





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

Received a copy of Swine-fever (Movement from Ireland) temporary Order of 1895 (No. 2).

Received reports from Constabulary of cases of supposed Swine-fever on the premises of Edw. Hobarty of Kilonan, Arran Island and Pat King of Auloogreen.

The Veterinary Inspector reported that he visited the premises of Pat King of Auloogreen and found no trace of Swine-fever.

*Wm. Keaven*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1895.

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

Population in 1891—38,719.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,239.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of March 1895.

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 9 years of age, Children above 2 and under 9 years of age, Infants under 2 years of age, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse), OBSERVATIONS, NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS (M, F, Children under 15, TOTAL), No. Relieved during Week, No. in Workhouse at date, No. at corresponding period last year.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending SATURDAY, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of March 1895, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

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COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of March 1895.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *W. Keaven Esq. J.P.*  
Other Guardians:—

*Messrs P. Kearns, J. O'Donoghue, O. Kearns, W. Fahy, S. Ruane, M. Cunningham, A. Scott, H. Sullivan, J. Kirwan, J. C. MacDonnell, J. Gealy, J. Madden, H. J. O'Connor,*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4118, to No. 4150, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 8791 to No. 8793, 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 £1603.7.0 Seed Supply Loan.

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 - - - £1734: 3: 9.4

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £261: 0: 11

And that the Balance on the Account *favor* the Guardians was £2136: 11: 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	16	5	3				608	17	10																			
	South Ward	29	6	2				411	19	11																			
	East Ward	22	12	7				1066	1	6																			
	West Ward	47	15	11				692	4	5																			
	Ballintemple	4	12	7				135	9	3																			
	Barna	1	12	1				194	19	7																			
	Carrabrowne	.	.	.				111	18	6																			
							122	27																					
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							81	13	1																			
	Aughrim							52	17	2																			
	Belleville							54	0	3																			
	Carnmore							84	8	3																			
	Claregalway							99	7	10																			
	Deerpark							110	16	3																			
	Lackaghbeg							59	19	4																			
	Liscananaun							86	18	5																			
	Lisheenavalla							37	17	2																			
													667	17	9														
JOHN MARTYN	Ballinacourty							115	16	1																			
	Clarenbridge							96	9	6																			
	Oranmore							121	5	8																			
	Stradbally							6	8	8																			
																339	19	11											
THOMAS HERNON	Inishmore							219	19	11								319	19	11									
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin							20	7	4								20	7	4									
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycullen							25	2	10																			
	Slieveaneena							88	15	9																			
	Tullokyne							37	17	6																			
																					157	16	1						
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbough							3	19	9																			
	Spiddal							15	8	3																			
																								17	8	0			
FRANCIS KELLY	Killanin	2	5	0				7	2	9																			
	Selerna	6	8	4				13	5	6																			
								8	14	2																20	8	3	
	TOTALS, £							130	16	9																	476	18	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.

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 £ 4 : 13 : 8 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	2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	-	61	13
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	-	-	7
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was	-	-	3
Average Cost in Infirmary,	-	-	4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	9
			23/4
			5 1/2
			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:—

2458 lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Corn Flour,
302 lbs. Brown Bread,	„ Arrowroot,
cwt. Oatmeal,	„ Loaf Sugar,
cwt. Indian Meal,	„ Biscuits,
1612 qts. Milk,	„ Pepper,
546 lbs. Meat,	cwt. Salt,
99 lbs. Butter,	Chickens,
1 chest of Tea,	2 lbs. Bacon,
1 case of Cocoa,	
224 lbs. Soft Sugar,	lbs. Candles,
cwt. Rice,	1 cask Lamp Oil,
stones Flour,	8 lbs. Starch,
1399 Eggs,	118 „ Soap,
1 half-brl. Porter,	„ Blue,
bots. Marsala Wine,	cwt. Washing Soda,
„ Port Wine,	80 ozs. Tobacco,
4 „ Rum	
2 „ Brandy,	
12 „ 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 9th day of Mar 1895, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, -	-	17	8
In kind, -	-	-	4
			6
Total, -	£	17	12
			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	10 0 0		Brought forward	30 0 0
No. II.	MARTYN	10 0 0	No. V.	KYNE	
No. III.	CULLINAN	10 0 0	No. VI.	HERNON	
No. IV.	M'NEILL				
	Carried forward	30 0 0		TOTAL	30 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>Establishment &amp;c.</i>			
271 Town Commissioners for Water Rate	65	0	0
<i>Seed supply &amp;c.</i>			
273 H. B. Purbridge Freight on Potatoes	13	5	7
274 Andrews & Co on a/c	1000	0	0

