherty " do.

A ballot having been taken as to which of the three persons should be summoned as a test case, the lot fell on Pat. Faherty, and an order was made that he be summoned to Petty Sessions Court. Solicitor to act for the Guardians.

*Wm. McDonogh*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of June 1894

(Signed) *Robt. F. Mullery*  
Clerk of the Union.

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of June 1894.

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodations provided, No. that can be accommodated, Total No. in each building, Able-bodied (Males, Fem.), Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, Children above 5 and under 9 years of age, Children above 9 and under 15 years of age, Infants under 2 years of age, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics and Idiots), OBSERVATIONS, NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS (M, F, Children under 15, Total).

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending SATURDAY, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of June 1894, 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., Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, Cases, Persons, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1., Number of Cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1., Number of Cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, Cases, Persons.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of June 1894.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Wm. McDonogh Esq. JP.*

Other Guardians:—

*Messrs. M. Keaven, P. Kearus, M. Cunningham, M. Finn, H. Davoren, A. Scott, M. Grealish, J. Grealy, J. Kirwan, C. D. Burke, J. McDonogh (JP), and A. H. French (JP)*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2981, to No. 3017, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 8591 to No. 8596, 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, - - - - - £ 214: 8: 6

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was £ 300: 1: 1

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	76	9	7				213	16							
	South Ward	9	17	8				110	17	4						
	East Ward	57	11	11				362	15	5						
	West Ward	21	19	10				221	9	4						
	Ballintemple	10	5	6				43	13	1						
	Barna	13	1	5				93	6	4						
	Carrabrowne	1	1	5				33	15	0						
							184	7	4			1078	18	0		
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown	10	8	11				24	12	4						
	Aughrim		15	2				14	18	7						
	Belleville		12	0				5	7	8						
	Carnmore	2	14	11				12	17	8						
	Claregalway	4	3	2				61	14	5						
	Deerpark	2	3	8				11	4	1						
	Lackaghbeg	6	5	1				13	17	11						
	Liscananaun	1	10	8				32	14	4						
	Lisheenavalla	1	7	7				30	13	5						
							30	12			308	0	5			
JOHN MARTYN	Ballinacourty							7	4	5						
	Clarenbridge															
	Oranmore							11	8	10						
	Stradbally									10			18	6	1	
THOMAS HERNON	Inishmore									94	10	0	94	10	0	
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin									7	2	0	7	2	0	
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycullen										4	2	11			
	Slieveaneena										42	7	0			
	Tullokyne										19	11	9	66	18	
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbough										1	8	6			
	Spiddal										5	9	3	6	17	9
FRANCIS KELLY	Killanin															
	Selerna															
	TOTALS, £							214	8	6		1479	15	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.

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

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 3 : 8 : 5 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.	58	0	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was			
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	57	17	2
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was		2	11
Average Cost in Infirmary,		4	4 1/2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,		13	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:—

2880 lbs. White Bread,	8 lbs. Corn Flour,
318 1/2 lbs. Brown Bread,	" Arrowroot,
cwt. Oatmeal,	28 " Loaf Sugar,
cwt. Indian Meal,	42 " Biscuits,
1616 qts. Milk,	4 " Pepper,
530 1/2 lbs. Meat,	cwt. Salt,
88 lbs. Butter,	7 Chickens,
1 chest of Tea,	4 1/4 lbs. Bacon,
case of Cocoa,	
252 lbs. Soft Sugar,	lbs. Candles,
cwt. Rice,	1 cask Lamp Oil,
stones Flour,	lbs. Starch,
1310 Eggs,	118 " Soap,
half-brl. Porter,	" Blue,
bots. Marsala Wine,	2 cwt. Washing Soda,
4 " Port Wine,	80 ozs. Tobacco,
" Gin,	
" 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 23<sup>rd</sup> day of June 1891, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - -	15	7	0
In kind, - - -		5	0
Total, - - -	£ 15	12	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	25	0	0
No. II.	MARTYN	10	0	0	No. V.	KYNE			
No. III.	CULLINAN				No. VI.	HERRON <i>H. Harty</i>	10	0	0
No. IV.	M'NEILL	5	0	0					
	Carried forward	25	0	0		TOTAL	35	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:

	£	s.	d.
<i>Establishment %.</i>			
163 P.M. Loughlin. Roof repairs - 3 months	2	10	0
164 J. Lydon. for smith work.	1	1	3
<i>Election %.</i>			
165 D. Lyden. for a Luncheon Fee	1	1	0

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. 25163/94. Informing the Guardians that the sum assessed  
31<sup>st</sup> June. on them under the Galway Hospital Act as their contribution to the maintenance of the Hospital for the year ending the 29<sup>th</sup> September, 1894, is £137. 0. 10½, and the Board request that the Guardians will be so good as to pay over the amount in question to the Board of Management with as little delay as possible, so as not to interfere with the efficient working of the Hospital.

