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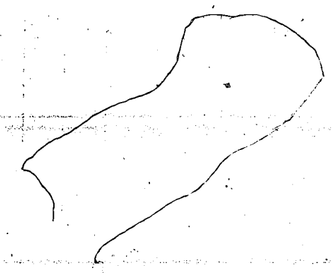

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BALLINROBE UNION.

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Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60.31.4

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7 day of April 1888

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse	579	177										
Temporary Buildings,	—											
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	5										
TOTAL,	644	182										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			26	15	43	46	8	4	32	10	6	190
Admitted during the Week,			12	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	16
TOTAL,			38	17	44	47	8	4	32	10	6	206
Discharged during the Week,			13	2	1	1	1	-	3	2	-	23
Died,			-	-	1	-	-	-	-			1
Total Discharged and Dead,			13	2	2	1	1	-	3	2	-	24
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			25	15	42	46	7	4	29	8	6	182

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	52	In separate Wards	4	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other Inmates,	4	
Total,	52	Total,	4	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	12	1	d	13
No. in Workhouse at date	2	d	d	2

No. at corresponding period last year, 202

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 7 day of April 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 — Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Persons	RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 — Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Persons
No. I.	107	107	6	6	113	113	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	49	49	2	2	51	51	No. X.						
No. III.	10	10			10	10	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.	166	166	8	8	174	174	TOTAL,						

COPY *of* MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* THURSDAY, *the* 12 *day of* April 1888

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Martin Fitzpatrick, Esq

Other Guardians:—

P. S. Dobbins, and Thomas Haughey, Esquires

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1781 to No. 1791, 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. 5527 to No. 5535, 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 - - - £ [illegible]

Paid during the Week - - - - £ 7 : 15 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account [illegible] *the Guardians was - - - - £ 584 : 2 : 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 Ledgments 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 £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe							536	16	9			
	Burriscarra							63	11	2			
	Coonard							43	13	5			
	Hollymount							192	16	9			
	Kilcommon							160	12	6			
	Newbrook							156	10	1			
	Roslee							64	12	6	1220	12	2
PATRICK GRADY	Cong							142	10	11			
	Dalgan							111	18	2			
	Houndswood							162	4	11			
	Kilmaine							169	15	2			
	Neale							334	5	9			
	Shrule							192	15	3	1135	19	2
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla							75	4	2			
	Ballyovey							95	9	4			
	Cappaghduff							77	7	3			
	Owenbrinn							58	19	5			
	Portroyal							144	5	8	450	12	3
	TOTALS £										2540	5	6

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 £ — : — : — 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, £ 84 s. 9 d. 8

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -	82	18	10
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -		3	3½
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - -		3	2½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - -		[illegible]	5½

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:—

[illegible]

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 [illegible] day of [illegible] 1868 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - -	14	4	1
In Kind, - - - - - - -	2	12	1
Total, - -	£ 17	2	2

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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:—

£	s.	d.

£	s.	d.

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

The Report of the Workhouse Master was read of which the following is a copy:—

Ballinrobe Workhouse
12th April, 1888

Gentlemen,

I beg leave to report for your information that it has been reported to me by the Matron, that the Hospital Nurse was insubordinate to her on the night of the 8th Inst in the Hospital.

Also that a woman named Mary Sheridan was committed to the Castlebar Lunatic Asylum on Monday last by two Magistrates.

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

The Provisions and Necessaries received by me during the week have been of the quality contracted for.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedt Servt.
Patrick J Tarrapher
Workhouse Master

To The Board of Guardians
Ballinrobe Union

The Matron and Hospital Nurse were called before the Board of Guardians and made statements in reference to the alleged insubordination reported by the Master, it was Resolved that the consideration of the matter be adjourned to the 12th Inst.

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):—

Circular Letter from Local Government Board, No. 55 911/88 dated 9 April, 1888, requesting to be furnished with a Return respecting the Rates made, and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union, during the Quarter ended 31st March, 1888

Letter from Sir John Hall Green, Commissioner of Valuation, dated 11 April, 1888, notifying the appointment of Mr. Thomas Gaffney, to make the Annual Revision of the Valuation of Ballinrobe Union

Resolved that Mr Edward St Vergus, Solicitor, be instructed to prosecute at the Ballinrobe Petty Sessions, an able-bodied Inmate of the Workhouse named Francis Biggins, for repeated acts of insubordination

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 - -	14
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - - -	10
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	10
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -	7
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -	nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - -	2
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	nil

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.)

Wallingale Union Office, Workhouse, Wallingale
12 April 1888

Gentlemen,

I beg to lay before you the Bonds and other Securities in force in the Union: my own Bond is deposited for safe custody in the hands of your Treasurer.

Mr Martin Fitzpatrick, one of the Sureties of Mr Francis Byrne, Workhouse Matron, is now a Guardian of the Union.

In my opinion, the Sureties of the several Union Officers and Contractors are solvent.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient Servant
Thomas May
Clerk of Union

To The Board of Guardians
Wallingale Union

Resolved, that Mr Byrne be requested to submit for the Guardians approval the name of a surety in room of Mr Martin Fitzpatrick.

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

19 day of April 1888

(Signed), Thomas Clay

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 12 day of [illegible] 188[illegible]

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair*, [illegible]

Other Guardians:

[illegible]

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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

[illegible]

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the [illegible] Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of [illegible] 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 [illegible] 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):

£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ 18 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 _____ 18

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount District, ... £

[This is to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee after the Annual Election of a Guardian, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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

Circular Letter from Local Government Board No. 56-111/88 dated 6 April 1888, relating to the annual appointment of Dispensary Committees and Wardens.

Circular Letter from same, No. 52-911/88, dated 10th April, 1888, requesting to be furnished in duplicate with a Return of the Honorary Officers of the several Dispensary Committees in the Union.

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.

41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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:—

Letter from Local Government Board No. 14,266/88, dated 11 April 1888, acquainting the Board of Guardians that they have received a report from their Medical Inspector, Dr. Todd, on the subject of the recent prevalence of Typhus Fever in and around Wallmale, and forwarding an accompanying extract from the report.

The Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority will give their best attention to the subject, and enforce the provisions of the Public Health Act, under the advice of the Medical Officers of Health and the Consulting Sanitary Officer.

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 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*]:—

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

19 day of April 1888

(Signed) [illegible]
Clerk of the Union.

[illegible]

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BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 40,814

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12 day of October 1888

Number of Inmates for which Accommodation is provided	No. of Cubic Feet of Space in Day Rooms	No. of Cubic Feet of Space in Sleeping Rooms	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse . . . 579												
Temporary Buildings, —												
Permanent Fever Hospital, 65												
TOTAL, 644	160											
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return,			26	15	42	41	7	4	29	8	6	182
Admitted during the Week,			1	2	—	1	1	—	1	—	1	16
TOTAL,			27	17	42	42	8	4	30	8	7	198
Discharged during the Week,			1	3	2	1	1	—	1	—		17
Died,			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	3	2	1	1		1			17
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			26	14	40	41	7	4	29	8	7	181

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		
Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards 52	In separate Wards 0	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 0	In Wards with other Inmates, 4	
Total, 52	Total, 4	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	11	—	—	11
No. in Workhouse at date	3	—	—	3

No. at corresponding period last year, 176

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 13 day of October 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
No. I.	109	109	6	6	115	115
No. II.	56	56	2	2	58	58
No. III.	16	16			16	16
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Carried forward.	181	181	8	8	189	189

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 18 day of October 1888

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Martin Walsh, Esq

Other Guardians:—

Thomas Lindsay, Patrick Alexander, Alexander, Thomas Walsh, John Lennon, Walter Kempson, Patrick O'Boyle, Alexander, Thomas Hughes, Michael Walsh, Thomas Blowick, John Mooney, Patrick Flannelly, P. Walsh, P. Gibbons, Martin Burke, and Redmond Walsh, Esquires.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. [illegible] to No. [illegible], 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. [illegible] to No. [illegible], 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 - - - £ [illegible]

Paid during the Week - - - £ [illegible]

And that the Balance on the Account [illegible] the Guardians was - - - £ [illegible]

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 Ledgements 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 £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe	[illegible]		[illegible]	
	Burriscarra	[illegible]		[illegible]	
	Coonard	[illegible]		[illegible]	
	Hollymount	[illegible]		[illegible]	
	Kilcommon	[illegible]		[illegible]	
	Newbrook	[illegible]		[illegible]	
	Roslee	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
PATRICK GRADY	Cong	[illegible]		[illegible]	
	Dalgan	[illegible]		[illegible]	
	Houndswood	[illegible]		[illegible]	
	Kilmaine	[illegible]		[illegible]	
	Neale	[illegible]		[illegible]	
	Shrule	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla	[illegible]		[illegible]	
	Ballyovey	[illegible]		[illegible]	
	Cappaghduff	[illegible]		[illegible]	
	Owenbrinn	[illegible]		[illegible]	
	Portroyal	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	TOTALS £		[illegible]		[illegible]

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.

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~~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, £ 13 s. 10 d. 11

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -	24	12	7
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -	2	6	6¾
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - -	3	6	6
~~Average Cost in Fever Hospital~~ - - - - - - -			

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:—

[illegible]

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 14 day of [illegible] 1888, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	14	6	6
In Kind, - - - - - - - -	1	11	6
Total, - -	£ 16	2	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 respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on the Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII				
No. IX.				
Car.forwd.				

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on the Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
Bt.forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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:—

	£	s.	d.

£. s. d.

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

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

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):—

Letter from Local Government Board No. 14 221/88 dated 12 April, 1888, transmitting therewith questions for answers to be signed by the Clerk and the person who may be appointed to the office of Relieving Officer in the Union.

Letter from same, No. 221-1888, dated 12 April, 1888 referring to Minutes of Guardians proceedings of the 5 Inst. relating to the failure of Relieving Officer John Hynes to pay a man named Richard Kain for a coffin ordered in June last, and to other irregularities on his part, and requesting that they may be furnished with particulars respecting the case mentioned, and also as to the other irregularities referred to.

Relieving

Relieving Officer John Hynes stated that he would furnish the Board of Guardians with a written explanation on the subject on the 26 Instant.

Letter from Local Government, No. 14 221/1888 dated 18 April, 1888, acknowledging receipt of a Resolution adopted by the Board of Guardians at their meeting on the 5 Instant, relating to the qualification for the office of Guardian for certain Electoral Divisions of the Union, and stating that the subject will receive the attention of the Board.

Letter from Mr. Hanaria Byrne, Workhouse Matron, of which the following is a copy:—

Workhouse, 13 April 1888

Gentlemen,

I respectfully beg to bring under your notice the insubordinate conduct of the Hospital Nurse, while in the discharge of my duty, on Sunday the 8 Instant, she very peremptorily ordered me out of the Infirmary, adding that was not my place, she spoke in a loud and most insulting tone.

I further beg to state that contrary to the Regulations, she discharged two female inmates from the Infirmary on same date without my knowledge, taking on herself the responsibility of my duty.

I respectfully beg to assure the Board that I regret exceedingly having to trouble you with this report, but in order to carry out the Regulations and maintain due order and discipline in the House, I feel bound to do so.

I remain, &c.

To The Board of Guardians
Wallingale Union

Hanaria Byrne
Matron

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The Minutes of Proceedings having been adopted on a motion of Mr. Byrne, seconded, Mr. Hanlon was not present, and they were postponed to the next Meeting, and Mr. Hanlon to be requested to attend, and explain why he has not attended to his official duties with the Guardians.

Resolved that Mr. Byrne, Workhouse Master, be granted two days leave of absence, Mr. Lewis, Schoolmistress, having undertaken the discharge of her duties during her absence.

Appointment of Relieving Officer and Sanitary Sub Officer for the Portaferry District.

The following Candidates appointed in Room as proposed by the Guardians at the Adjourned Meeting:-

Thomas Hanlon, Martin Feeney, Michael Heneghan, James Mc Queen, Martin Mallatt, and Michael Walsh

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	18
Ditto disallowed	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	nil
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	12
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	1
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	4
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	nil

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.)

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Proposed by Mr. Thomas Lennon Seconded by Mr. Alexander Mullin.

That Mr. Thomas Hanlon be appointed.

Proposed by Mr. Thomas Mc Allen
Seconded by Mr. P. Gribbon.

That Mr. Martin Feeney be appointed.

Proposed by Mr. Thomas Mc Vann
Seconded by Mr. Martin Monaghan

That Martin Mallatt be appointed.

The Minutes of Proceedings on the Appointment, when Mr. Hanlon was declared to be appointed Relieving Officer, Mr. Feeney declared to be appointed Sanitary Sub-Officer.

A Second division was then taken between Thomas Hanlon and Martin Feeney, when 9 Guardians voted for Thomas Hanlon, and 2 Guardians for Martin Feeney

Mr. Thomas Hanlon was then declared duly appointed at a Salary of £15 for Duties as Relieving Officer, and £3. 15. 0 as Sanitary Sub-Officer.

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

26 day of April 1888

(*Signed*), Thomas Mark

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 12 day of April 1888

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,* Martin Fitzpatrick, Esq.

Other Guardians: Hermon Lindsay Fitzpatrick, Alexander Martin, Thomas Wilson Walsh, John Jennings, Matthew Dunyan, Patrick A Boyle, Mark A Kirwan, Thomas Heraghty, Michael Walsh, Thomas Cleary, Anthony Reilly, Patrick Heneghan, P. Sullivan, P. J. Gibbons, Martin Burke, and Redmond Mallett Esquires.

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ *188* *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* _____ *188*

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount District, ... £

[This is to be entered on the [illegible] of every [illegible] a [illegible] after the [illegible] tion of [illegible] and on the [illegible] of any [illegible] any vacancies in the Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.

