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Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	...
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	...	...	...

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).

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)

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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 6th day of July 1892 (SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

- I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.
- II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair. OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor for the Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

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:

Dispensary District.  
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

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 Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189

_____ District	-	-	£
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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board Elect the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

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

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

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

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

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, 30th June, 30th September and 31st December.]  
Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows :—]

*Michael O'Shine* { Chairman  
*Math. Blyh* { Two other  
*Pat Cunningham* { Guardians

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Wednesday* the *13th*

day of *July* 189*2*

Signed, *M. Brown*  
Acting Clerk of the Union.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS,

46 & 47 Vic., cap. 60 ; and 48 & 49 Vic., cap. 77.

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 *6th*  
 day of *July* 189*2*

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Members:—

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Population in 1881— 39,832

Present Net Annual Value, £ 76,845 : 11 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of July 1892

Number of inmates for which accommodation is 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 5 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse .. .. .	694	175										TOTAL		Cases - Persons 426 - 634
Temporary Buildings ..	123													Cost
Additional Workhouse ..	48	7												
Permanent Fever Hospital														
Fever Sheds .. .. .														
TOTAL .. .. .	865	182												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			15	34	47	33	4	1	2	26	17	179	50	In separate Wards } £34 : 12 : 6 In Wards } with other } Inmates } 13
Admitted during the Week			17	4	7				1	1	2	33	7	TOTAL, 57
TOTAL			32	38	54	33	5	1	3	27	19	212		
Discharged during the Week			17	2	7	1	1		1			29		
Died					1							1		
Total Discharged and Dead			17	2	8	1	1		1			30		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	36	46	32	4	1	2	27	19	182		No. at corresponding period last year, 193

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9th day of July 1892 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	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 Districts	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
No. I.	162	212					Bt. forward						
No. II.	60	86					No. X.						
No. III.	82	138					No. XI.						
No. IV.	48	52					No. XII.						
No. V.	56	64					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	408	532					TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 13th day of July 1892

PRESENT: In the Chair— M. C. Shine Subsequently Martin S. Walsh.

Other Guardians:— Matthew Bligh, Patrick Cunningham, David Flannery, Martin Treacy, Stephen J. McDonagh, Bartly Canavan, Henry Kirwan, Patrick Whelan and Hyacinth C. Golding.

Next Meeting to be held on Wednesday the 13th day of July 1892

Signed, [Signature] Acting Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4759 to No. 4792 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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

And that the Balance on the Account In favor of the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:--

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected <i>See Rate</i>		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<u>Peter Hughes</u>	Abbey East		5	7				1	8	0
	Abbey West	4	9	3				2	16	0
	Ballinacorney	3	14	0				"	"	"
	Ballinapark	3	13	0				1	5	0
	Cummer	"	"	"				1	6	0
	Kilmoylan	10	17	3				1	6	0
	Monivea	1	1	7				"	"	"
	Moyné	11	11	4				2	1	0
	Rye Hill	1	8	0				2	0	0
	<i>Lodged last week</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>6</i>			<i>12</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>0</i>
			<i>37</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>					

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as one 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 £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - 27 : 0 : 1  
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 32 : 8 : 2  
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 3 : 3

Average Cost in Infirmary - : 4 : 2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - : 6 : 8

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:—

10 cwt Flour	2 cwt Salt
226 lbs Meat	
950 Quarts Milk	
290 Eggs	
10 Sheep Heads	
15 Dozen Porter	
115 lbs Sugar	
42 lbs Soap	
28 lbs Washing Soda	
12 lbs Candles	
2½ lbs Tobacco	
1 Bottle Rum	
2 Bottles Brandy	
1 Pint Whiskey	
30 lbs Tea	

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 Out-door 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 Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of July 1892 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£	s.	d.
In Kind ...	31	9	0
Total ...	£ 31	9	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 and orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors		Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors	
		£	s. d.	Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
212	No. I. John Fore	12	0 : 0				Bt. forwd.				
213	No. II. Thomas Healy	4	0 : 0				No. X.				
214	No. III. John Monahan	7	0 : 0				No. XI.				
215	No. IV. John Hanly	4	0 : 0				No. XII.				
216	No. V. John Murphy	5	0 : 0				No. XIII.				
	No. VI.						No. XIV.				
	No. VII.						No. XV.				
	No. VIII.						No. XVI.				
	No. IX.						No. XVII.				
	Total Carried forward	32	0 : 0				TOTAL				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

