

Population in 1881— 39,832

Present Net Annual Value, £ 76,784:18:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of March 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 2 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	191												Cases = Persons 406 = 615 cost £ 31:18:0
Temporary Buildings ..														
Additional Workhouse ..														
Permanent Fever Hospital	123	3												
Fever Sheds	48													
TOTAL	865	194												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			23	35	49	43	4	3	3	22	18	200	48	
Admitted during the Week			24	2	3	"	"	"	1	2	"	32	3	
TOTAL			47	37	52	43	4	3	4	24	18	232	51	
Discharged during the Week			25	2	3	4	"	"	"	"	"	38		
Died														
Total Discharged and Dead			25	2	3	4	"	"	"	"	"	38		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			22	35	49	39	4	2	3	23	17	194		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of March 1892, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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	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.	167	214					Bt forward						
No. II.	60	88					No. X.						
No. III.	79	131					No. XI.						
No. IV.	46	47					No. XII.						
No. V.	55	59					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	407	539					TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 9th day of March 1892.

PRESENT: In the Chair— John Nolan
 Other Guardians:— Martin S. Walsh, Matthew Bligh,
 Michael C. Shine, Martin Treacy, S. P. Roache,
 Thomas R. Roache, Patrick Whelan, Wm Joyner,
 Henry Kirwan.

Next Meeting to be held on Wednesday the 16th day of March 1892

Signed, J. Morris Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4221 to No. 4253 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:—

Cash per Treasury £3:6:1

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 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		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Peter Greany</i>	<i>Annadown</i>	23	10	11				9	2	0
	<i>Ballinduff</i>	5	11	5				4	15	4
	<i>Donaghpatrick</i>	25	10	7				3	18	0
	<i>Headford</i>	29	1	7				17	4	4
	<i>Kilbona</i>	5	5	6				2	12	0
	<i>Killeany</i>	21	5	10				2	12	0
	<i>Killowen</i>	12	16	9					17	4
	<i>Killursa</i>	20	19	0				6	18	0
		£ 144 1 7						31 12 0		
<i>E. J. Concanon</i>	<i>Beclane</i>	18	19	6					17	4
	<i>Beaghmore</i>		15	6					17	4
	<i>Claretuam</i>	28	1	7				2	12	0
	<i>Foxhall</i>		18	1				2	12	8
	<i>Hillsbrook</i>	1	0	4				"	"	"
	<i>Killerevin</i>	3	7	9					8	8
	<i>Kilshanvey</i>	12	1	1				5	14	0
	<i>Levally</i>	1	8	8				1	5	4
	<i>Tuam</i>	23	18	3				1	14	0
		£ 90 10 9						16 1 4		
		£ 234 12 4						47 13 4		

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 - £ 24 : 18 : 5

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 34 : 5 : 11

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - £ 3 : 2 : 4

Average Cost in Infirmary - £ 4 : 1 : 1

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - £ 4 : 1 : 4

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
- 210 lbs Meat
- 969 Quarts Milk
- 310 Eggs
- 28 lbs Washing Soda
- 10 Dozen Porter
- 42 lbs Soap
- 120 lbs Sugar
- 20 lbs candles
- 2 1/2 lbs Tobacco
- 1 Bottle Brandy
- 1 Bottle Marsala Wine
- 6 cwt Salt

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 5th day of March 1892 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£	30	s.	4	d.	0
In Kind ...	"	"	"	18	"	6
Total ...	£	31	s.	2	d.	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 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.
No. I.	John Fore	11	0 : 0	✓		Bt. forwd.					
No. II.	Thomas Healy	5	0 : 0	✓		No. X.					
No. III.	P. Curran	3	0 : 0	✓		No. XI.					
No. IV.	John Hanly	2	10 : 0	✓		No. XII.					
No. V.	Jno 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		31	10 : 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.

Nil

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

2. Establishment Account.

316	clerk Union	Small Claims examined	4	19	0	✓
	by Board.					
317	M. J. Browne	Price Pigs bought	4	0	0	✓
318	clerk Union	Petty cash	5	0	0	✓

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

£ s. d.

Nil

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Nil

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account 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:—

Medical Officers and Master's Report

The Medical Officer reported that there was ^{no} ~~one~~ death during the past week & that 58 persons remained under treatment.