41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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:—

Circular Letter from Local Government Board, No. 40.211 1888 dated 12 April, 1888, requesting to be furnished with a Return of Rates levied for Burial Ground purposes, and expenditure thereof for the year ended 29 September 1887.

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 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*]:—

Maurice J Blake

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 26 day of April 1888

(Signed) Thomas Mary
Clerk of the Union.

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[Special.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 62,314

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21 day of April 1888

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. of Inmates in each Building	Total Net in Building on the above date
Workhouse	579	173
Temporary Buildings,	—	
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	0
TOTAL,	644	173

	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	25	14	40	46	7	4	29	8	7	180
Admitted during the Week,	10	1	—	1					2	14
TOTAL,	35	15	40	47	7	4	29	8	9	194
Discharged during the Week,	11	3	1	2	—	—	—	—	3	20
Died,	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—		1
Total Discharged and Dead,	1	3	1	3	—	—	—	—	3	21
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	24	12	39	44	7	4	29	8	6	173

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	47	In separate Wards	0	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	0	In Wards with other Inmates,	4	
Total,	47	Total,	4	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	12	1	1	14
No. in Workhouse at date	4	0	0	4

No. at corresponding period last year, 169.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 21 day of April 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Persons
No. I.	112	112	7	7	119	119
No. II.	54	54	1	1	55	55
No. III.	10	10			10	10
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Car. forward.	176	176	8	8	184	184

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Persons
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 26 day of April 1888

PRESENT: In the Chair, Col. Maurice C. S. Blake.

Other Guardians:—

Martin Fitzpatrick, and Redmond Mallett, Esquires.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1812 to No. 1825, 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. 5541 to No. 5549, 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:—

Mr. John Kelly, Jun. Relieving Officer, reported the receipt of an Eviction Notice in the Neale Electoral Division in the case of Lord Kilmaine v Edward Jennings.

Mr. John Hayes, Relieving Officer, reported the receipt of two Eviction Notices in the Roslee Electoral Division in the cases of Mrs. Eliza Brewster, v James Walsh and James Kavenny

The Notices were handed to the Clerk to be deposited with the Union Records

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 - - - £ 7 : :

Paid during the Week - - - £ 1 : 19 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account approved *the Guardians was* - - - £ 130 : 7 : 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe							477	5	6			
	Burriscarra							49	9	8			
	Coonard							43	3	1			
	Hollymount							169	1	10			
	Kilcommon							109	10	11			
	Newbrook							118	7	11			
	Roslee							62	5	3	1011	3	8
PATRICK GRADY	Cong							136	8	5			
	Dalgan							75	15	2			
	Houndswood							164	5	2			
	Kilmaine							150	4	6			
	Neale							264	7	11			
	Shrule							146	19	4	938	9	6
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla							75	13	8			
	Ballyovey							68	9	6			
	Cappaghduff							74	5	6			
	Owenbrinn							80	9	11			
	Portroyal							136	2	10	432	1	5
	TOTALS £										2361	5	7

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 £ _____ 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 s. 18 d. 11

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -	24	12	8
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -		2	6½
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - -		3	7
~~Average Cost in Fever Hospital,~~ - - - - - -			

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:—

6 lbs of Veal, 8 lbs of Suet, 100 Quarts of Gruel, 20 Mutch, 4 Yards of Calico, 2 Yards of Lace, 36 Pounds of Flour, 12 Bushels of Potatoes, 36 Pounds of Bread, 24 lbs of Sugar, 24 lbs of Butter, 12 Sets of Blacking Brushes, 6 lbs of Mutton, 2 lbs of Pepper, Load Matches, 6 Glass of 42 lbs of Rice, 12 lbs of Barley, Sand Spoons, 24 Pairs of Iron Candles, 120 lbs of Potatoes, Yards Flannel, 24 Pairs Blankets, 24 Pairs Sheets of Calico, 100 Pounds of Soap, 4 Pairs of Shoes, 60 Ounces of Tea, 100 Pounds Oatmeal, 24 Pairs of Canty Shoes of Calico

£	s.	d.

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

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

The Report from the Master this day

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):—

In pursuance of Section 3 of Act 6 & 7 Vic cap 92, several thirty day Notices were duly signed requiring certain Occupiers of Tenements in the Neale and Haunswood Electoral Division of the Union to pay Rates made upon Lord Kilmaine, William C. W. Wilde and Reps of Joseph S. Blake, as Immediate Lessees of Rateable property in said Electoral Division

The Audited Abstracts of Union Accounts for the Half Year ended 29 Septr 1857, were laid before the Board of Guardians, approved of, and signed by the Presiding Chairman

Resolved that the Visiting Committee be appointed to take stock of Bedding, Clothing, Provisions, &c. in the Workhouse on Monday 21st May next, and that the Clerk of the Union give Notice to each Member of the Committee to attend on that date,

Referring to the Local Government Board letter of the 12th instant, relating to the failure of Relieving Officer John Hynes, to pay a man named Richard Kain for a coffin ordered in June last, and to other irregularities on his part, Mr Hynes handed to the Presiding Chairman a written explanation on the subject, which the Clerk was directed to forward to the Local Government Board with copy of Minutes of this days proceedings

The Medical Officer submitted an Estimate of Medicines &c. required for the Workhouse Hospital, which was approved of, and an order made on the Contractors to supply the several articles specified therein,

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	12
Ditto disallowed	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	1
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	6
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	3
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	nil

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.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 3 day of May 1888

(Signed), Thomas May

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 26 day of April 1888

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,* Col Maurice C. S. Blake

Other Guardians:

Marlin Fitzpatrick and Redmond Mellett, Esquires.

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ *188* *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* _____ *188*

Ballinrobe District, ... *£*

Cong District, ... *£*

Hollymount 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 vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.

41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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 Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 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*]:—

Mauria of Blake

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

5 day of May 1888

(Signed) Thomas Clay
Clerk of the Union.

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[Special.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 60,314

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28 day of April 1888

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 Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse	579	169										
Temporary Buildings	—											
Permanent Fever Hospital	65	0										
TOTAL	644	169										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			24	12	39	44	7	4	29	8	6	173
Admitted during the Week			7	—	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	12
TOTAL			31	12	43	45	7	4	29	8	6	185
Discharged during the Week			9	2	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	16
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Discharged and Dead			9	2	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	16
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			22	10	40	43	7	4	29	8	6	169

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	45	In separate Wards	0	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	0	In Wards with other Inmates	4	
Total	45	Total	4	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	13	0	0	13
No. in Workhouse at date	3	0	0	3

No. at corresponding period last year, 196

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 28 day of April 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Persons	RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Persons
No. I.	113	113	7	7	120	120	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	54	54	1	1	55	55	No. X.						
No. III.	10	10			10	10	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Cat. for wd.	177	177	8	8	185	185	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the day of 188

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

Owing to the attendance of Guardians the Meeting was held this day

[illegible]

3 May 1888

Thomas [illegible]

[illegible]

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. _____, 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 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 £ 876 : 11 : 8

Paid during the Week £ 695 : 0 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 181 : 9 : 0

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 Ledgement 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 £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe	5 6 9		4 15 4 3	
	Burriscarra	1 9 1		3 9 10	
	Coonard	1 6 3 1		2 5 1 6	
	Hollymount	3 9 11 3		12 5 10 8	
	Kilcommon	11 8 6		9 8 2 11	
	Newbrook	8 4 15 3		6 8 12 8	
	Roslee	25 18 10	134 10 2	81 6 5	616 18 1
PATRICK GRADY	Cong	1 9 5		13 4 19 6	
	Dalgan	13 10 5		6 2 4 9	
	Houndswood	11 9 9		14 2 15 5	
	Kilmaine	8 9 3 2		11 1 6 11	
	Neale	4 2 3 5		2 2 4 1	
	Shrule	12 8 1	125 5 1	134 10 10	913 15 5
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla	2 1 1		6 5 12	
	Ballyovey	23 10 11		4 4 15 2	
	Cappaghduff	5 1 11		6 9 8 2	
	Owenbrinn	8 5 6		2 2 4 11	
	Portroyal	12 19 6	52 1 5	118 3 4	826 6 1
	TOTALS £		876 11 8		2894 8 11

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

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

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ ~~. . .~~ 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, £ 23 s. 11 d. 7

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -	23	12	4
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -	-	2	1
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - -	-	8	5
~~Average Cost in Fever Hospital,~~ - - - - - - -	-		

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:—

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 28 day of Oct., 1865 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	14	18	1,
In Kind, - - - - - - - -	0	12	5,
Total, - -	£ 15	10	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 sanctioned by the Board, Cheques on the Treasurer and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and directed to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII				
No. IX.				
Car. forwd.				

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
Bt. forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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:—

£	s.	d.

£ s. d.

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

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

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):—

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 - - -

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -

Do. 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.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

day of _____ 188

(*Signed*), _____

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,*

Other Guardians:

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ 188 *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* _____ 186

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount District, ... £

[This is to be entered on the occasion of every appointment (or 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 Rate-payers 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

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.
41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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 Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 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*]:—

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

____ day of _____ 188

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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[*Special.*]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 6,031 4

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5 day of May 1888

Number of Inmates for which Accommodation is provided	No. Under Care in Hospital or Separate Wards in each Building	No. in the Wards on the above Date
Workhouse	579	1[illegible]
Temporary Buildings,	—	
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	9
TOTAL,	644	1[illegible]

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	22	10	46	48	2	4	29	8	6	164
Admitted during the Week,	4	2	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	15
TOTAL,	31	12	48	50	2	4	29	8	6	179
Discharged during the Week,	4	10	2	4	1	—	—	—	—	17
Died,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Discharged and Dead,	4	10	2	4	1	—	—	—	—	17
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	27	10	36	46	1	4	29	8	6	162

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 45	In separate Wards 9	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 9	In Wards with other Inmates, 4	
Total, 45	Total, 4	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	10	8	—	16
No. in Workhouse at date	1	nil	nil	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 171

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 5 day of May 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
No. I.	109	109	6	6	115	115
No. II.	50	50	1	1	51	51
No. III.	11	11			11	11
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Carried forward,	170	170	7	7	177	177

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.		5				
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY *of* MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* THURSDAY, *the* 10 *day of* May 1888

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* — Col. Maunsell C. J. Wilde

Other Guardians:—

Alexander Blair, Michael Brennan, Patrick O'Boyle, Redmond Mallett, John Tennison, Martin Fitzpatrick, and Thomas Heaphy, Esquires.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1601 to No. 1692, 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. 5500 to No. 5550, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the Week - - - £ . . .

Paid during the Week - - - £ . . .

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 £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe			41 6 4 0	
	Burriscarra			89 10 2	
	Coonard			25 1 6	
	Hollymount			120 10 8	
	Kilcommon			90 2 11	
	Newbrook			80 12 8	
	Roslee			36 6 5	816 13 6
PATRICK GRADY	Cong			134 19 6	
	Dalgan			62 4 7	
	Houndswood			142 15 5	
	Kilmaine			111 6 11	
	Neale			200 4 6	
	Shrule			284 10 11	819 15 5
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla			65 12 2	
	Ballyovey			44 15 2	
	Cappaghduff			69 8 2	
	Owenbrinn			22 4 11	
	Portroyal			118 8 4	875 6 6
	TOTALS £				2691 8 11

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

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

~~The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ . . . . 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, £ 23 s. 5 d. 11

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -	23	2	1,
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -		2	1,
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - - -		8	3½
~~Average Cost in Fever Hospital,~~ - - - - - - - -			

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:—

1, 11 of Veal, 24 lb of Suet.
54 Rolls of Quarterns XX Paker.
2 Wells of allsorts and round, 4
Cheese of 7 lb, 28 lb of -
Soap, 2 lb of Yorkshire Snuff
2 lb of Starch, 2 lb of Blue,
2 lb of Pepper, 12 lb of Barley
Pearl Barley, 1 cwt lb of White
Bread, 2 cwt lb of Wheat. 25 lb
Spoons of Tea 9 lb, 100
Slices of Potatoes, 80 Bakers
of Beef

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 5 day of Dec. 1868 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	14	1,	5,
In Kind, - - - - - - - -	2	5	1,
Total, - - £	16,	11	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 respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	[illegible]	25 0 1			Bt. forward				
No. II.	[illegible]	10 0 0			No. X.				
No. III.	[illegible]	15 0 0			No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.	[illegible]	0 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:—

	£	s.	d.
Clerk of Enclosures under Repealed Poor Laws			
Edward [illegible] Officer, Repulsion, Poor	4	18	2
Anthony [illegible] Repulsion, Poor	2	8	6,
Rooner [illegible] Repulsion, Poor	2	5	6,
James [illegible] Repulsion, Poor	2	13	6
Enclosures, Law and other Expenses Paid			
Edward [illegible] Officer, for remuneration and paid by [illegible] for examining Plans of various Enclosures	3	1	6,
Respecting Recent Poor, Enclosures, Law and other Expenses Paid			
John [illegible] for Serving Notices and Proceedings			
thereon [illegible]	2	2	6,
John [illegible] Same	1	12	6,
[illegible] [illegible] Same		12	6,

£	s.	d.

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

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

No Report from the Master this day

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):—

Circular Letter from Local Government Board No. 44 M 88, dated 26 April, 1888, transmitting therewith, a Form to be filled up, and returned to their Office, as soon as the expenditure chargeable upon the Parliamentary Grant for Educational and Medical purposes in Wallinsk Union for the Half Year ended 25th March last, shall have been accurately ascertained.

Letter from Same, No. 14,221/1888, dated 27 April 1888 with reference to the proposal to reduce the Valuation required for the Office of Guardian for the Wallinchalla, Wallyaway Cappaghduff and Downhinn Electoral Divisions, stating that they

they see no necessity for entertaining the proposal contained in the Guardians resolution at present.