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



Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

HOSPITAL REPORTS.

Infirmary—Admitted during the Week, 20		Fever Hospital—Admitted during the Week. 1	
Discharged	" 16	Discharged	" 0
Died	" 1	Died	" 2
Remaining	" 107	Remaining	" 6

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

On the 8<sup>th</sup> instant I forwarded to Dr. Cameron samples of milk received that morning.

Pat Hanniffy, an inmate of the Workhouse was sentenced to a month's imprisonment for assaulting another inmate.

Thomas Cornell, army pensioner, left the Workhouse to look after his pension papers, and has not returned. He took with him a pair of trousers and a pair of boots, belonging to the Union. *Order. To be reported to his Pension Paymaster.*

Committee Report.

13-3-'95" We have gone carefully through the different items in the Solicitor's Account—and reduced same by the amount of £6.3.8. In this amount is one item of £2.2.0 for attendance at Moycullen Petty Sessions in a case where he was not specially instructed by the Guardians to appear. On the whole we consider Mr. O'Loherly's charges to compare favourably with other Solicitors' Bills of Costs. We recommend that he be paid the sum of £22.5.8, this being the total amount due after making the above-mentioned deduction.

Signed: P. Kearns, C. J. O'Connor, & H. MacDonnell.

*Order. The issue of a cheque for £22.5.8.*



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):—

8642/95. Forwarding a copy of an Order of the House of Commons for a Return showing the total remuneration from all public sources of the Clerk to each Union; the amount paid by the Guardians to their Solicitor; and the total remuneration from all public sources of the Doctor of each Dispensary District in Ireland

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9977/95. Acknowledging the receipt of the resolution adopted by the Guardians on the 27<sup>th</sup> inst., relative to the surcharge made by Mr. Ellis, L.S. Auditor, at his recent audit of the Union Accounts, in respect of a payment made to Collector Bailey on account of his poundage fees; and the Board desire to state that they have referred the matter

matter to Mr. Ellis, who informs them that, having regard to the undertaking given by the Guardians that care will be taken in future to avoid making any payments to collectors until their collections have been closed, he will not at present proceed to enforce the surcharge, and that whether he will ultimately do so or not depends on the future action of the Guardians in the matter.

11<sup>th</sup> Mar. 95. From the Under Secretary, Dublin Castle, acknowledging the receipt of Clerk's letter of the 7<sup>th</sup> inst., and stating that the Irish Government has decided to open Relief Works in the Electoral Divisions of Kilmurmin, Kiltavinagh, Selerna, and Spiddal in the Galway Union on or about the 15<sup>th</sup> inst.

9<sup>th</sup> Mar. 95. From the District Inspector of National Schools, giving notice that he will inspect the Workhouse Schools on the 9<sup>th</sup> proximo.

13<sup>th</sup> Mar. 95. From Army Pensioner Pat. Canavan, requesting the Guardians to remit the charge against <sup>him</sup> for the maintenance and medical treatment of his wife in the Workhouse Hospital, his pension being only 10<sup>s</sup> a day.

*Charge reduced to the rate of 1/6 a week.*



## Relieving Officers Report.

"In compliance with order of the Board on the 6<sup>th</sup> inst. I visited the townlands of Terramoyle East and West and Cushey in Barrow Electoral Division. I visited each family. The persons stated that they are in debt to shopkeepers for provisions and cannot get any more provisions on credit. If they got employment at road making or similar work it would enable them tide over the next 2 or 3 months, and they would then be able to struggle through the remainder of the year. Amongst the names mentioned in the list furnished I found only one person in extreme destitution to whom I gave provisionals out relief."