The Medical Officer also reported that the cesspool of the Workhouse requires to be cleaned: it is about half full and now contains about 30,000 gallons of liquid and semi-solid sewage matter. And recommending that a mixture of Dry Clay and oil of Vitriol ($\frac{1}{2}$ cwt of the former to $\frac{1}{4}$ cwt of the latter) be added, after standing for 7 or 8 days, to 30 gallons of water and allowed to flow into the cesspool, be ~~mixed~~ well mixed with poles and after a day or two the liquid on the top, which will be inodorous or nearly so after subsidence of the suspended matter - may be allowed (if permitted by the owner) to run into drains 10' deep made in the outside land which would be much improved thereby. The remaining portion might be ~~made~~ mixed with a few carts of turf mould and

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

used as manure.

Order - The Master to procure disinfectant

The Master reported that he lodged to the Credit of the Union the sum of £9:5:0 price of pigs sold last fair-day, and that he bought two more for £4:0:0.

That he had occasion to absent himself on Saturday from 11 O'Clock till 3:30, the Matron discharged his duties.

That he requests to be informed if the inmates are to get on St Patrick's Day, the Tea breakfast and Meat Dinner same as supplied on the 17th March last.

Order - Allowed

The following requirements were ordered viz:— 200 yds White flannel and 100 yds Corduroy.

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

Letter to Clerk

N^o. 7499 = 1892

8th March 1892

From the Local Government Board forwarding enclosures which they had received from the Commissioners of National Education relating to their District Inspectors report on the Workhouse Female School, and requesting that the Guardians will be so good as to obtain a written explanation from the Schoolmistress in regard to the statements therein.

Order = The Schoolmistress to send in a written explanation as requested.

Mr Thomas Healy Relieving Officer laid before the Board a Notice served on him of the eviction of George Tully of barrownaseer South in the Electoral Division of Dunmore from land and premises at the suit of John M. Walter Plaintiff.

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):—

The following resolution proposed by Mr M. S. Walsh seconded by Mr. b. Shine was adopted.

Resolved - That we the Board of Guardians of the Tuam Union regard with the greatest dissatisfaction, the exclusion of the Christian Brothers Schools from participation in the grant for Education in Ireland, as proposed in the bill of the Irish Chief Secretary.

We regret it, not only as an injustice to the great and successful teaching body the Christian Brothers, but also an injustice and an insult to the Parents of over 30,000 Children who at present are taught in these Schools in Ireland.

The injustice in this case appears more glaring from the fact that the Denominational Schools in England enjoy their share of the grant without any interference with their religious teaching, and we consider that no reasonable ground can be advanced for the exclusion of which we complain, as the Christian Brothers are quite willing to have efficient inspection as regards their secular teaching.

Order Copies to be sent to Colonel Nolan M P and the Chief Secretary for Ireland.

Application having been made by ratepayers named William Keilly, John Hession, Thomas Flaherty, James Donohoe and Bridget Lynskey in the Belclare Electoral Division to have their names placed on the ratebook instead of those whom they represent, the chairman made the changes on the production of poor rate receipts in each case.

The clerk obtained permission of the Board to advertise for the usual Annual supplies, one insertion to be published in the "National Press" and "Irish Daily Independent" newspapers in addition to the local press.

The clerk informed the Board that Mr b. R. Lynch Staunton, Local Government Board Inspector visited the House on the 5th Instant.

Registry of Milk delivered at Workhouse week ending Saturday 5th March 1892.

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Average
	deg cream	deg cream	deg cream	deg cream	deg cream	deg cream	deg cream	deg cream
M. McHugh.	11	14	12	11	12	12	11	11 1/2
P. Ansbro.	12	12	11	12	11	12	15	12 1/2
M. Fleming.	14	16	13	14	15	14	11	13 1/2
P. Corcoran.	11	12	12	12	13	11	11	11 1/2

The Clerk having requested the Board to allow him such assistance as may be necessary to enable him to prepare the List of Voters in connection with the approaching contests for the office of Guardian in the Union, the Local Government Board was requested to sanction the necessary assistance.

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	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	"
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	"
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	400
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. 65.

Tuam UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 9th day of March 1892

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair,

John Nolan

OTHER GUARDIANS.

M. S. Walsh, Matthew Bligh, M. C. Shire, Martin Treacy, S. A. Roache, J. A. Roache, Patrick Whelan, Wm. Joyner, Henry Kirwan.

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:—

Nil

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:—

Nil

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, £ _____

Nil

[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	£
_____ District	£
_____ District	£

Nil

[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 Electd 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 _____

Nil

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.)