The Board, however, will be prepared to consider the matter before the next Annual Election of Guardians in the Union, should the Guardians so desire.

Circular Letter from Same, No. 12,121/88 dated 2 May 1888, requesting to be informed how the requisition forms requiring the names of inhabitant occupiers are served in Wallinsk Union.

Letter from Same, No. 12,122/88 dated 2 May 1888 expressing their approval of the appointment of Mr. Thomas Henehan as Relieving Officer and Sanitary Sub Officer in the Wallinsk Union, at a Salary of Fifteen Pounds a year as Relieving Officer, and Three Pounds fifteen shillings a year as Sanitary Sub Officer.

Circular Letter from Same No. 10,222/88, dated 5 May 1888, on the subject of the correct religious registration of all paupers on their admission to the Workhouse.

The foregoing Circular Letter was read for the Master of the Workhouse, and he was instructed to carry out the Local Government Boards suggestions.

Letter from Mr. Michael Walsh, dated 10 May 1888 applying for payment of a sum of Fourteen pounds, for eight weeks remuneration for acting as temporary Relieving Officer of Cappaghduff Disbed.

Resolved

Resolved that the Board of Guardians decline to pay Mr. Walsh more than Ten Shillings per week, which was the rate of remuneration fixed upon on the 8 March last.

In pursuance of Section 3 of Act 6 & 7 Vic. cap. 92, Nineteen Thirty day Notices were duly signed requiring certain Occupiers of Tenements in the Newbrook Electoral Division to pay Rates made upon Mr. George E. Brown as Immediate Lessor of Rateable Property in said Electoral Division

Resolved that Mr. Timothy Stanners be requested to submit an Estimate for supplying two Iron Chimney pieces for the Master and Matron's Rooms, and for supplying and erecting two new Waiters for the Kitchen Range.

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	29
Ditto disallowed	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	nil
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	11
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	2
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	3
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	nil

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.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the
17 day of May 1888

(Signed), Thomas Mary

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 10 day of May 1888

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,* Col. Maurice C. S. Blake

Other Guardians:

Alex. Marlyn, Matthew Duggan, Patrick O'Neale, Redmond Mellett, John Sennings, Martin Fitzpatrick, and Thomas Heraghty, Esquires.

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

	£	s.	d.
Cong District.			
Unpaid Bills Acct. Salin Kelly, junior, remuneration for extra duties imposed upon him by the authority of Fever in the Cong Dispensary Dist.	10	0	0
Former L A Lallagrave, same.	50	0	0
Edward McGuire, remuneration for services as Company substitute for Medical Officer	21	2	8

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ *188* *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* _____ *188*

Ballinrobe District, ... *£*

Cong District, ... *£*

Hollymount 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 all any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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

Vaccination Reports (Form H) were received from the Medical Officers of Wallinrahe, Cong and Hallymount Dispensary Districts from which it appeared that during the Quarter ended 31st March, 1888, 72 persons had been successfully vaccinated by them.

Referring to Minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the 2nd February last, the Clerk reports that on the 31st December 1887, there were 174 defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act, of whom 70 have since got their children vaccinated. Certificates of unfitness to vaccination have been issued in the cases of 95 children, 5 children have died, and the parents of one child have left the country.

Reports (Form P) were received from the Medical Officers of Wallinrahe and Hallymount Dispensary Districts, from which it appeared that there were 111 defaulters in Wallinrahe District, and 20 defaulters in Hallymount District.

[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 three months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

Total defaulters in the Union up to 31st March 1888. 131

Resolved, that the Relieving Officers be directed to serve personally upon each defaulter, a printed Notice to comply with

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

the provisions of the Compulsory Vaccination Act, within fourteen days from date of service, and that they be allowed six pence for each Notice served.

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.

41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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:—

Circular Letter from Local Government Board, No. 45-111/88, dated 24 April, 1888, requesting to be furnished with a Return showing the amount paid on account of New Salaries or additional Salaries to Sanitary Officers for the Half Year ended 25 March last, with a view to a portion thereof being recouped out of the Vote of Parliament in accordance with the 11th Section of the Public Health Act, 1878.

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 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*]:—

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Martin Fitzpatrick

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

11 day of May 1888

(Signed) Thomas Healy

Clerk of the Union.

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[Special.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ [illegible]

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12 day of May 1888.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	[illegible]	[illegible] above date
Workhouse	579	116
Temporary Buildings	—	
Permanent Fever Hospital	65	4
TOTAL	644	72

	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	21	10	38	44	7	4	27	8	6	167
Admitted during the Week,	9	2	3	1	1	1	2	1	2	22
TOTAL,	30	12	41	45	8	5	31	9	8	189
Discharged during the Week,	8	1	2	2	—	—	2	1	1	17
Died,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Discharged and Dead,	8	1	2	2	—	—	2	1	1	17
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	22	11	39	43	8	5	29	8	7	172

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	42	In separate Wards	4	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other Inmates,	4	
Total,	46	Total,	4	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	11	1	3	15
No. in Workhouse at date	1	4	4	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 167

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 12 day of May 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Persons
No. I.	109	109	6	6	115	115
No. II.	54	54	1	1	55	55
No. III.	12	12	2	2	14	14
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Total Cur. forward.	175	175	9	9	184	184

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Persons
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the ____ day of ____ 188

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

Owing to non attendance of Guardians, no Meeting was held this day

2 o'clock PM
17 May 1888
Thomas May
Clerk of Union

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No._____ to No._____, 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 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 - - - £ 514 : 1 : 8

Paid during the Week - - - £ 138 : 0 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - - - £ 552 : 19 : 3

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 Ledgement 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 £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe	122	1	10				24	2	5			
	Burriscarra	6	15	11				82	14	8			
	Coonard		10	5				24	2	2			
	Hollymount	2	6	5				116	16	8			
	Kilcommon	9	16	6				88	12	5			
	Newbrook	16	4	6				42	8	2			
	Roslee	8	6	2	166	12	9	83	6	8	656	1	9
PATRICK GRADY	Cong	25	8	2				109	15	11			
	Dalgan	18	1	5				84	8	4			
	Houndswood							142	15	6			
	Kilmaine	18	1	6				92	18	11			
	Neale	58	16	2				163	18	4			
	Shrule	64	6	5	164	2	2	90	10	8	638	13	8
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla	21	6	2				51	6	8			
	Ballyovey	22	4	8				20	16	11			
	Cappaghduff	58	16	6				18	2	2			
	Owenbrinn	6	14	2				2	18	9			
	Portroyal	21	8	9	187	6	7	72	12	2	186	13	8
	TOTALS £				514	1	8				1461	8	8

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 £ ——— : ——— : ——— 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, £ [illegible] s. 18 d. [illegible]

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -		[illegible]	[illegible]
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - - -		[illegible]	[illegible]
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - - -		[illegible]	[illegible]

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:—

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 12 day of May 1865 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	14	18	[illegible]
In Kind, - - - - - - - -	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total, - -	£ 12	12	[illegible]

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 respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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:—

	£	s.	d.

£ s. d.

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

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

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):—

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 -

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -

Do. 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. /

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

_____day of _____188

(*Signed*), _____

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,*

Other Guardians:

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ *188* *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* _____ *188*

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount 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 vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.

41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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 Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 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*]:—

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

____day of_____188

(Signed)_____

Clerk of the Union.

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[Special.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £[illegible]

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19 day of May 1888

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 Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse	579	96										
Temporary Buildings,	—											
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	6										
TOTAL,	644	182										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			22	11	39	43	8	5	29	8	2	122
Admitted during the Week,			10	2	4	2	—	—	—	1	1	20
TOTAL,			32	13	43	45	8	5	29	9	8	192
Discharged during the Week,			4	—	—	2	—	1	1	1	1	10
Died,			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	—	—	2	—	1	1	1	1	10
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			28	13	43	43	8	4	28	8	2	182

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	46	In separate Wards	0	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	6	In Wards with other Inmates,	5	
Total,	52	Total,	5	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	9	0	0	9
No. in Workhouse at date	5	0	0	5

No. at corresponding period last year, 188

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 19 day of May 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 — Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Persons	RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 — Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Persons
No. I.	110	110	6	6	116	116	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	54	54	1	1	55	55	No. X.						
No. III.	13	13	2	2	15	15	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Bt. forward.	122	122	9	9	186	186	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 24 day of May 1888

PRESENT: In the Chair, Martin Fitzpatrick, Esq.

Other Guardians:—

Thomas Heraghty, Matthew Dungan, John Sammup, and Redmond McNally, Esquires.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1618 to No. 1874, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Poelief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 5563 to No. 5564, 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:—

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

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 - - - £ [illegible]

Paid during the Week - - - £ [illegible]

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - £552 : 19 : 3

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.

3

The Lodgements 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 £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe			[illegible]	
	Burriscarra			[illegible]	
	Coonard			[illegible]	
	Hollymount			[illegible]	
	Kilcommon			[illegible]	
	Newbrook			[illegible]	
	Roslee			[illegible]	[illegible]
PATRICK GRADY	Cong			[illegible]	
	Dalgan			[illegible]	
	Houndswood			[illegible]	
	Kilmaine			[illegible]	
	Neale			[illegible]	
	Shrule			[illegible]	[illegible]
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla			[illegible]	
	Ballyovey			[illegible]	
	Cappaghduff			[illegible]	
	Owenbrinn			[illegible]	
	Portroyal			[illegible]	[illegible]
	TOTALS £				[illegible]

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 £ . . 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, £ s. d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -	:	:	
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -	:	:	
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - -	:	:	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - - -	:	:	

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:—

(illegible)

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 15 day of [illegible] 1885 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	14	:	0
In Kind, - - - - - - - -	2	:	0
Total, - -	£ 16	:	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 respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	[illegible]	25 0 0		
No. II.	[illegible]	10 0 0		
No. III.				
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII				
No. IX.				
Car. forwd.	[illegible]	35 0 0		

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
Bt. forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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:—

	£	s.	d.
Workhouse Provision Dept.			
[illegible]	27	11	5
[illegible]	36	10	8
[illegible]	31	2	2
[illegible]	32	4	1
[illegible]	6	12	5
[illegible]	26	10	0
[illegible]	2	12	6
[illegible]	1	6	0
Lunatic Asylum Dept. Workhouse Provision Dept.			
[illegible]	9	12	6
[illegible]	15	16	10
[illegible]	14	7	1
[illegible]	16	7	3
[illegible]	4	18	0
[illegible]	15	15	0
[illegible]	5	16	4

	£	s.	d.
Unpaid Bills Acct., Clothing Acct.			
John McHugh, for Straw	3	0	0
Establishment Account.			
Myles McDonnell, for Brushes, Spoons &c	12	5	0
Thomas Geraghty, for Seed Potatoes	3	15	0
Thomas O'Donnell, for Gravel	6	5	0
Elections, Law & other Expenses Acct.			
Edward H. Fergus, Solicitor, for Law Costs	4	5	0
Petty Disbursements Acct.			
(Clerk of Union) to provide for payment of	30	0	0

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

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

The Report from the Master this day

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

General Order No. 12.182/88. dated 5 May 1888 — Assessing a sum of £14,492.9.4 upon the Several Unions in Ireland under the Provisions of "The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act 1878.

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):—

Circular Letter from Local Government Board No. 12.182/88 dated 18 May 1888, enclosing therewith, a copy of an order under their Seal assessing a sum of £14,492.9.4 upon the Several Unions in Ireland under the Provisions of The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act 1878. The amount assessed upon Wallinrahe Union being £62.12.10½

The Clerk reported the death of Mr. Stephen Donnellon one of the elected Guardians for the Wallinrahe Electoral Division and Vice Chairman of the Board.

Proposed by Mr. Matthew Dungan
Seconded by Mr. John Jennings

Resolved Unanimously that this Board have learned with great regret of the death of their respected Vice Chairman, Mr. Stephen Donnellon on Wednesday 11 Instant. Mr. Donnellon was for several Years Vice Chairman of the Board of Guardians, and in that capacity he was most careful of the interests of the Union and kind to the poor, by whom he was much beloved.

The Board desire to express their deepest sympathy with Mr. Donnellon's family in their sad bereavement, and the Clerk is directed to forward a copy of this resolution to his afflicted widow.

Resolved that the Local Government Board be requested to issue as soon as practicable, an Order for the Election of a Guardian for Wallinrahe Electoral Division in room of the late Mr. Stephen Donnellon, and of a Guardian for the Shrule Electoral Division, no Guardian having been elected for that Division on the 31st March last.

The Clerk informed the Board of Guardians that he had received a Civil Bill in the case of Michael Walsh v. The Guardians of Wallinrahe Union, for recovery of a sum of Fourteen Pounds, for Eight weeks remuneration as temporary Relieving Officer of Cappaghduff District.

Resolved.

Resolved that Miss Hopper, Mrs Mackay & Mrs Kelly and Edward Mc Guigan, Solicitor, be employed to defend the case on the part of the Guardians.

Resolved that new Arms of the Workhouse Medical Officer Thompson, be sent for surgical treatment to the Adelaide Hospital Dublin.

The Board of Guardians having taken stock of Bedding &c in the Workhouse and this date, found same to be correct and to agree with the Stock Books, it was Resolved that the following articles, be condemned as unserviceable and struck off the stock appearing on hands in the Bedding Wards, Viz:-

Bedding

240 Sheets, 89 Blankets, 109 Rugs, 84 Bed-Ticks and 16 Palaces

Nil

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
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - -	
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	Nil
	Nil
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -	15
Do. 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 - - - - - - -	2
	5
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	Nil

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./

Clothing

41 Coats, 89 Waistcoats, 42 pairs of Trousers, 184 Shirts, 2 pairs of Shoes, 29 Hats, 44 Flannel Vests, 18 pairs of Drawers and 1 Petticoat.