(Signed) "James Coleman"  
"Relieving Officer."

On the motion of Mr. M. Cunningham, seconded by Mr. H. MacDonnell it was unanimously Resolved - That we respectfully urge the Local Government Board to permit us to give out-door relief to destitute poor persons in occupation of land of greater extent than a quarter of a statute acre, as many poor persons in occupation of a small portion of wretchedly poor land are at present in dire distress; and to compel them and their families to come into the Workhouse would be the means of breaking up their homes.

## Seed Supply.

12<sup>th</sup> Mar. '95. Letter from Andrews & Co. Coleraine, stating that steamer sails today with about 2,72 tons of potatoes for Galway Union, and requesting to be favoured with a cheque for £1000 on account on the arrival of the steamer.

Order - The issue of a cheque for £1000 to Messrs. Andrews & Co. but to be retained by the Clerk until the potatoes have passed inspection here.

Supplemental Lists and Estimate of Loan required amounting to £392.3.6 accompany Minutes.



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	-	33
Ditto disallowed,	-	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	8

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was	-	1
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	-	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	0

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 20<sup>th</sup> day of March 1895.

(Signed), *Robt. J. 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 13<sup>th</sup> day of March 1895.

PRESENT—In the Chair, *M. Kerou Esq. J.C.*  
OTHER GUARDIANS—

*(Same as at page 289)*

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

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

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



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.
Galweg	271. Town Com <sup>rs</sup> for Rates Rate on Galweg Disp.	5	0	0
"	272. St. Aice, " Vaccination Fees	38	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 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.

Galweg District,	-	-	£
Moycullen 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 election to fill any vacancy in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

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

Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject.)



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

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ 189  
 stating that

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

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

Galway, No. 1, _____ defaulters	Cranmore, _____ defaulters
Do. 2, _____ do.	Spidhal, _____ 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 13th day of March 1895.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

H. Keaveney Esq. V.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS,

(Same as at page 289)

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

20th day of March 1895.

(Signed),

Robt. J. 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:—

11<sup>th</sup> Mar. 95, From the Secretary to Congested Districts Board, acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter of the 7<sup>th</sup> instant, reporting completion of Arrau Water-works and requesting promised contribution; stating that the communication shall be brought before the Congested Districts Board.







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

Reports were received from the Constabulary of cases of supposed Swine-fever on the premises of Isaac Carpenter of St. Patrick's Avenue, Galway, and Edward Heaherty and Andrew Cooke of Shan Slaced. The Veterinary Inspector reported that the diseased animals have been slaughtered, and the carcasses buried, and the places declared infested.

*Wm. McCann*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of March 1895.

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

[Special.]

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 March 1895.

Number of Inmates for which accommodations provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building of the above class.	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 6 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	326															
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	30															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	44	5															
Total, . . . . .	1,082	361															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			7	30	122	121	21	11	23	24	9	368	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, 109	In separate Wards, 160			
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			14	1	6	5				1		27	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, 5	In Wards with other inmates, . . . . .			
TOTAL, . . . . .			21	31	128	126	21	11	23	25	9	395	Total, 114	Total, 160			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			12	3	12	4						31					
Died, . . . . .												3					
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			12	3	12	4						34					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			9	28	115	120	21	11	23	25	9	361					
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
													No. Relieved during Week, . . . . .	M. 16	F. 3	Children under 15, . . . . .	TOTAL 19
													No. in Workhouse at date, . . . . .	3			3
													No. at corresponding period last year, . . . . . 396				

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 March 1895, 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.	
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No. I.	95	181			95	181	Bt. forwd.,	148	263			148	263
No. II.	36	56			36	56	No. IV.	19	22			19	22
No. III.	17	26			17	26	No. V.	16	27			16	27
Car. forwd.	148	263			148	263	No. VI.	32	42			32	42
							TOTAL,	315	384			315	384