Order. The issue of a cheque for amount in full.

No. 26290/94. Adverting to Minutes of the 20<sup>th</sup> instant, and  
26<sup>th</sup> June. expressing their sanction to the proposal to increase the wages of Michael Keung, the driver of the Workhouse Ambulance Van, from ten shillings to twelve shillings a week.

No. 26290/94. Acknowledging the receipt of Minutes of the 20<sup>th</sup>  
26<sup>th</sup> June. instant, containing an entry from which it appears that collector Herndon has not attended at the appointed time for the examination of his accounts nor furnished a list of persons owing arrears of rates; and the Board request that the Collector may be called upon for an explanation in writing of his failure to comply with the General Regulations in the particulars mentioned.

Order. An explanation in writing to be called for.

No. 26290/94. From Mr. Wm. Field, M.P. forwarding a copy of a  
26<sup>th</sup> June '94. pamphlet, "A Board of Agriculture for Ireland," and requesting the Guardians to pass a resolution favouring the establishment of such a department.

Resolved unanimously -  
That we respectfully request the Government to establish a Board of Agriculture for Ireland, being convinced of the great advantages to be derived therefrom.

No. 26290/94. From Miss Keenan, Head Nurse in the Fever Hos-  
26<sup>th</sup> June '94. pital, informing the Guardians that she has been served with a subpoena to appear in Dublin as a witness in the disputed Dolan Will case; and requesting the Guardians to grant her leave of absence for a week. At present there is only one patient in the Hospital and she is convalescent. Another experienced nurse is in charge of the Hospital.

A week's leave of absence was granted.

26<sup>th</sup> June '74. From the Solicitor, informing the Guardians that the person charged with the larceny of flowers and flower pots from the Workhouse has been sentenced to two months imprisonment, and to pay 3/- compensation, suggesting that the Guardians re-commend the conduct of Sergeants Ryan and Rooney for the ability they displayed in working up the case.

*Resolved unanimously -*

*That we beg to bring under the notice of their superior Officers the able and intelligent manner in which Sergeants Ryan and Rooney, P. St. Galway, worked up this case, and the great trouble taken by the former officer in the matter.*

27<sup>th</sup> June '74. From Mr P. J. Hannon, J.P. informing the Guardians that he will be unable to attend their meeting today, and urging that unless Mr Bailey, Rate collector, has complied with the order made by the Board at last meeting, that the penalty be enforced. *Mr Bailey furnished particulars of the rates outstanding in his district, and during the week lodged rates amounting to £184.7.4.*

27<sup>th</sup> June '74. From Mr. H. Finn, informing the Guardians that he visited his son, the Workhouse Schoolmaster, at the Galway Hospital today, and found him very weak and quite unable to resume duty. Enclosing a doctor's certificate, and requesting for him an extension of leave of absence for three months. The Schoolmaster proposes to allow half his salary to go towards the remuneration of his substitute.

*Resolved - That the extension of leave of absence asked for be granted, and that we agree to the proposal that*

*that half the salary of the Schoolmaster be deducted and devoted to the part payment of the remuneration of his substitute.*

The following contracts for the supply of coal to the Workhouse were entered into, viz:—  
The Limerick Steamship Company  
150 tons of best 4 foot Wigan coal at 15/9 per ton.  
Messrs J. & P. Hutchison,  
150 tons of best Scotch Coal, screened, at 15/6 per ton.

*Resolved unanimously,*

*That we again earnestly press the Government and the Congested Districts Board to take some immediate steps towards starting public works in the Aran Islands, otherwise the ratepayers shall be swamped with Poor Rate as the expenditure in out-door relief continues very high. The present Poor Rate is 4/- in the £, without any unusual expenditure, and there is a probability of the Rate being double this amount next year.*

*That a copy of this resolution be furnished to the Chief Secretary and to Mr D. Sheehy M.P.*