Women Clothing

90 Dresses, 142 Petticoats, 114 Shifts, 101 Gowns, 55 - Flannel Petticoats, 4 pairs of Shoes, 6 pairs of Stockings, 1 Cap Bonnet and 6 Shawls.

Boys Clothing

15 Kilt Coats, 2 Waistcoats, 2 pairs of Trousers, 52 Shirts, 28 pairs of Shoes, 44 pairs of Stockings, 41 Caps, and 44 Collars.

Girls Clothing

152 Petticoats, 72 Pelisses, 152 Shifts, 208 Vests, 44 Pillow Cases, and 44 Petticoat Gowns.

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

31 day of May 1888

(Signed), Thomas Clay

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 24 day of May 1888

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair*, Martin Fitzpatrick, Esq

Other Guardians:

Thomas Heraghty, Matthew Dunyan, John Jennings, and Redmond Mellett, Esquires.

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ 186 *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* _____ 186 .

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount District, ... £

[This is to be entered on the Occasion of every Appointment of a new Committee after the Annual Election of a Committee, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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 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 Local Government Board, No. 20715/88 — dated 11 May 1888, forwarding to be laid before the Board of Guardians, an accompanying copy of a note of the Assistant Registrar of the Long District, made on his return to the Registrar General of Births and Deaths for the Quarter ended 31st March last, relating to the prevalence of Typhus fever in the district during that period: and requesting that the Gentleman who is discharging the duties of Medical Officer of Health may be asked to furnish a report on the present state of the District

As Dr. Bonner & A. Lellaguere has resumed the discharge of his duties, he is requested to furnish the Board of Guardians with the report required by the Local Government Board.

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.

41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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 Public Health [Ireland] Act, 1878, 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*]:—

Maurice J Blake

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 31st day of May 1888

(Signed) Thomas Mary
Clerk of the Union.

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[Special.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 60,314

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of May 1888

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
Workhouse	579	69
Temporary Buildings,	—	
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	5
TOTAL,	644	74

	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	28	13	43	43	8	4	28	8	7	162
Admitted during the Week,	4	1	—	2	1	—	—	—	1	9
TOTAL,	32	14	43	45	9	4	28	8	8	171
Discharged during the Week,	8	1	2	3	1	—	—	—	1	16
Died,	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Total Discharged and Dead,	8	1	3	3	1	—	—	—	1	17
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	24	13	40	42	8	4	28	8	7	124

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	40	In separate Wards	0	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other Inmates,	5	
Total,	45	Total,	5	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	5	0	1	9
No. in Workhouse at date	0	0	0	0

No. at corresponding period last year, 167

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of May 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 — Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Persons
No. I.	114	114	6	6	120	120
No. II.	54	54	3	3	57	57
No. III.	13	13	2	2	15	15
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Carried forward,	181	181	11	11	192	192

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 — Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Persons
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 31st day of May 1888

PRESENT: In the Chair, Col. Maurice C. J. Blake

Other Guardians:—

Matthew Dungan, Michael Walsh, Thomas Heraghty, Patrick A. Boyle, Redmond Mellett, Martin Fitzpatrick, and Mark A. Brown, Esquires.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1515 to No. 1903, 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. 5511 to No. 5519, 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 - - - £ 998 : 7 : 6

Paid during the Week - - - £ 112 : 12 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account [illegible] of the Guardians was - - - £ 563 : 2 : 3

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 £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe	59	19	2				236	2	10			
	Burriscarra	10	5	1				22	9	7			
	Coonard	11	2	10				13	4	9			
	Hollymount	48	6	6				26	8	9			
	Kilcommon	56	18	6				24	18	11			
	Newbrook	16	18	10				88	14	4			
	Roslee	6	14	11	218	1	8	22	11	4	448	1	6
PATRICK GRADY	Cong	22	18	8				64	12	2			
	Dalgan	14	8	9				19	13	7			
	Houndswood	21	6	2				111	9	8			
	Kilmaine	26	12	10				64	2	1			
	Neale	29	2	9				124	5	7			
	Shrule	19	14	5	156	3	2	70	16	5	452	10	1
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla	1	11	2				89	15	8			
	Ballyovey	5	8	9				17	7	2			
	Cappaghduff	1	6	6				14	1	1			
	Owenbrinn							5	16	9			
	Portroyal	21	8	8	29	5	1	76	13	11	157	5	2
	TOTALS £				403	9	6				1052	18	9

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 £ . 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, £ 85 s. 11 d. 7

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - -	23	12	4
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -		2	5
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - - -		3	2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - - - -		2	5½

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:—

[illegible]

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 27th day of July 1868 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	15	6	6
In Kind, - - - - - - - -	2	14	6
Total, - -	£ 17	15	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 respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	[illegible]	2 5 6		
No. II.	[illegible]	10 6 6		
No. III.	[illegible]	6 6 6		
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII				
No. IX.				
Car. forwd.	[illegible]	18 5 6		

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
Bt. forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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:—

	£	s.	d.
[illegible]			
[illegible]	6	15	8
[illegible]	2	15	6
[illegible]	2	15	6
[illegible]	2	15	6

£ s. d.

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

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

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):—

Circular Letter from Local Government Board, 71: 2a 2b 2 1888. requesting to be furnished with a Return as to the Provisions of the Union in the Year 1887, in order to enable the Local Government Board to comply with an order of the House of Commons,

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 - - 13

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - - - - 7

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 11

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - 13

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - 2

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - - 4

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - 11

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.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

7 day of June 1888

(*Signed*), Thomas Mew

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 31 day of May 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,* Col Maurice C. S. Blake

Other Guardians: Matthew Dunpan, Michael Walsh, Thomas Heraghty, Patrick O'Boyle, Redmond Mellett, Martin Fitzpatrick, and Mark O'Brien, Esquires.

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

	£	s.	d.
Clonfinaid Wells Clerk			
Ballinrobe District			
Sir Richard Wallscourland, for Part of the Ballinrobe District	4	0	0
Cong District			
Jacob Wallace, for Part of Cong District	4	0	0
Hollymount District			
William Wells, for Part of Hollymount District	4	0	0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ 186 *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* _____ 186

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount 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 vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.

41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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:—

A Document signed by several of the Rate payers of Haunderwood Electoral Division, was laid before the Guardians, drawing attention to the want of a proper fence around the Burial Ground of Kearly Park, situate in that Electoral Division.

Resolved, that the consideration of this matter be adjourned pending inquiry into the present state of the fence, and the probable cost of repairing it. The Board of Guardians will in the next new Rate, make provision for the cost of its repair

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 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*]:—

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

2 day of June 188S

(Signed) Thomas Clay
Clerk of the Union.

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[Special.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £1,6,814

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7 day of July 1888

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. of Cubic feet of space allowed by Law in each Building	No. of Cubic feet of space allowed by Law in each Room	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse . . . 579												
Temporary Buildings, —												
Permanent Fever Hospital, 65												
TOTAL, 644												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			24	18	46	53	8	4	28	8	7	176
Admitted during the Week,			8	6	4	7	—	1	—	8	4	28
TOTAL,			32	24	50	60	8	5	28	16	11	204
Discharged during the Week,			8	8	—	1	—	1	—	—	2	20
Died, ...			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Discharged and Dead,			8	8	—	1	—	1	—	—	2	20
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			24	16	50	59	8	4	28	16	9	184

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 4	In separate Wards 0	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 5	In Wards with other Inmates, 5	
Total, 9	Total, 5	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	8	8	6	22
No. in Workhouse at date	1	1	4	6

No. at corresponding period last year, 164

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 7 day of July 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
No. I.	112	112	6	6	120	120
No. II.	51	51	8	8	59	59
No. III.	18	18	2	2	15	15
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Bt. forwd.	181	181	11	11	192	192

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the day of 188

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Guardians:—

Owing to the inclement weather a sufficient number of Guardians to form a Meeting was not present this day to act.

Thomas Kelly
Clerk of Union
7th July 1888.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No._____ to No._____, 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 the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the Week £ : : .

Paid during the Week £ : : .

And that the Balance on the Account in favour 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 £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe			236 2 [illegible]	
	Burriscarra			22 [illegible] 2	
	Coonard			[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]	
	Hollymount			[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]	
	Kilcommon			24 [illegible] [illegible]	
	Newbrook			53 14 [illegible]	
	Roslee			22 [illegible] [illegible]	449 [illegible] [illegible]
PATRICK GRADY	Cong			86 12 2	
	Dalgan			[illegible] [illegible] 2	
	Houndswood			116 [illegible] [illegible]	
	Kilmaine			64 [illegible] 1	
	Neale			124 [illegible] 2	
	Sbrule			20 16 [illegible]	482 [illegible] 1
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla			[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]	
	Ballyovey			[illegible] 2 2	
	Cappaghduff			[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]	
	Owenbrinn			[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]	
	Portroyal			26 [illegible] [illegible]	[illegible] 2
	TOTALS £				[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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 £ . . . 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, £ ১ s. ২ d. ২

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - -	২৪	৮	৭
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -		২	৫½
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - -		৪	১
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - - -		২	৫½

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:—

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 ৭ day of January 1865 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	১৫	২	৫
In Kind, - - - - - - - -	২	৪	১
Total, - -	£ ১৭	১৬	৬

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 respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII				
No. IX.				
Car. forwd.				

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
Bt. forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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:—

	£	s.	d.

£ s. d.

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

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

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):—

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The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -

Do. 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.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

day of _____ 188

(*Signed*), _____

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the_____ day of_____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,*

Other Guardians:

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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, and 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):

	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ *188* *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* _____ *188*

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount District, ... £

[This is to be entered on the [illegible] every [illegible] a new [illegible] after the [illegible] tion of [illegible] and on the [illegible] of any [illegible] any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.
41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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 Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 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*]:—

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

____ day of _____ 188

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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[Special.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 69,314

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9 day of June 1888

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 Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse	579	179										
Temporary Buildings	—											
Permanent Fever Hospital	65	nil										
TOTAL	644	179										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			24	16	44	43	6	4	28	11	9	185
Admitted during the Week			9	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	13
TOTAL			33	16	44	44	6	4	28	11	10	200
Discharged during the Week			12	6	3	2	—	1	—	3	3	30
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Discharged and Dead			12	6	3	2	—	1	—	3	3	30
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			21	12	41	42	6	3	28	8	7	170

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	45	In separate Wards	nil	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	nil	In Wards with other Inmates	5	
Total	45	Total	5	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	10	3	4	17
No. in Workhouse at date	nil	nil	nil	nil

No. at corresponding period last year, 190

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 9 day of June 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Persons
No. I.	117	117	7	7	124	124
No. II.	55	55	4	4	59	59
No. III.	13	13	2	2	15	15
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Bt. forward	185	185	13	13	198	198

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1: Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Persons
Bt. forward						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 14 day of June 1888

PRESENT: In the Chair, Alexander Martyn, Esq.

Other Guardians:—

Mark O'Hyrien, Thomas Heraghty, John Jennings, and Redmond Mellett, Esquires.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1901 to No. 1961, 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. 5611 to No. 5674, 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:—

All Valuation Maps, Field Books, Perambulation Sheets, Schedules of Electoral Divisions, Lists of Voters, Lists of Persons objected to, Lists of Persons objected for, Notices of Objection, Notices of Intention to Object, Notices of Intention to Claim, Notices of Claim, Lists of Claims, Lists of Objections

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, £ s. d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was			
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was			
Average Cost in Infirmary,			
~~Average Cost in Fever Hospital,~~			

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:—

[illegible]

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 7 day of June 1884, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	14	16	0
In Kind,	2	19	0
Total,	£17	15	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 respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	[illegible]	£ s. d.		
No. II.	[illegible]	£ s. d.		
No. III.				
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII				
No. IX.				
Car. forwd.	[illegible]	£ s. d.		

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
Bt. forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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:—

	£	s.	d.
Sewage Loan Dept.			
Commissioners of Public Works, Instalment of Loan for Metropolitan Sewage	75	12	6
Electoral Divisions Distress Loan Dept.			
Commissioners of Public Works, Instalment of Loan under Relief of Distress Act	16	18	8
Elections, Law and other Expenses Dept.			
Thomas Ellery, Clerk of Union, for Salary - Returning Officer's Cost of Expenses attending Election of Guardians in March, 1885	12	0	0
Thomas Le Bellepine, for remuneration ordered by Visitors for examining 20 dangerous Lunatics	2	0	0
Edward Herring, Solicitor, for Law Costs	0	1	0

£ s. d.

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

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

The Report from the Chaplain was

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

General Order No. 69 – 111/88, dated 25 May, 1888, for Elections to supply vacancies in Boards of Guardians for Year ending 25 March, 1889.

Order, No. 23046, 88 dated 6 June 1888, for an Election of a Guardian for the Wallinah Electoral Division for Year ending 25 March, 1889, in room of Mr. Stephen Dormellon, deceased.

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):—

Letter from Local Government Board, No. 22 – 310/88 dated 31st May, 1888, forwarding the Returning Officers Account of Expenses attending the General Election of Guardians in March last, amounting to Seventeen pounds, for payment by the Board of Guardians.

Letter from same, No. 23041/88, dated 6 June, 1888 acquainting the Guardians that they have given directions for the issue of Orders for Elections to supply vacancies in the representation of the Wallinah and Shute Electoral Divisions respectively

Letter from Sir John Wall Greene, Commissioner of Valuation dated 6 June, 1888, stating that he has transmitted for the use of the Board of Guardians the Valuation Lists relating to the several Electoral Divisions of Wallinah Union, as revised and amended for the present Year.

Proposed by Mr. Mark O'Brien
Seconded by Mr. Thomas Heraghty

Resolved unanimously that the time allowed the Poor Rate Collectors for completing the collection of the current Rates be extended from Friday 22 Inst. to Monday 6 of August next, and that the sureties of the Collectors be informed of such extension.