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PRESENT: In the Chair, *Wm. McDonogh Esq. M.P.*

Other Guardians:—

*Messrs. H. Keenan, P. Kearns, C.D. Burke, S. Quinn, A. Scott, D. Curran, J. O'Donoghue, J. McDonnell, and P. H. French (M.P.)*

*D. Clements, L.G. Medical Inspector attended,*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4151, to No. 4181, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 8794 to No. 8797, 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 - - - £ 233:14:7

Paid during the Week, - - - - - £ 369:12:2

And that the Balance on the Account *favour* the Guardians was £2000:13:6

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.		
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JOHN H. BAILEY	Galway—North Ward	4	19	0				603	18	10			
	South Ward	6	7	6				405	12	5			
	East Ward	27	15	0				1038	6	6			
	West Ward	33	7	6				658	16	11			
	Ballintemple	1	15	8				133	13	7			
	Barna	2	3	2				192	16	5			
	Carrabrowne	2	14	5				109	4	1			
							79	23					314289
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown	27	3	2				54	9	11			
	Aughrim	15	7	2				37	10	0			
	Belleville	2	19	0				51	1	3			
	Carnmore	12	6	11				72	1	4			
	Claregalway	7	3	1				92	4	9			
	Deerpark	13	7	11				97	8	4			
	Lackaghbeg	18	8	9				41	10	7			
	Liscananaun	7	8	2				79	10	3			
	Lisheenavalla	1	9	2				36	8	0			
							105	13	4				56245
JOHN MARTYN	Ballinacourty	.	.	.				115	16	1			
	Clarenbridge	.	.	.				96	9	6			
	Oranmore	.	.	.				121	5	8			
	Stradbally	.	.	.				6	8	8			
													3391511
THOMAS HERNON	Inishmore	4	18	9				315	1	2			
							4	18	9				31512
OWEN KYNE	Kilcummin	.	.	.				20	7	4			
													2074
EDWARD FAHERTY	Moycullen	12	3	1				12	19	9			
	Slieveaneena	12	3	8				76	12	1			
	Tullokyne	12	15	3				25	2	3			
							37	20					114141
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbough	2	0	7				1	19	2			
	Spiddal	4	17	8				10	10	7			
							6	18	3				1299
FRANCIS KELLY	Killanin	.	.	.				7	2	9			
	Selerna	.	.	.				13	5	6			
													2083
TOTALS, £								4	23	14			4527138*

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 £1.12.0 Seed Rate.



The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 2 : 19 : 8 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	67	17	0
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	63	6	10
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was	-	3	3 1/2
Average Cost in Infirmary,	-	4	6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,	-	9	11

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:—

2552 lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Corn Flour,	
284 lbs. Brown Bread,	„ Arrowroot,	
2 cwt. Oatmeal,	„ Loaf Sugar,	
2 cwt. Indian Meal,	„ Biscuits,	
1596 qts. Milk,	„ Pepper,	
572 lbs. Meat,	cwt. Salt,	
95 lbs. Butter,	2 Chickens,	
chest of Tea,	lbs. Bacon,	
case of Cocoa,		
224 lbs. Soft Sugar,	lbs. Candles,	
cwt. Rice,	cask Lamp Oil,	
stones Flour,	lbs. Starch,	
1438 Eggs,	118 „ Soap,	
1 half-brl. Porter,	„ Blue,	
bots. Marsala Wine,	2 cwt. Washing Soda,	
4 „ Port Wine,	80 ozs. Tobacco,	
2 „ <del>Port</del> „,		
2 „ 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 March 1895, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

In money,	-	-	17	7	0
In kind,	-	-	:	5	6
Total,	-	-	£	17	12 : 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	5	0	0
No. III.	CULLINAN				No. VI.	HERRON <i>Shaherty</i>	10	0	0
No. IV.	M'NEILL								
	Carried forward					TOTAL	15	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.
337 Election Law, &c. &c.			
G. O'Shaherty, Solicitor, Bill of costs.	15	19	4.