217	Dr R O'Reilly Registration fees to 30/6/92 ✓	3	16	6
218	{ M. J. Browne Small claims ✓	4	3	0
	{ examined by Board. ✓			
219	Patrick McNally Contract Nuns building on account ✓	10	0	0
220	Patrick McNally Ditto ✓	60	0	0

Debit Establishment Account 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:—~~

Letter to Clerk  
No 89/M/92  
8<sup>th</sup> July 1892  
From the Local Government Board forwarding for the information of the Guardians copies of sections 2, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 12 of the Galway Hospital Act 1892 which obtained the Royal Assent on the 27<sup>th</sup> Ultimo, and stating that a complete copy of the Act would be forwarded to the Guardians shortly; also enclosing copy of an order made by the Board in pursuance of section 5 of the Act.

Order - The Clerk to summon the Board to meet on 3<sup>rd</sup> August next to appoint 8 Guardians to act as members of the Board of management of the Hospital referred to.

Letter to Clerk  
No 23,781-1892  
12<sup>th</sup> July 1892  
From the Local Government Board stating that they were prepared to consent to annual Superannuation allowance of £20. to Mr Peter Curran late Relieving Officer in the Union.

~~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):—~~

Read Communication from Mr John Harris C.E. dated the 8<sup>th</sup> July 1892 certifying that Mr Patrick McHally Contractor has executed work including materials on the ground at the Nuns wing of the Tuam Workhouse to the total amount £200. and in accordance with the Contract one hundred pounds being now due to him (less 10 per cent) viz: £90.0.0.

The certificate of Mr Harris C.E. having been read and considered it was proposed by Mr Flannery and seconded by Mr M. Donagh  
That a <sup>sum</sup> of £60 be <sup>allowed to</sup> ~~allowed~~ the Contractor.

Order Passed - Cheque to be drawn for the amount.

The Schoolmaster applied for and obtained Two weeks leave of absence to commence after expiration of Potter's leave the Master then to take charge of the School during the time.

The following Notice of Motion was handed in by Mr Flannery and accepted.

Take notice that I or some other Guardian on my behalf will on this day fortnight move that the Clerk of the Union be called on to place before the Board a list of the amount paid for the registration of voters for the past 3 years, setting forth the name and amount paid to each, and also setting forth the number of new names added to the old list, and thereby give the public an opportunity of seeing what has been done for the large amount paid, and also call for some explanation from the Clerk as to why large Ratepayers who are even members of Dispensary Committees rated over 40 years are struck off the voters list.

Order Copy to be sent to each member of the Board, and that copies of voters lists for the several parts of the County, comprised within the Tuam Union be procured by the Clerk.

The following Notice of Motion was handed in by Mr Golding and accepted -

Take notice that this day fortnight I shall move that more than £20. be not paid to any officer of this Board until 14 days notice shall have been given to every Guardian of this Union, excepting always their yearly Salaries.

Order Copy to be sent to each member of the Board.

M<sup>r</sup> Browne reported that the work at Nuns building was suspended, and that nothing had been done since the 5<sup>th</sup> Instant.

The consideration of Tenders for Tea were adjourned to next week.

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	...	...	...	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	1
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	2
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	406
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Office's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	...	"
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	...	...	...	"

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).

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

Tuam UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 13<sup>th</sup> day of July 1892

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

- I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.
- II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, M. C. Shine Subsequently M. J. Walsh  
OTHER GUARDIANS.

Matt Bligh, P. Cunningham,  
D. Flannery, Martin Treacy, S. J. McDonagh,  
Bartly Canavan, Henry Kirwan, Pat<sup>r</sup> Whelan  
and H. C. Golding.