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 - - 82

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - - nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - nil

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - 18

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - 1

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - 4

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - nil

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.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

24 day of June 1886

(Signed), Thomas Hall

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 14 day of June 1888

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,* Alexander Marlyn, Esq

Other Guardians:

Mark O'Brien, Thomas Heraghty, John Jennings, and Redmond Mallett, Esquires.

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ 186 . 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 _____ 186

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount District, ... £

[This is to be entered on the ... every ... after the ... tion of ... and on ... of any ... any vacancies in ... pensary Committees.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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 Doctor Connor J. A. Lallagrue, Medical Officer of Cong Dispensary District, of which the following is a copy:—

Cong 5 June, 1888

Gentlemen

I beg to report to you that my district is now in a very satisfactory condition, there are no cases of infectious disease, and Registration and Vaccination are going on well.

The Sanitary condition is very good — the Sanitary Officer had almost every house in the District whitewashed and several Cesspools closed, which very effectually checked the spread of the epidemic of Typhus fever,

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient Servant
Connor John Lallagrue, M.D.

To The Board of Guardians
Ballinrobe Union

[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 three months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

Letter from Local Government Board. No. 20,629/88 — dated 10 June, 1888, referring to Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians on the 10 Ultimo, and requesting to be informed whether the defaulters under the Compulsory

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

Vaccination Act in the several Dispensary Districts have since complied with the Law.

Resolved

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.

41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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:—

Resolved, that the Clerk be instructed to report on the subject on Thursday the 28 Aug.

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 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*]:—

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Martin Fitzpatrick

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

21 day of June 1885

(Signed) Thomas Ellis
Clerk of the Union.

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[*Special.*]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 10 14

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of January 1886

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided		Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse	579										
Temporary Buildings,	—										
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
TOTAL,	644										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,		21	12	41	42	6	8	28	6	2	170
Admitted during the Week,		15	2	5	2	2	—	1	—	—	27
TOTAL,		36	14	46	44	10	8	29	6	2	197
Discharged during the Week,		11	8	8	2	2	—	—	—	—	31
Died,											
Total Discharged and Dead,		11	8	8	2	2	—	—	—	—	31
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,		25	11	38	42	8	8	29	6	2	166

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	14	In separate Wards	1
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates,	5
Total,	15	Total,	6

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	10	1	1	12
No. in Workhouse at date	1	1	1	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 122

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of January 1886, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
I.	116	116	7	7	123	123
II.	62	62	5	5	67	67
III.	17	17	5	5	19	19
IV.						
V.						
VI.						
VII.						
VIII.						
IX.						
Brought forward,	195	195	17	17	209	209

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of *Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* THURSDAY, *the* ___ *day of* ___ 188

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Guardians:—

Owing to the non attendance of Guardians no Meeting was held this day

Thos. O'Dowd P.M.

Thomas Kelly

Edward Flynn

21 June 1886

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No._____ to No._____, 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 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 - - - £ [illegible]

Paid during the Week - - - £ [illegible]

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - - - £ [illegible]

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 Ledger's Cash 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 £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe			[illegible]	
	Burriscarra			[illegible]	
	Coonard			[illegible]	
	Hollymount			[illegible]	
	Kilcommon			[illegible]	
	Newbrook			[illegible]	
	Roslee			[illegible]	[illegible]
PATRICK GRADY	Cong			[illegible]	
	Dalgan			[illegible]	
	Houndswood			[illegible]	
	Kilmaine			[illegible]	
	Neale			[illegible]	
	Shrule			[illegible]	[illegible]
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla			[illegible]	
	Ballyovey			[illegible]	
	Cappaghduff			[illegible]	
	Owenbrinn			[illegible]	
	Portroyal			[illegible]	[illegible]
TOTALS £					911 19 4

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 £ _____ 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 Receeipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ [illegible] s. [illegible] d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - -	[illegible]	:	[illegible]
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -		:	[illegible]
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - - -		:	[illegible]
~~Average Cost in Fever Hospital,~~ - - - - - - - -		:	:

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:—

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 [illegible] day of [illegible] 186[illegible] whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	[illegible]	:	[illegible]
In Kind, - - - - - - - -	[illegible]	:	[illegible]
Total, - -	£ [illegible]	:	[illegible]

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 examined by the Board, Cheques on the Treasurer and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and directed to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII				
No. IX.				
Car. forwd.				

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
Bt. forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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:—

	£	s.	d.

£ s. d.

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

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

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):—

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 -

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -

Do. 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.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

day of _____ 188

(*Signed*), _____

Clerk of the Union.

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BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the_____day of_____188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,*

Other Guardians:

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

£	s.	d.

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

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.
41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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 Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878, 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*]:—

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

_____ day of _____ 188

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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[Special.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 6,051 4

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of June 1886

Numbered Inmates for which accommodation is provided	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse . . 379										
Temporary Buildings, . —										
Permanent Fever Hospital, 65										
Total, . 444										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	20	11	43	42	5	8	3	6	2	121
Admitted during the Week, .	15	1	8	1	—	2	—	1	1	19
Total,	35	12	51	43	5	10	3	7	3	140
Discharged during the Week, .	19	—	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	16
Died, ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Discharged and Dead, .	19	—	8	1	—	—	—	—	—	16
Remaining on the above date,	16	12	43	42	5	10	3	7	3	124

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 40	In separate Wards 2	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 1	In Wards with other Inmates, 5	
Total, 41	Total, 5	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	10	nil	nil	10
No. in Workhouse at date	nil	nil	nil	nil

No. at corresponding period last year, 121

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of June 1886, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
No. I.	118	118	8	8	126	126
No. II.	52	52	5	5	57	57
No. III.	17	17	5	5	19	19
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Total.	187	187	18	18	202	202

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 26 day of June 1886

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, Charles Fitzpatrick, Esq

Other Guardians:—

Charles G. Bland, Archibald Mollett, Alexander Duncan, Robert O'Brien, Thomas Gracey and John Jennings, Esqrs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1932 to No. 1965, 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. 5586 to No. 5591, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

The Clerk laid before the Board of Guardians, certified copy of the List of duly qualified candidates nominated for Office of Guardian in the Wallmore and Shrule Electoral Divisions for year ending 25 March, 1869.

The Clerk laid before the Board of Guardians, a certified copy of the Return of Guardians elected in the Wallmore and Shrule Electoral Divisions for year ending 25 March 1869.

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 . . . £161 : 12 : 4

Paid during the Week . . . £23 : 15 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was . . . £514 : 12 : 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 follows:—

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe	14	19	11				194	10	6			
	Burriscarra	12	5	4				3	9	1			
	Coonard							13	4	9			
	Hollymount	22	14	5				39	9	11			
	Kilcommon	5	11	3				13	15	2			
	Newbrook	26	10	6				15	9	3			
	Roslee	1	4	11	93	5	10	25	3	11	375	2	1
PATRICK GRADY	Cong	11	15	6				74	19	2			
	Dalgan	1	19	1				18	6	6			
	Houndswood	16	1	6				63	7	2			
	Kilmaine	17	19	1				18	18	3			
	Neale	18	6	1				72	11	4			
	Shrule	13	8	2	79	11	11	22	6	4	299	16	9
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla		7	6				39	8	3			
	Ballyovey							15	15	4			
	Cappaghduff	1	13	1				9	7	3			
	Owenbrinn							8	6	9			
	Portroyal	6	19	6	8	19	7	52	11	7	125	3	2
	TOTALS £				161	12	4				736	2	6

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 £ : : 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, £21 s. 7 d. 5

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	22	7	7
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	4
Average Cost in Infirmary,		3	6½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,		13	10½

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:—

7 lb. of Tea, 28 lb. of Soft Sugar, 14 lb. of Loaf Sugar, 48 Bottles of Guinness's XX Porter, 8 quarts of Whiskey, 2 Bottles of Marsala Wine, 2 quarts of Gin, 35 lb. of Soap, 24 lb. of Washing Soda, 2 lb. of Starch, 2 lb. of Blue, 8 lb. of British Wax Candles, 1200 lb. of White Bread, 200 lb. of Brown Bread, 200 lb. of Meal, 300 Gallons of New Milk, 60 Boxes of Tea, 40 lb. of Wax Candles for Altar, 1 Wax Taper, 400 of 8 Nails, 400 of 12 Nails, 100 of 24 Nails

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 23 day of June 1885 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	15	17	6
In Kind,	3	1	0
Total,	£ 17	6	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 respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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:—

		£	s.	d.
Unpaid Bills Act, Establishment Act				
Grace Kelly, for Books, Printing and Stationery		15	3	7
John Falconer, for Books, Printing and Stationery		7	3	7
Expenses under the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, 1878				
Thomas May, Clerk to Local Authority	Salary	7	10	0
Patrick Walsh, Veterinary Inspector	Salary	10	0	0
Establishment Act				
Thomas Mallory, for Tab smith work		2	9	9
Thomas May, Clerk of Union	Salary	30	0	0
Patrick A. Faughan, Master	Salary	15	0	0
Francis Byrne, Matron	Salary	8	15	0
Rev. James Treanor, Church of Ireland Chaplain	Salary	3	0	0
Very Revd. James Ronayne, R. C. Chaplain	Salary	15	0	0
James Dillon Kelly, Medical Officer	Salary	25	0	0
Nicholas Mahon, Apothecary	Salary	15	0	0
Michael Concannon, Schoolmaster	Salary	8	15	0

		£	s.	d.
Continuation of Establishment Account				
Louisa Lewis, Schoolmistress	Salary	2	10	0
Maria A. Malley, Hospital Nurse	Salary	6	5	0
John Staunton, Porter	Salary	3	15	0
John Ryan, Porter	Salary	9	0	0
John Kelly, Jun. Relieving Officer	Salary	6	5	0
John Hynes, Relieving Officer	Salary	6	5	0
Thomas Heuchan, Relieving Officer	Salary	1	14	2
Michael Byrne, for Sweeping Chimneys		1	5	0
Thomas Sweeney, for Tin Ware		1	2	1
Andrew Feeney, for Lime		1	3	4
Elections, Law, and other Expenses Account				
Thomas May, Clerk of Union, for Salary as Relieving Officer		2	10	0
Officers' Superannuation Account				
John Mahon, late Schoolmaster, Superannuation allowance		3	15	0
Mark Walsh, late Porter of Wallinrobe Dispensary, Superannuation allowance		1	0	0

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

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

No Report from the Master this day

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):—

Letter from Local Government Board, No. 20,628/1888, dated 19 June 1888, expressing their sanction to the payment of remuneration to Mr. Michael Walsh, for his services while discharging temporarily the duties of Relieving Officer in the Cappaghduff District at the rate fixed by the Guardians at their Meeting on the 8 March last, viz:— Ten Shillings a week.

Circular Letter from same, No. 20,562/88, dated 24 June 1888, forwarding a copy of the Opinion of the Solicitor General for Ireland with reference to the service of requisition forms under the Representation of the People Act. 1884.

The Clerk informed the Guardians that in accordance with Article 4 of the General Regulations he had forwarded by the post of Saturday 23 Inst, a Notice to each Guardian of the Union that a Vice Chairman would be appointed in room of Mr. Stephen Donnellan, deceased.

Proposed by Mr. Patrick O'Boyle
Seconded by Mr. Mark O'Brien

Resolved Unanimously, that Mr. John O'Neil Donnellan, be elected Vice Chairman of the Board of Guardians for year ending 25 March, 1889

Resolved, that Mr. Thomas McTague, of Wallinrobe, be appointed as one of the Sureties for Mr. Byrne, Workhouse Matron, in room of Martin Fitzpatrick, who has become a Guardian of the Union.

The Clerk laid before the Guardians a Medical Certificate that Dr. Kelly, Medical Officer of the Workhouse, was unable to discharge duty, upon which it was Resolved that Dr. Edward McGuire be appointed as his substitute for one fortnight from this date, and subject to the approval of the Local Government Board, that he be paid a sum of Six pounds, as remuneration for his temporary services

Resolved that whenever a Dispensary Medical Officer shall require Medical or Surgical assistance in any difficult Midwifery or other case when attending a poor patient, he shall have the privilege of selecting his assistant, and that the Relieving Officer shall grant same assistant

Resolved

Resolved, that Mr. John Kane, Workhouse Tailor, be granted three weeks leave of absence from this date.

Resolved that Miss Louisa Lewis, Schoolmistress, be granted one day leave of absence.

Resolved, that Mr. Timothy Stanners, be paid a sum of Seven Pounds, for supplying and erecting two Iron Grates with Iron Chimney pieces to match grates, for the Master's and Matron's Rooms.

Proposed by Mr. Matthew Dunyan
seconded by Mr. Patrick O'Boyle

Resolved Unanimously, That we regard the action of the Government, in imprisoning Mr. Dillon for giving a just and perfectly legitimate advice to the people in their sarest hour of trial as a gross insult to common Justice, and further, that we believe that the sale of part of Mr. Walfam in

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -	23
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	nil
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -	19
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -	nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - -	3
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	nil

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.)

in thus mollicating trick Representatives in such a cruel and barbarous manner, is to incite the people who have now become so patient under the leadership of such men as Mess. Parnell, Dillon and O'Brien — to the commital of crime.

Notice of Motion

I hereby give notice that on this day fortnight, the 12 proxima I will move that the day for the day for the Meeting of Guardians be changed from Thursday to Monday, and that for the general convenience of the Guardians, the hour for Meeting be changed from 12 o'clock, noon, to 11 o'clock A.M.

(Signed, Martin Fitzpatrick

Wallinsk, June 26, 1888.

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

5 day of July 1886

(Signed), Thomas Clay

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 28 day of June 1888

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,* Martin Fitzpatrick, Esq.