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



Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

## HOSPITAL REPORTS.

Infirmary—Admitted during the Week, //		Fever Hospital—Admitted during the Week. 2	
Discharged	9	Discharged	1
Died	1	Died	0
Remaining	108	Remaining	7

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

Mary Biggs and Mary Tierney, two lunatic inmates of the Workhouse were committed to the District Lunatic Asylum on the 15<sup>th</sup> instant.

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

The Matron of the Fever Hospital applied for an order for her annual suit of Uniform.  
*Granted.*

The Workhouse Master furnished a return of illegitimate births in the Workhouse during the past year.

Order. Bridget Connolly, an inmate of the Workhouse to be provided with clothing to amount of £1 to enable her seek employment outside.



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):—

12,397/95. } Stating that they will not object to the Returning  
13<sup>th</sup> March. } Officer employing such assistance as may be  
absolutely necessary to enable him to complete  
the proceedings in the Election of Guardians in due  
time.

12,897/95. } Referring to resolution of the Guardians on the  
19<sup>th</sup> March. } 13<sup>th</sup> instant, and stating that they authorize  
the Guardians to afford Outdoor Relief to  
all such destitute persons as they consider  
require it whether in the occupation of land  
or not, for a period of two months from date.  
The relief so afforded may be charged in the  
same manner as if it had been Indoor Relief  
under the Poor Law Acts.

35/m/95. } Referring to previous correspondence on the  
19<sup>th</sup> March. } subject

subject of the Galway Hospital, and requesting to  
be informed under what head of classification are  
entered the persons sent thereto from Galway Union.  
*Information furnished*

The Secretary to the Galway Town Commissioners  
furnished a copy of a resolution passed by that  
Board as follows—

RESOLVED—“That we invite the co-operation of the  
public bodies throughout Ireland in pressing upon the  
Legislature the grievances under which leaseholders in  
towns suffer, by being compelled, at the expiration of  
their leases, to pay an increased rent on their own  
improvements, with the alternative of eviction. This,  
we believe, is a state of the law which should not be  
allowed to exist, and we urge on our Parliamentary  
Representatives the necessity of keeping the matter to  
the front, until some protective measure is passed in the  
interest of the long-suffering town tenants.

“We would also urge on our representatives the  
hardship of allowing landlords to injure the trade of  
towns by refusing either to build on, or let at a reasonable  
rent for building purposes, old ruins and waste spaces,  
which undoubtedly injure the trade of those places where  
they unfortunately exist. We believe there should be a  
short Act passed compelling such landlords to do their  
duty, and giving them the alternative of selling, or of  
building, or letting at a fair rent, these vacant spaces.”

*The adoption of this resolution was proposed by  
Mr. A. G. Scott, seconded by Mr. J. C. Mackinnell, and  
carried unanimously.*

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bitten and undersized. To rent for time delayed to  
be claimed from the Contractors.

(Signed) Tho. McDonogh, Chairman of Board,  
Andrews & Co. Contractors.



Seed Supply.

12.5.95 } Letter from local Government Board acquainting  
 14th March } the Guardians that they learn from their Seed  
 Inspector at Galway, that Messrs Andrews & Co.,  
 Contractors for the supply of Seed Potatoes, have  
 undertaken as regards the seed recently con-  
 signed to the Guardians to supply whatever seed  
 is found to be short in the bags on their arrival  
 at Galway.

12.6.95 } Letter from same, informing the Guardians that  
 14th March } their inspectors have inspected the seed potatoes  
 shipped by Messrs Andrews & Co. for Galway Union  
 and annexing copies of their reports.

4.8/m/95 } Letter from same, stating that owing to the large  
 15th Nov. } staff of Seed inspectors at present engaged in  
 Scotland, the Board will be unable in a con-  
 siderable number of cases they will be unable  
 to arrange for a second inspection of the Seed on  
 delivery in the various Unions concerned.  
 In those circumstances the Guardians would do  
 well to appoint a Committee for the purpose of  
 final inspection.  
 Committee as suggested has already been appointed.