Nil

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

Nil

[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:—

Nil

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
		<i>Nil</i>	

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:—

Nil

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:—]

Pursuant to Notice given on the 24th Ultimo relative to the Area to be charged with the expenses in connection with the proposed sinking of a well to provide a supply of Pure water for the use of the inhabitants of the Ryehill and Monivea Electoral Divisions. It

It was proposed by Mr J. R. Roche seconded by Mr Treacy and adopted -

That the Area of Charge be the townlands of ^{Garraunard} Knochauuncarragh, Bakerlissakill, in the Electoral Division of Ryehill, and the townlands of Peat Ballyskeagh, Pollboy, Glenmagloughaun in the Electoral Division of Monivea.

It was then agreed that a Specification be prepared for the sinking of the Well containing the following

The contractor to state price per lineal foot for Ordinary Calay or Gravel; through rock not requiring ^{and rock requiring blasting} blasting. To provide all Staging of every description and specify the number of gallons, not being less than 20, which the well will yield per hour in Summer water.

No extra charge to be allowed for pumping during construction. The entire work to be executed to the satisfaction of a person to be appointed by the Board of Guardians.

Read Letter from Mr Mulvany L.C. dated the 8th Instant in reply to the Guardians telegram of the 2nd Instant that he shall attend to it, immediately after the Assizes which begin to-morrow, and also stating that he had received a letter of complaint from Messrs Shaw & Co, the Board should issue cheque in their favour to the amount certified by him they are bound to do so by their agreement.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 16th day of March 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 9th day of March 1892.

PRESENT: In the Chair— John Nolan
Other Members:— Martin S. Walsh, Matthew Bligh,
M. C. Shine, Martin Treacy, Stephen R. Roache,
Thomas P. Roache, Patrick Whelan, Wm. Joyner,
Henry Kirwan.

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

John Nolan { Chairman
Martin S. Walsh { Two other
Matthew Bligh { Guardians

GALWAY COUNTY COUNCIL
 MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COUNCIL HELD AT THE
 TOWN HALL, GALWAY, ON THE 15th DAY OF APRIL 1914.
 PRESENT: THE M. J. O'NEILL, M.P., Mayor.
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Nil

Nil

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1881— 39,832

Present Net Annual Value, £ 76,784 : 18 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of March 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 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
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Permanent Fever Hospital														
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL		865	192											408 = 617 Cost
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			22	35	49	39	4	2	3	23	17	194	47	In separate Wards (In Wards) with other inmates 13
Admitted during the Week			25	3	1	3	"	"	1	2	1	36	3	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital
TOTAL			47	38	50	42	4	2	4	25	18	230	50	TOTAL, 13
Discharged during the Week			25	4	2	3	"	"	1	"	"	35		
Died			"	"	2	1	"	"	"	"	"	3		
Total Discharged and Dead			25	4	4	4	"	"	1	"	"	38		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			22	34	46	38	4	2	3	25	18	192		No. at corresponding period last year, 205

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of March 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	
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No. I.	170	217					Bt. forward						
No. II.	61	89					No. X.						
No. III.	78	30					No. XI.						
No. IV.	45	46					No. XII.						
No. V.	55	59					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	409	541					TOTAL						

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PRESENT: In the Chair— John Nolan
 Other Guardians:— Matthew Bligh, S. J. McDonagh,
 Michael Shine, Martin Walsh, William Joyner,
 Bartly Banavan, Henry Kiwan.

Next Meeting to be held on Wednesday the 16th day of March 1892

Signed, *H. Morris*
Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4253 to No. 4289 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:-

Cash per Master of Workhouse Pigs Sold £9:5:0

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 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 d Rate</i>
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
<u>Peter Hughes</u>	Abbey East	15	10	10	"	10	0	
	Abbey West	"	"	"	2	16	0	
	Ballinaderonj	4	6	10	10	2	8	
	Ballinapark	9	13	1	10	2	8	
	Summer	12	4	7	3	8	8	
	Kilmoylan	18	7	7	"	17	4	
	Moynel	10	2	0	"	17	4	
		<u>70</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>11</u>		<u>23</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>8</u>
<u>J.D. McDonagh</u>	Addergoole	20	15	11	11	8	8	
	Clarrowreagh	33	4	1	6	10	0	
	Clonberne	10	2	10	1	14	8	
	Doonbally	18	1	8	4	9	4	
	Dunmore	30	11	6	8	4	8	
	Kilbennan	3	3	10	6	12	0	
	Killeen	10	10	9	4	6	8	
	Milltown	19	5	7	11	9	4	
		<u>195</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>2</u>		<u>54</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>4</u>
		<u>266</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>		<u>78</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>