Other Guardians:

Mark A. Brian, Redmond Mallett, Matthew Dungan, Patrick O'Boyle, Thomas Ignaway, and John Jennings — Esquires.

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Ha Oymount *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:—*

The Estimate was approved of, and the Contractors ordered to supply the Medicines as specified therein.

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):

			£	s.	d.
Williamstown District					
Edward Collins,	Medical Officer	Salary	25	0	0
Anthony Reilly	Medical Officer	Salary	25	0	0
John Flanagan,	Porter	Salary	1	10	0
Michael Kavanagh	Porter	Salary	1	10	0
Edward Collins, for Vaccination Fees			2	1	0
Anthony Reilly for Vaccination Fees			2	2	0
Bally District					
Thomas Mellaghan,	Medical Officer	Salary	25	0	0
John Healy	Porter	Salary	1	10	0
William Mallaghan	Porter	Salary	1	10	0
Edward Collins for Vaccination Fees			1	0	0
Williamstown District					
James Hanrahan,	Medical Officer	Salary	25	0	0
Michael Lennon	Porter	Salary	1	10	0
James Hanrahan, for Vaccination Fees			1	18	0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ 186 *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-years ended* _____ 186

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount District, ... £

[This is to be entered on the Minutes of the Board at the first meeting after the election of the Committee of Management of each Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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 and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 3 and 5 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms 6 1 and 6 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

[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 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:—

III.—PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.
41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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 Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, were laid before the Board, viz.:—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.
Wallinah Union	Thomas Mary, Clerk of Burial Board, Salary	2	10	0
Same	Salaries of Sanitary Officers for Quarter ending ~~[illegible]~~ June, 1888	54	2	10

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

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The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

5 day of July 188[illegible]

(Signed) [illegible]
Clerk of the Union.

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[Special.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,314

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30 day of June 1888

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	[illegible]	[illegible]
Workhouse	579	16
Temporary Buildings,	—	
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	
TOTAL,	644	16

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	18	12	43	42	8	5	27	7	8	124
Admitted during the Week,	3	1	2	2	1	-	-	-	1	15
TOTAL	21	13	50	44	9	5	27	7	9	167
Discharged during the Week,	1	-	5	-	-	-	1	-	-	2
Died,	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total Discharged and Dead,	1		6	-	-	-	1	-	-	8
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	20	13	44	44	9	5	28	7	9	181

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	45	In separate Wards	1	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates,	5	
Total,	46	Total,	5	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	7	nil	nil	7
No. in Workhouse at date	4	nil	nil	4

No. at corresponding period last year, 169

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 30 day of June 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
No. I.	118	118	8	8	126	126
No. II.	52	52	6	6	63	63
No. III.	15	15	5	5	20	20
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Carried forward,	190	190	19	19	209	209

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 5th day of July 1888

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Oakell Donnellan, Esquire

Other Guardians:—

John Jennings, and Redmond Ellett, Esquires.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1111 to No. 1999, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersigned by 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 countersigned by the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

Mr. Jno. Mullen was ordered on the Outdoor Relief Register this week.

All Relieving Officers were directed to record at each Electoral Division, Cases in which Electoral Divisions in the cases of Margaret O'Higgins, v. Thomas Higgins, John Walsh, James Farnon, Walter Mullally, John Donohoe, Michael Flynn, Thomas Flynn, Margaret Mallay, John Flynn, Thomas Walsh, Michael Mc Grath, Myles Mc Dermott, Margaret Mallay, Patrick Mayhew, John Mayhew, Luke Mayhew, Michael Mayhew, and Walter Mullally, and in the case of Bridget Hourihane, v. Michael Mc Grath, Patrick Feeney, and Daniel Feeney, Sworn in Ballinrobe Electoral Division in the cases of Bridget Hourihane v. John Drumgoole, Mary Drumgoole and Patrick Drumgoole and Michael Daly, v. Patrick Donnellan.

Mr. John Hynes, Relieving Officer, declared his accounts and District Claims in Kilmaine Electoral Division in the case of Bridget Hourihane v. Michael Mayo and William Hynes

The Claims were Remitted to Mr. Mowlds to be Audited with the Union Accounts

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 favour 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 Superintendent's Books of Duties collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions comprised in the Collectors Districts	Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe			15 14 6	
	Burriscarra			0 2 1	
	Coonard			18 4 2	
	Hollymount			32 2 11	
	Kilcommon			18 16 2	
	Newbrook			15 2 0	
	Roslee			25 0 11	265 2 1
PATRICK GRADY	Cong			24 19 2	
	Dalgan			18 6 6	
	Houndswood			28 2 2	
	Kilmaine			16 18 3	
	Neale			22 11 4	
	Shrule			21 0 4	291 16 7
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla			17 8 8	
	Ballyovey			15 16 4	
	Cappaghduff			7 7 8	
	Owenbrinn			8 6 7	
	Portroyal			52 11 7	125 3 2
TOTALS £					781 2 6

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 £ : : 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, £ s. d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was		:	:
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		:	
Average Cost in Infirmary,		:	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,		:	

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:—

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 day of 1888, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,		:	:
In Kind,		:	:
Total,	£	:	:

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 respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Articles and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII.				
No. IX.				
Car. forwd.				

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Articles and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
Bt. forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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:—

	£	s.	d.
To the Guardians Attorney (Bill)			
Wm. Wm. Dermott, for Expenses, to Board Meeting	2	12	9
Michael Wm. Hayes, for Writs and Warrants	20	10	6
Martin Fanning, for Ditto	28	12	6
Geoffrey Sheridan, for Ditto	29	12	10
Thomas Geraghty, for Ditto	8	15	10
William Wallis, for Ditto	12	5	6
Wm. Wm. Dermott, for Indictment	2	12	6
Wm. Wm. Dermott, for Ditto	6	16	4
To Paid Bills Out. Establ. Out.			
Charles Mallett, for Salary as Relieving Officer	0	1	6
To Clothing Out.			
Hayes and Fahey, for Flags, Poles and Belts, for Ditto Drums	10	9	6
Michael Hayes, for Stamps	0	6	6

Establishment Cost.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Tergus, for Wheels, &c	1	13	6
Cowley and Tahey, for Clothes for John Stanislaus Parker	4	0	0
Myles McDonnell, for Wheels, Ogden Sects &c	0	19	9
P. J. K. Daly, Solicitor, Amount of Decree for Salary due Michael Walsh, as Temporary Relieving Officer	4	0	0
Elections, Law & other Expenses Cost			
P. J. K. Daly, Solicitor, for costs of Decree in the case of Michael Walsh, v The Guardians		13	0

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

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

No Report from the Master this day

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):—

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 - - 12

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - - nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 2

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - 15

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - nil

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - 1

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - nil

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.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

12 day of July 188S

(Signed), [illegible]

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 5 day of July 1888

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair*, John O'Neil Donnellon, Esq

Other Guardians:

John Jennings, and Redmond Mellett, Esq.

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ 186 *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* _____ 186

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount District, ... £

[illegible] *The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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 issue 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

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.
41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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 Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, were laid before the Board, viz.:—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.
Ballinrobe Union	Martin Mallett, for Salary as Sanitary Sub officer		15	3

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

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The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

12 day of July 1886

(Signed) Thomas Allen
Clerk of the Union.

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[Special.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,180.

Present Net Annual Value, £16,814

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2 day of July 1886

Number of Persons in each accommodation is provided		Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons and adult persons (above 16 years of age) but not working		Boys and Girls above 5 and under 15 years of age		Children above 9 and under 9 years of age	Children above 3 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 3 years of age	Total
		Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	579	27									
Temporary Buildings,	—										
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	0									
TOTAL	644	27									
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,		20	18	44	43	7	6	24	7	7	161
Admitted during the Week,		7	2	5	1	1	1	6	1	2	26
TOTAL,		27	20	49	44	8	7	30	8	9	187
Discharged during the Week		5	6	6	2	5	1	5	2	5	36
Died,		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Discharged and Dead,		5	6	6	2	5	1	5	2	5	36
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,		22	14	43	42	3	6	25	6	4	151

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, 46	In separate Wards, 0		
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, 0	In Wards with other Inmates, 6		
Total, 46	Total, 6		

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	14	2	11	32
No. in Workhouse at date	5	1	2	8

No. at corresponding period last year, 126

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 2 day of July 1886, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
No. I.	116	116	8	8	124	124
No. II.	52	52	5	5	52	52
No. III.	14	14	5	5	19	19
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Carried forward,	182	182	18	18	200	200

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 15 day of July 1886

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, John O'Connell Donnellan, Esq

Other Guardians:—

John Jennings, Charles Fitzpatrick, Thomas Hanley, James Hanly,

Daniel Shanley, Patrick Daly, Esqrs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. [illegible] to No. [illegible], 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. [illegible] to No. [illegible] 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:—

Mr. John Kelly, Junr. Relieving Officer, reported the receipt of two Eviction Notices in the Wallimahe Electoral Division in the cases of Cat. Charles Howe Knox v. Patrick Callaran and Denis Biggins.

The Notices were handed to the Clerk to be deposited with the Union Records.

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 . . . . £ 186 : 16 : 2

Paid during the Week . . . . £ 248 : 19 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was . . . . £ 228 : 12 : 9

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 £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe	45	14	3				146	15	9			
	Burriscarra							3	9	1			
	Coonard	1	12	0				11	12	9			
	Hollymount	5	19	4				33	10	2			
	Kilcommon	3	11	3				10	3	11			
	Newbrook	3	14	3				11	15	0			
	Roslee				60	11	1	25	3	11	244	11	0
PATRICK GRADY	Cong	3	14	10				71	4	4			
	Dalgan	5	18	9				12	1	9			
	Houndswood	6	8	9				26	18	5			
	Kilmaine	1	19	10				16	18	5			
	Neale	25	14	1				51	12	3			
	Shrule	15	13	1	59	9	4	11	2	3	240	2	5
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla	3	10	11				35	12	4			
	Ballyovey	2	14	9				13	0	2			
	Cappaghduff	4	13	3				4	14	0			
	Owenbrinn	1	0	10				6	19	11			
	Portroyal	4	16	0	16	15	9	42	15	2	198	2	5
	TOTALS £				186	16	2				598	5	10

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 £ : : 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, £ 22 s. 10 d. 1

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	22	12	4
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	3
Average Cost in Infirmary,		3	6½
~~Average Cost in Fever Hospital,~~			

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:—

6 lb of Tea, 24 lb of Sugar, 48 Bottles of Guinness xx Porter, 4 Quarts of old Malt whiskey, 35 lb of Soap, 14 lb of washing Soda, 2 lb of Starch, 2 lb of Blue, 8 lb of British Wax Candles, 1200 lb of White Bread, 140 lb of Brown Bread, 200 lb of Meal, 300 Gallons of New milk, 60 Boxes of Turf, 12 Basins, 6 Ladles.

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 7 day of July 1865 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	15	13	6
In Kind,	3	5	6
Total,	£ 19	1	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 respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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:—

	£	s.	d.
Account of Expenses under Registration Act			
Edward McGuire, Registrar, Fees.	5	18	6

£ s. d.

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

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

The Report from the Collector this day

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):—

Letter from Local Government Board, No. 27.787, dated 10 July 1888, expressing their sanction to the payment of a sum of Six pounds to Dr. Edward McGuire as remuneration for his services while discharging for a fortnight the duties of the Medical Officer of the Workhouse during the absence of the Letter owing to illness.

Dr. Kelly did not avail himself of the leave of absence granted to him on the 26 Ultimo.

Letter from same No. 27.787 dated 11 July 1888 referring to a resolution of the Board of Guardians on the 26 Ultimo, directing that whenever a Dispensary Medical Officer

Officer requires medical or surgical assistance in any case under his charge he shall have the privilege of selecting his assistant and that the Relieving Officer shall provide the required assistance; and the Board desire to point out to the Guardians that they have no authority to restrict the Relieving Officer in the exercise of the powers given to him under the provisions of Section 2 of the Irish Poor Relief Extension Act, and that his responsibility cannot in any way be interfered with inasmuch as he will have to deal with each case as it arises.

Dr. Kelly, Medical Officer of the Workhouse, being unable to attend to the discharge of his duties, it is Resolved that Dr. Edward McGuire be appointed his temporary substitute for one fortnight from this date, and subject to the approval of the Local Government Board, that he be paid a sum of Six pounds as remuneration for his services.

Resolved that Mr. Honoria Byrne, Workhouse Matron, be granted twenty three days leave of absence from the 11th Inst., Miss Louisa Lewis, Schoolmistress having consented to discharge her duties during that period, without requiring any remuneration for her services

Proposed by Mr. Martin Fitzpatrick
Seconded by Mr. Thomas Heraghty

Resolved that the Board of Guardians are of opinion that the use of stimulants in the Workhouse Hospital are

are excessive, and much more than in any of the Workhouse Hospitals in the County of Mayo, and the Local Government Board are requested to instead their Inspector to inquire officially into the management of the Hospitals, particularly as regards the use of stimulants therein

Proposed by Mr. John Jennings
Seconded by Mr. Thomas Heraghty

Resolved that the several officers of the Workhouse be required to furnish within one month from this date, a Return of the quantities of Tape and Studs received by them respectively from the Workhouse Master since the 29th September last, and the consumption of these articles

Resolved that the Workhouse Master be required to furnish within a like period, a Return of the quantities of Tape and Studs issued to the Workhouse Officers since 29th Septr last,

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 - -	11
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	nil
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -	18
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -	nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - -	2
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	nil

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.)