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

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor for the Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

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:

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

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 Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189

_____ District	£
_____ District	£
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_____ District	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

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

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

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

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

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

At a Meeting of the Abbey Dispensary Committee held this 5<sup>th</sup> day of May 1892. Present: In the Chair:— James J Burke. Other members:— John Nolan.

It was proposed by Mr James J Burke and Seconded by Mr John Nolan.

That J. P. Roche Esq J. P. be elected chairman for the ensuing year.

It was proposed by Mr John Nolan and seconded by Mr James J Burke

That A. S. French Esq be elected Vice-Chairman for the ensuing year.

It was proposed and unanimously adopted that the first Thursday of the month at 12 o'clock noon be the day and hour of Meeting for the ensuing year.

Signed

James J. Burke chairman

Order Approved. ✓

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September and 31st December.] Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

Dunmore Dispensary District showing the names of 45 persons whose children have not been vaccinated. ✓

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

Order - Notice to be served.

Read Report (Form H) from the Med Offr of the Dunmore District certifying that he had successfully vaccinated 92 persons between 8<sup>th</sup> July 91 + 14<sup>th</sup> July 92

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Dr O'Reilly	Medical Officer of Dunmore Dispensary District	reported that on receipt of Mr Healy's report he visited the house of Thomas Godfrey at Carracullen on 4 <sup>th</sup> Instant, and found a very filthy cesspool and refuse matter of all kinds just before his door and recommends that it be filled up with turf mould at once, and the manure removed and also that Godfrey be cautioned not to collect filthy water, manure or refuse matter so near his door again.	were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

Order Notice to be served.

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

Dr O'Reilly also reported that on receipt of Mr Healy's report he visited Thomas Glannon's house at Clooneen North on 1<sup>st</sup> Instant, and found a very filthy and fetid cesspool just before his door which is very dangerous to health, and recommends that it be filled up with turf mould (not chaff) at once and that Glannon be cautioned not to allow filth or fetid water to accumulate before his door again.

Order Notice to be served. ✓

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows:—]

Dr Lambert Medical Officer of Abbey Dispensary District reported that nothing had yet been done about repairing the Pumps at Monivea, and that complaints are being continually made to him about it, he also reported it to the Committee at their last Meeting and recommends that immediate steps be taken to put in order.

Order Mr Hanly to get the necessary washers. ✓

M<sup>r</sup> Hanly Sanitary sub officer reported that the Pump at Gatt a is broken and cannot be used the place is very dangerous for small children there being a large school very near it. and recommends that a windlass, chain and large bucket be provided and a trap door on hinges. The present Pump cannot be any longer used it being entirely too light for the place and cannot be kept in order.

Order Referred to Abbey Dispensary Committee.

M<sup>r</sup> Hanly also reported that his District was free from sickness of any kind - that the cleansing and limewashing of houses and yards were being put in a Sanitary condition.

The Committee appointed on the 22<sup>nd</sup> June last having submitted their report respecting the Christian Brothers request to have the Sewer on Dublin Road extended to the entrance gate to their Schools it was agreed that the following Advertisement be issued -

The Board of Guardians of Tuam Union will, on Wednesday the 27<sup>th</sup> July instant, receive and consider proposals from persons willing to construct a pipe sewer on Dublin Road, from a point commencing at gate of the Sisters of Mercys Orphanage to and ending at the entrance to the Schools of the Christian Brothers in all about 115 yards.

Plans and Specification and full particulars may be had on application at my office.

Martin Walsh  
William Harty  
Arthur Patton  
Chairman  
Two other  
Guardians

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 20<sup>th</sup> day of July 1892

Signed, J. Morris  
Clerk of the Union.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS,  
46 & 47 Vic., cap. 60; and 48 & 49 Vic., cap. 77.

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 13<sup>th</sup> day of July 1892

PRESENT: In the Chair - M. C. Shine subsequently M. S. Walsh.  
Other Members: - Matthew Bligh, Pat<sup>r</sup> Cunningham, D. Flannery, Martin Treacy, S. J. McDonagh, Bartly Banaran, Henry Kirwan, Pat<sup>r</sup> Whelan and H. C. Golding.

The Guardians have not taken any action under the Labourers (Ireland) Act this week.

Martin Walsh Chairman

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