Agreement between Messrs Andrews & Guardians.  
 Messrs Andrews & Co. ask the Guardians to take over  
 the entire quantity of potatoes at present stored in  
 Richardson Bros. Store at New Docks. They undertake  
 to have all the potatoes looked over, and picked,  
 rejecting all the potatoes that are diseased, frost  
 bitten

Salaries

Establishments 323

275	Rev. J. F. Berry	Salary as W.H. Chaplain	6 5 0
276	" P. L. Lally	" "	32 10 0
277	Robt F. Mullery	clerk of Union	35 0 0
278	Ed. J. Athy	W.H. Master	17 10 0
279	Sr. M. A. Skerrett	" Matron	15 0 0
280	Irwin L. Toole	" Sch. Master	12 10 0
281	Sr. M. A. Kane	" Sch. Mistress	12 10 0
282	Dr. N. J. W. Bolahan	" Med. offr	18 15 0
283	" M. A. Lyden	" " "	18 15 0
284	" N. G. Healy	" Apothecary	17 10 0
285	Robt Bradshaw	" Porter	5 0 0
286	Sr. J. Macklin	" Hosp <sup>e</sup> Nurse	15 0 0
287	" E. Hogan	" " "	7 0 0
288	" J. Ryan	" " "	7 0 0
289	Kate Dwyer	" Wardsmaid	1 0 0
290	Mary Lee	" " "	2 10 0
291	Honor Mannion	" " "	2 10 0
292	Anne Mahony	" Midwife	3 15 0
293	J. M. Keenan	" F.H. Nurse	6 5 0
294	Alice Butler	" " "	3 10 0
295	Martin Nestor	" " Porter	3 15 0
296	Peter Healy	" Chapl <sup>s</sup> attd	2 10 0
297	Jas Coleman	Relieving Officer	11 15 0
298	Eno Martyn	" " "	8 0 0
299	Pat Cullinan	" " "	7 10 0
300	Jas J. McNeill	" " "	6 0 0
301	Owen Kyne	" " "	8 0 0
302	M. O'Flaherty	" " "	7 0 0
<i>election, law, &amp;c. &amp;c.</i>			
277	Robt F. Mullery	Retiring offr	2 10 0
<i>Superannuation &amp;c</i>			
314	John F. Lynch	Superannuation Allow <sup>ce</sup>	16 0 0
315	Pat Larkin	" "	3 15 0



Mr Clements L. J. Medical Inspector came before the Board to call attention to the sad case of persons in 3 villages in Arran Islands who stand in need of a supply of seed potatoes. They are unable to purchase seed or even promise payment if sold to them. He requested the Guardians to consider whether they could see their way to supply them with seed.

Resolved - That we respectfully request the Local Government Board to take into consideration the sad plight of these people. The Guardians cannot undertake to supply them with seed without the slightest prospect of the loan being repaid; the current Poor Rate in the Division is  $\frac{5}{7}$  in the £.

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 - 24

Of which disallowed, - - - - - 0

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 5

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was - 1

Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians - 0

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - 0

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 March 1895.

(Signed), Robert Mullery  
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 30<sup>th</sup> day of March 1895.

PRESENT - In the Chair, Mr. McDonogh Esq. &c.  
OTHER GUARDIANS -

(Same as at page 313)

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Galway 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 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	303	Dr P. M. Rice	Salary as med. off <sup>r</sup>	30	0	0
"	304	" M. A. Lyden	" "	30	0	0
"	305	" J. Keane	" "	27	10	0
"	306	" N. Grealy	" apothecary	17	10	0
Moycullen	307	" J. Conolly	" med. off <sup>r</sup>	30	0	0
Oranmore	308	" W. P. Kirwan	" "	25	26	
Spiddal	309	" P. O'Gorman	" "	30	0	0
F. more	310	" J. Golding	" "	32	10	0
Galway	311	Pat Griffin	" Disp <sup>y</sup> Porter	5	0	0
Oranmore	312	Thos Mahon	" "	1	0	0
Spiddal	313	D. Kyne	for service of Vacc <sup>n</sup> notes	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 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,	-	-	£
Oranmore 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.)