In pursuance of Notice of Motion, it was proposed by Mr. Martin Fitzpatrick seconded by Mr. John Jennings, and Resolved that the day of Meeting be changed from Thursday to Monday in each week, and that the Local Government Board be requested to express their consent to same

Mr. John O'Neil Donnellan dissented from the foregoing Resolution

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

12 day of July 1888

(Signed), [illegible]

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 12 day of July 1888

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,* John O'Neil Donnellan, Esq

Other Guardians:

John Jennings, Martin Fitzpatrick, Thomas Haughty, Martin Burke, and Anthony Reilly, Esquires

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Ballinrobe *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:—*

The Estimate was approved of, and the Contractors ordered to supply the Medicines, &c. specified therein

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):

£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ 186 *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* _____ 186

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount District, ... £

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

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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 thereof, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to furnish Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms C 1 and C 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 thereon respecting them respectively to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):—

Read Letter from

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.
41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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 Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878, 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*]:—

Maurice J Clarke

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

12 day of July 188[illegible]

(Signed) [illegible]
Clerk of the Union.

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Special.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 6 0 1 4

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 1 day of July 1888

Number of Persons remaining in the Workhouse		Able-bodied		Aged, Infirm, or other adult Persons, above 15 Years of Age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
		Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse,	570										
Temporary Buildings,	—										
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65										
TOTAL,	644										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,		2	4	40	40	6	6	24	6	8	136
Admitted during the Week,		4	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	7
TOTAL,		26	4	41	41	6	6	24	6	9	143
Discharged during the Week,		4	2	2	—	—	—	1	—	1	10
Died,		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Discharged and Dead,		4	2	2	—	—	—	1	—	1	10
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,		22	12	39	41	6	6	23	6	8	133

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	51	In separate Wards	10
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates,	5
Total,	52	Total,	15

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	2	1	2	10
No. in Workhouse at date	1	10	0	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 165

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 1 day of July 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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 Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
I.	119	119	9	9	128	128
II.	58	58	5	5	63	63
III.	14	14	5	5	19	19
IV.						
V.						
VI.						
VII.						
VIII.						
IX.						
Total,	191	191	19	19	210	210

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 19 day of July 1888

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Lord Mountmorres

Other Guardians:—

Edward O'Brien, Matthew Dempsey, Patrick O'Boyle, John Fleming, Anthony Phillips, Patrick Gibbons, and Thomas Molloy, Esquires.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. [illegible] to No. 2484, 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. [illegible] to No. 5601, 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:—

[illegible] John Kelly the Relieving Officer relieved the [illegible] of the Electoral Division of the Long Electoral Division of the Union of Lord Castlemaine & Thomas Hancock

The Order was refused to the Lords to be delivered with the Union Records.

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 £[illegible]

Paid during the Week £[illegible]

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £[illegible]

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 Subjoined Sums 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 £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe			146 15 9	
	Burriscarra			0 9 1	
	Coonard			11 12 9	
	Hollymount			88 10 2	
	Kilcommon			10 0 11	
	Newbrook			11 15 0	
	Roslee			25 0 11	314 11 0
PATRICK GRADY	Cong			21 5 4	
	Dalgan			12 1 9	
	Houndswood			76 18 5	
	Kilmaine			16 18 5	
	Neale			5 12 3	
	Shrule			11 2 0	345 2 5
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla			85 12 4	
	Ballyovey			18 0 7	
	Cappaghduff			4 14 6	
	Owenbrinn			6 19 11	
	Portroyal			52 15 7	168 2 5
TOTALS £					678 5 10

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 £ [illegible] 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, £ [illegible] s. [illegible] d. [illegible]

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - -	[illegible]	:	[illegible]
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -		:	[illegible]
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - - -		:	[illegible]
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - - -		:	[illegible]

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:—

[illegible]

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 [illegible] day of [illegible] 1865, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	[illegible]	:	[illegible]
In Kind, - - - - - - - -	[illegible]	:	[illegible]
Total, - -	£ [illegible]	:	[illegible]

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

The Requisitements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and approved by the Board, Cheques on the Treasurer and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	[illegible]	[illegible]		
No. II.	[illegible]	[illegible]		
No. III.				
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII				
No. IX.				
Carried forward		£ [illegible]		

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
Bt. forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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:—

	£	s.	d.
[illegible]			
[illegible]	[illegible]		

£ s. d.

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

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

The Report from the Master this day

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):—

Circular Letter from Local Government Board, No. 22M/88 dated 13 July 1888, requesting to be furnished with a Return of particulars respecting the Rates made, and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union during the Quarter ended 30 June 1888

Letter from Mr. John Kelly, jun. Relieving Officer, dated 19 July 1888, applying for an increase of Salary.

Mr. William Willis, the present Contractor for supply of Turf to the Workhouse having declined to perfect his Bond. It is Resolved that the Clerk be directed to advertise by printed handbill and in the Wallingbo Chronicle, for a contract for supply of Turf to the Workhouse for one year ending 29th September 1889, Tenders to be considered on the 9th proxima.

Resolved, that an independent individual be appointed to inquire into the administration of out-door relief as there are various rumours and complaints regarding it, and the Local Government Board are requested to sanction and approve of this resolution

Notices of Motion

Board Room, Wallingbo
19 July 1888

I give Notice that on this day fortnight, I will move that the Salary of Mr. John Kelly, jun. Relieving Officer, be increased from £25 to £35, per Annum, and his Salary as Sanitary Sub Officer from £8. 15. 0, to £11. 5. 0 per Annum,

Anthony Reilly
Poor Law Guardian

I hereby give Notice that on this day fortnight, it will move that the resolution passed at the Board Meeting of the 12th Instant, relative to the changing of the Meeting of the Board from Thursday to Monday be rescinded

Maurice C. A. Blake
Chairman
19 July 1888

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 - - 8

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - - 1

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 7

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - 2

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - 1

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - 2

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - 1

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.)

[See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.]

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

24 day of July 188 6

(Signed), Thomas Allaby

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 19 day of July 1888

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair* Col. Maurice C. J. Blake

Other Guardians:

Mark A. Brian, Matthew Duryea, Patrick A. Boyle, John Jennings, Anthony Reilly, Patrick J. Gibbons, and Thomas Cleary Esquires

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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 *statements of Salaries &c.* as the case may be) *under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof* (or such other directions as may be given):

£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ 186 . *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* _____ 186 .

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount District, ... £

[illegible] *Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management* [illegible] *following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to* [illegible] *Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members* [illegible] *and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles* [illegible] *and 3 of the General Conditions for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to* [illegible] *Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms C 1 and C 2.) in pursuance of Article 29* [illegible] *Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—*

Dispensary District, No. _____ *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

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.

41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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 Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 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*]:—

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Maurice O'Keeffe

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the
25 day of July 1888

(Signed) Thomas Day
Clerk of the Union.

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[Special.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,314.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of July 1888.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	[illegible]	[illegible]	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse	579	179										
Temporary Buildings	—											
Permanent Fever Hospital	65	1										
TOTAL	644	180										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			24	12	42	44	5	5	28	8	8	176
Admitted during the Week			10	3	1	-	2	1	-	-	1	18
TOTAL			34	15	43	44	7	6	28	8	9	194
Discharged during the Week			7	3	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	14
Died												
Total Discharged and Dead			7	3	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	14
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			27	12	42	44	6	5	28	8	8	180

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	51	In separate Wards	nl	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates	5	
Total	52	Total	5	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	10	nl	nl	10
No. in Workhouse at date	4	nl	nl	4

No. at corresponding period last year, 169.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of July 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Cases	Persons
No. I.	119	119	9	9	128	128
No. II.	57	57	5	5	62	62
No. III.	14	14	5	5	19	19
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Total forward	190	190	19	19	209	209

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Cases	Persons
Bt. forward						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 26th day of July 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Col Maurice C. J. Blake.

Other Guardians:—

Alexander Martyn. John O'Neil Donnellon & John Jennings Esqrs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2040 to No. 2057, 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. 3107 to No. 3123, 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 £ 189 : 14 : 6

Paid during the Week

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 11 : 0 : 0

£ 405 : 0 : 9

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 Undermentioned sums of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions forming each Collector-District	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe	18	8	8				100	7	4			
	Burriscarra							5	9	1			
	Coonard							11	12	9			
	Hollymount	18	18	4				4	12	3			
	Kilcommon	3	8	9				6	15	2			
	Newbrook	3	10	7				8	4	8			
	Roslee	23	9	9	107	15	10	1	14	2	136	15	2
PATRICK GRADY	Cong	38	17	4				32	7	0			
	Dalgan							12	1	9			
	Houndswood	27	16	8				5	1	9			
	Kilmaine							16	18	8			
	Neale	9	5	2				12	12	1			
	Shrule				69	19	2	11	7	3	170	8	3
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla							35	17	4			
	Ballyovey							13	0	7			
	Cappaghduff		11	0				4	3	0			
	Owenbrinn	3	10	0				3	9	11			
	Portroyal	7	18	6	11	19	6	39	14	1	96	7	11
	TOTALS £				189	14	6				403	11	4

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 £ : : 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, £91 s. 17 d. 4.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -	24	0	3
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -		2	7/4
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - -		3	5 1/2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - -		11	0

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

7 lbs of Best Black Tea. 28 lbs of Best Soft Sugar. 6 Quarts of Best Malt Whiskey, 48 Bottles of Guinness's Porter, 4 Bottles of Marcella Wine, 35 lbs of Best Tallow Dipped Soap. 14 lbs Washing Soda. 2 lbs of Wheaten Starch. ½ lb of Best Blue. 12 lbs of Rice. 8 lbs of Best British Wax Candles. 1400 lbs of White Bread. 250 lbs of Meat, 140 lbs of Brown Bread. 300 Gallons of New Milk. 60 Boxes of Snuff. 10 cwt of Best Yellow Indian Meal.

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 21st day of July 1868 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - -	16	0	0
In Kind, - - - - - - -	3	6	6
Total, - -	19	6	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 respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII				
No. IX.				
Car. forwd.				

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
Bt. forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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:—

	£	s.	d.

£ s. d.

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

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

No Report from the Master this day.

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):—

Letter from Local Government Board No 29780:88 dated 25th July 1888. acknowledging receipt of the minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of Ballinrobe Union on the 12th Inst. containing a resolution requesting them to instruct an Inspector to inquire into the consumption of stimulants in the Workhouse Hospital and informing the Guardians that Capt Sampson, purposes making an inspection of the Workhouse within a few days, and will investigate this matter, and report on the subject.

Letter from same. No 30384:1888. dated 25th July 1888. acknowledging receipt of the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of Ballinrobe Union, on the 19th Inst. containing a resolution in which the Guardians request that an inquiry may be held into the manner in which Out-door relief is administered in the Union: and informing the Guardians that before considering the question of directing one of their Inspectors to institute an inquiry of the kind asked for, the Local Government Board desire to be furnished with particulars of the complaints in regard to the administration of Out-door Relief which in the opinion of the Guardians render such an inquiry desirable

Resolved that in future whenever the master requires any articles for use in the Workhouse not comprised in the ordinary contracts he be required to enter in detail on his Journal the several articles required by him with the price of each article and submit the Journal to the Board of Guardians for their consideration.

Resolved that should the Medical Officer of the Workhouse be unable from illness to attend to his duties the Clerk of the Union be empowered to call upon the services of the nearest qualified Medical practitioner,

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 - -	8
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	nil
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -	19
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -	nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - -	7
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	nil.

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.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

2nd day of August 1888.

(*Signed*), Thomas May.

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 26th day of July 1888.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair*, Colonel Maurice J. J. Blake.

Other Guardians:

Alexander Brady, John O'Neil Donnellon & John Jennings Esqrs.

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 follows:—*

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____ *Dispensary District in pursuance of an Order of the Board in these Minutes of* _____ *bearing date* _____ *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):

	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ 188 *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* _____ 188

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount District, ... £

The Board selected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management over 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 2, 3, and 5 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 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 in answer them respectively to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):—

Read Letter from

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.
41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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 Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 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*]:—

Maurice O'Blake

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 2nd day of August 1888

(Signed) Thomas Moore
Clerk of the Union.

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[Special.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 61314.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of July 1888

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	[illegible]	[illegible] above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse	579	177										
Temporary Buildings	—											
Permanent Fever Hospital	65	nl										
TOTAL	644	177										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			27	12	42	44	6	5	28	8	8	180
Admitted during the Week			12	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	15
TOTAL			39	12	44	45	6	5	28	8	8	195
Discharged during the Week			12	-	5	-	1					18
Died												
Total Discharged and Dead			12	-	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			27	12	39	45	5	5	28	8	8	177

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	53	In separate Wards	nl	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	nl	In Wards with other Inmates	5	
Total	53	Total	5	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	17	nl	nl	17
No. in Workhouse at date	2	nl	nl	2

No. at corresponding period last year, 174

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 28 day of July 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Persons
No. I.	121	121	9	9	130	130
No. II.	58	58	5	5	63	63
No. III.	14	14	5	5	19	19
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Total	193	193	19	19	212	212

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1: Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1: Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Persons
Bt. forward						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 2nd day of August 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Colonel Maurice C. J. Blake.

Other Guardians:—

Alexander Martyn. Wilson Walsh. John Oneil Donnellow. Anthony Reilly. Mark O'Brien. John Jennings. Martin Fitzpatrick. Thomas Heraghty. Thomas Garvey & Redmond Mellett Esqrs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2058 to No. 2072 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 the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

Mr John Kelly Jun. Relieving Officer reported the receipt of an Election Notice in the Ballinrobe Electoral Division in the case of Alexander Martyn v. William Sheridan.

The Notice was handed to the Clerk to be deposited with the Union Records.