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 - 28 : 8 : 9

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 33 : 14 : 7

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 3 : 2

Average Cost in Infirmary - : 4 : 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - : 4 : 1/2

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 :-

- 14 cwt Flour
- 1 cwt Bran
- 201 lbs Meat
- 959 Quarts Milk
- 250 Eggs
- 10 Sheep Heads
- 28 lbs Washing Soda
- 56 lbs Cocoa
- 10 dozen Porter
- 110 lbs Sugar
- 42 lbs Soap
- 6 lbs Pepper
- 56 lbs Rice
- 20 lbs bundles
- 234 lbs Tobacco
- 1 Bottle Rum

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 12th day of March 1892 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	£	s.	d.
In Kind	30	12	6
Total	£	30	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 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.
No. I.	John Fore	11	0	0	✓	Bt. forwd.					
No. II.	Thos. Healy	5	0	0	✓	No. X.					
No. III.	P. Curran	9	0	0	✓	No. XI.					
No. IV.	Bro Hauly	5	10	0	✓	No. XII.					
No. V.	Bro Murphy	3	0	0	✓	No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Total		30	10	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.

Nil

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

2. Establishment Account.

325 Peter Maher Plumbing Contract	2	10	0	✓
Clerk Union Small Claims examined by Board		3	3	0
E. J. Conearon Remuneration for Services under the Representation of the Peoples Act during the year 1890.	25	16	9	✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Nil

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Nil

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account 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:—

Nil

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

The Medical Officer reported that there were three deaths during the past week and that 50 persons remained under treatment.

The Master reported that he sold 38½ cwt of Mangolds on Monday last for £1:18:0.

That he had received the Meat for St Patrick's Day dinner and submitted same for inspection.

Order— Meat approved

The following requirements were ordered viz:—
2 gallons Rock Oil and 7stone Potato Onions.

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

Letter to Chairman
N^o 8446-1892
15th March 1892

From the Local Government Board having reference to the Guardians resolution of the 2nd Instant relative to the Election of Guardians in the Union.

Mr Thomas Healy Relieving Officer reported that one of the two children named M^o Donagh was suffering from sore eyes, and under Medical treatment, and that the younger Michael had not attended School during the snow, and that he had very bad clothes.

Order - Mr Healy to provide clothes and clogs cost not to exceed (16/-) Sixteen shillings.

Letter to Clerk
N^o 3557
10th March 1892

From the Under Secretary Dublin Castle acknowledging the receipt of the Guardians resolution adopted at their Meeting held on the 9th Instant.

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):—

The following resolution proposed by Mr John Nolan and Seconded by Mr S. J. McDonagh was adopted

Resolved - That we the Tuam Board of Guardians protest against the action of the Board of Trade in allowing the same charge on the small waggons in Ireland 14 feet long as is charged on a larger waggon in England viz: 18 feet. we believe it would be detrimental to the Cattle Trade in Ireland and very unfair. We claim at least to be put on the same footing as to charges.

Order - Copies to be sent to the Premier, the

President of the Board of Trade, Colonel Nolan
M. P. and Mr William Field President of the Irish
Cattle Trade Association

On the Motion of Mr M. B. Shinn the following resolution was unanimously adopted—

That Mr Boneanov poor rate Collector having come before the Board in reference to an arrear of £2:1:7^{1/2} appearing on his warrant against Mr Patrick Murphy of Tuam, and finding that the Arrear in question to be due on account of a house which was vacant during the whole period for which the rate struck in the year 1889 was to provide, it is agreed that the Arrear in question be struck off.

Tuam P. L. U. N. F. School
16th March 1892

Gentlemen.

In compliance with your Order as well as that of the Local Government Board I ask respectfully that you will kindly accept the following explanation with regard to the recent examination held in my School.

Two girls of the three failures were in Hospital with whooping cough viz:—

Delia Moloney aged 7 years was admitted to Infirmary on the 29th September and discharged on the 17th November.

Margaret Robinson was admitted to Infirmary on the 24th October and discharged on the 14th of