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 - - - £ Nil

Paid during the Week - - - £ 2 : 4 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - £ 402 : 16 : 9

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 Ledgments 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 £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
John Mellett	Ballinrobe							100	7	4			
	Burriscarra							3	9	1			
	Coonard							11	12	9			
	Hollymount							4	12	3			
	Kilcommon							6	15	2			
	Newbrook							8	4	5			
	Roslee							1	14	2	136	15	2
Patrick Grady	Cong							32	7	0			
	Dalgan							12	1	9			
	Houndswood							55	1	9			
	Kilmaine							16	18	5			
	Neale							42	12	1			
	Shrule							11	7	3	170	8	3
Thomas Henahan	Ballinchalla							35	17	4			
	Ballyovey							13	0	7			
	Cappaghduff							4	3	0			
	Owenbrinn							3	9	11			
	Portroyal							39	17	1	96	7	11
	Totals £										403	11	4

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 £ : : 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 Poor 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, £22 s. 5 d. 3.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -	21	3	8
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -			7.6
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - -		4	7½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - - -			4d

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:—

7lbs of Best Black Tea, 28lbs of Soft Sugar. 4 Quarts of Best Malt Whiskey, 60 Bottles of Guinness's XX Porter, 4 Bottles of Marcella Wine 35lbs of Best Yellow Brown Soap. 14lbs of Washing Soda, 2lbs of Best Wheaten Starch, ½lb of Best Blue. 8lbs of Best British Wax Candles 10lbs of Loaf Sugar. 1400lbs of White Bread, 250lbs of Meal, 300 Gallons of New Milk. 14 Stone of Brown Bread, 20 Boxes of Snuff.

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 28 day of July 1868 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	16	0	0
In Kind, - - - - - - - -	3	6	6
Total, - - £	19	6	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 respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	John Kelly Jr	25:0:0			Bt. forward				
No. II.	John Kelly Jr for the Master	12:0:0			No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Union Total		37:0:0			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:—

	£	s.	d.
Expenses under the Registration Acts			
Comr. John K. Maguire, Registrar Fees	3	10	6.
Establishment Account			
Edward Mc Guire, Temporary Medical Officer of Workhouse	6	0	0.

£ s. d.

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

Master was read of which the following is a copy:-

Ballinrobe Workhouse.
2nd August. 1888.

Gentlemen

I beg leave to report for your information that the Boilers in the Kitchen are unfit for use, and are in my opinion dangerous.

Also that a mason will be required for a few days to repair some window sashes through the house.

The provisions and necessaries received by me during the week have been of the quality contracted for.

The Report of the Master and other Officers read and Orders made thereon as follows:—

I am. Gentlemen.
Your obedient Servant
Patrick J. Farragher.
Workhouse Master.

To
The Board of Guardians.
Ballinrobe Union.

The Committee who were appointed to inspect the Boilers report they are quite fit for use for many years to come, but have to find fault with the state of the flues as they appear to be smoking.

Wilson Walshe.
John Donnellon.
T. R. Garvey.

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

The Acting Clerk produced a Certificate from Dr Maguire of which the following is a copy:—

Ballinrobe
27th July 1888.

I hereby certify that Mr Thomas Gray Clerk of the Union is suffering from a severe attack of Diarrhoea and requires exemption from duty for 14 days.

Edwd McGuire
Phys & Surgeon.

Resolved that Mr Thomas May Junr be appointed to Act as Clerk of Union during the illness of his father

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

at the rate of £1. per week up to the 9th August 1888. subject to the approval of the Local Government Board

In pursuance of Notice of Motion given on 19th Ult. by Mr Anthony Ridley to increase Relieving Officer Kelly's Salary not having been seconded the Motion was lost.

In pursuance of Notice of Motion, it was proposed by Colonel Maurice C. Wilde seconded by Mr John O'Neill Donnellon and Resolved that the Resolution passed at the Board Meeting of the 13th Ult. relative to the changing of the day Meeting of the Board from Thursday to Monday be rescinded

Resolved that the Clerk of the Union is hereby directed to lay before the Guardians on Thursday the 30th August his estimate of the rates required to be struck for the ensuing financial year.

Resolved that numerous complaints having been made as to the manner of distributing Out door Relief by Relieving Officer Haynes and a complaint been made on behalf of Mary Monaghan of Ruhane. that on the 20th July there was 6 weeks due to her and that statement being unsatisfactorily explained by Mr Haynes the Guardians hereby suspend him from office pending an enquiry which the Guardians request the Local Government Board to hold at once.

Resolved, that Mr John Kelly Junr. be appointed to act as temporary Relieving Officer during the suspension of Mr Haynes, in his district pending the result of the enquiry, and that he be remunerated at the rate of 35/- per week, subject to the approval of the Local Government Board.

Resolved, that as the time for the collection of the rates will expire on the 6th instant the rate collectors are hereby directed to close their books on or before the 9th of this month and to attend the Board meeting on that day and be prepared to show that they have used every possible means to collect outstanding rates.

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 - -	8
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	nil
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -	19
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -	nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - -	2
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	nil

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.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 9th day of August 1888.

(Signed), Thomas May Jun.
Act. Clerk of the Union.

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BALLINROBE UNION.

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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):

	£	s.	d.
Ballinrobe District			
Edward McGuire, for Vaccination Fees	3	6	0
Anthony L. B[illegible], for Vaccination Fees	2	6	0
Cong District			
Connor J O L Maguire, for Vaccination Fees.	3	10	0
Hollymount District			
James Hanrahan, for Vaccination Fees.	4	0	0

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

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Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount 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 vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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:—

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Order dated _____ *(state subject)*

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District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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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*]:—

Matthew Dungan

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 9th day of August 1888.

(Signed) Thomas May Jun
Acting Clerk of the Union

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[*Special.*]

BALLINROBE UNION.

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Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 6 0 . 0 . 4

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4 day of August 1888

Number of Inmates, and Accommodation in each Division		Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm, or Destitute Persons, not able-bodied, above 16 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
		Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	570	4									
Temporary Buildings,	—										
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	0									
Total,	644	4									
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,		32	17	31	46	6	6	28	8	8	172
Admitted during the Week,		1	2	2	—	1	1	1	2	—	24
Total,		42	19	33	46	7	7	29	10	8	201
Discharged during the Week,		11	2	2	—	1	1	1	2	—	25
Died,		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Discharged and Dead		11	2	2	—	1	1	1	2	—	25
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,		31	17	31	46	6	6	28	8	8	176

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 51	In separate Wards 0	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 0	In Wards with other Inmates, 5	
Total 51	Total, 5	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	20	1	4	25
No. in Workhouse at date	0	0	0	0

No. at corresponding period last year, 14 4

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 4 day of August 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
No. I.	141	122	1	1	142	123
No. II.	56	51	1	1	57	52
No. III.	1	1	0	0	1	1
No. IV.	0					
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Brought forward,	198	174	2	2	200	176

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 9 day of August 1888

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, Alexander Perry, Esq

Other Guardians:—

Thomas Humphrys and Martin Burke, Esqrs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2023 to No. 2026, 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 the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

No case entered on the Outdoor Relief Register this week

Mr. John Kelly, from the Relieving Officers, reported the receipt of Twelve Eviction Notices, three in Parliamentary Electoral Division in the case of the Inland Revenue and Land Tax Collector of Ireland, v. Patrick Cannon, Patrick Cannon, Michael Hara, Joseph Hara, William Hara and Patrick Hara, One in Kilmaine Electoral Division, in the case of James Lyle, v. Hannah Brennan, Two in Neale Electoral Division in the case of James Lyle, v. Ellen Lennigan and Anne Dowd, Two in Shrule Electoral Division in the cases of Charles Lynch v. Edward Sullivan, Mary Sullivan & Michael Hynes, Bridget, James Hicks, Patt Brady, Michael Hynes, and John Hynes and

The Notices were handed in—the Clerk to be despatched with the Union Records

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 £182 : 5 : 7

Paid during the Week £64 : 6 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £505 : 16 : 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 Lodgements 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 £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe			150 2 4	
	Burriscarra			3 9 1	
	Coonard			11 12 9	
	Hollymount			4 12 3	
	Kilcommon			6 15 2	
	Newbrook			6 4 5	
	Roslee			1 14 2	186 15 2
PATRICK GRADY	Cong			82 2 6	
	Dalgan			12 1 9	
	Houndswood			55 1 9	
	Kilmaine			16 16 6	
	Neale			47 12 4	
	Shrule			11 2 8	225 6 3
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla			85 17 4	
	Ballyovey			13 6 7	
	Cappaghduff			4 8 6	
	Owenbrinn			3 9 11	
	Portroyal			89 12 1	196 14 11
TOTALS £					608 11 4

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 £ [illegible], 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, £ 25 s. 10 d. 11

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -	28	6	6
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -		2	6
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - -		8	2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - -			

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:—

6 lbs. of Tea, 24 lbs. of Sugar.
6 lbs. Rice, 28 lbs. of Currants.
28 lbs. of Soap, 14 lbs. of Starch.
Salt, 2 lbs. of Black, ½ lb. of
Mustard, 6 lbs. of Vinegar.
Candles, 2 lbs. of Pepper, 12 lbs.
lbs. of white Bread, 168 lbs. of
Brown Bread, 250 lbs. of Meat.
200 Quarts of Milk.
6 lbs. Rice, 28 Pints
of Oatmeal

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 4 day of [illegible] 1856 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -			
In Kind, - - - - - - - -			
Total, - - £			

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 directed to each of them of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.	[illegible]			
No. IV.	[illegible]			
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII.				
No. IX.				
Car. forward				

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
Bt. forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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:—

	£	s.	d.
Account of Officers under Registration Acts			
Thomas [illegible], Registrar, Fees	2	2	0
Elections, Rates, and other Expenses Do.			
Edward [illegible], Solicitor, for Law Costs	2	5	0
Thomas [illegible], Remuneration as Clerk			
to Justices for examining and drawing Lunatics	2	0	0
[illegible] for serving Notices and Precepts			
of Meetings	1	14	0
[illegible]	[illegible]	16	0
Thomas [illegible]	[illegible]	15	0

£ s. d.

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

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

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):—

Circular Letter from Local Government Board, No. 10,755 dated 4th August 1888, transmitting for the use of the Board of Guardians, one copy of their Annual Report for the present year, being the one hundred and second under the Local Government Board (Ireland) Act 1872.

Letter from Secretary, dated 31st July, dated 8th August 1888 stating that they have transmitted for the consideration of the Board of Guardians of the said Union in which the Guardians suppose that in the event of the Medical Officer being temporarily incapacitated through illness from performing his duties the Clerk of the Union shall be empowered to employ the nearest qualified Medical practitioner

and

and in reference thereto requesting the attention of the Guardians to the provisions of Article 40 of the General Regulations.

Question for supply of Coal to the Workhouse and Local Infirmary during the present year, and it was Resolved, that the consideration thereof be postponed for a month.

Miss Byrne, Allen, and Miss Lewis, Schoolmistresses, and Miss Lewis, Schoolmistress, and Miss Lewis, Schoolmistress, and Miss Lewis, Schoolmistress

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 - - 31

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - nil

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - 20

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - nil

The number of other applicants in the Receiving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - 2

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - nil

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.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

11 day of April 1888

(*Signed*), Thomas Hall

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 9 day of August 1888

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,* Matthew Dungan, Esquire.

Other Guardians:

Thomas Haughty, and Martin Burke, Esquires.

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ 186 , 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 _____ 186

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount District, ... £

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

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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 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 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

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.

41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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:—

Circular Letter from Local Government Board, No. 14235/88, dated 2 August 1888, forwarding therewith, to be laid before the Burial Board, a copy of Rules and Regulations which they have made under Section 181 of the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 41 & 42 Vic. cap. 52.

General Order of the Local Government Board, No. 14235/88 dated 6 July 1888, containing Rules and Regulations for the regulation of Burial Grounds, &c.

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878, 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*]:—

Minutes of Proceedings

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

16 day of August 1888

(Signed) Thomas Hay
Clerk of the Union.

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[Special.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130. Present Net Annual Value, £ [illegible]

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17 day of April 1886

Workhouse and Buildings to which separate accommodation is provided	No. in Workhouse on previous Saturday	No. admitted since previous Return	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons and adult persons above 16 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	579	17										
Temporary Buildings,	—											
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	1										
Total,	644	18										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			21	12	34	45	6	8	28	8	8	170
Admitted during the Week,			1	2	2	—	1	1	—	1	1	9
TOTAL			22	14	36	45	7	9	28	9	9	179
Discharged during the Week,			12	2	2	1	1	—	—	1	1	20
Died,			—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Total Discharged and Dead,			12	2	2	2	1	—	—	1	1	21
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			23	12	34	43	6	9	28	8	8	172

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	47	In separate Wards	1
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	10	In Wards with other Inmates,	5
	Total, 57	Total, 6	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	18	2	3	18
No. in Workhouse at date	1	1	0	10

No. at corresponding period last year, 179

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 17 day of April 1886, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
No. I.	132	192	7	9	181	181
No. II.	57	52	6	6	63	63
No. III.	18	13	5	5	18	18
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Carried forward,	192	192	20	20	212	212

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 15 day of April 1886

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, Rd. Chambers D.L. J.P.

Other Guardians:—

John O'Neill Donnellan, John Jennings, Thomas Geraghty, Patrick O'Reilly, Charles O'Brien, Thomas Feeney and Callaghan Duncan, Esqrs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 2,916 to No. 3,110, 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 the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

[illegible] entered on the Out-door Relief Register [illegible] week.

[illegible] Thomas Hanahan, Relieving Officer, reported the receipt of three Dividing Orders in Drumbane Electoral Division in the cases of the Fallon Lunacy, the Bridget O'Brien, Widow, Charles King, William O'Brien, Thomas Hynes and Bridget Brennan.

The Orders were handed to the Clerk to be docketed with the Union Records.

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 £157 : 10 : 7

Paid during the Week £22 : 11 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £135 : 19 : 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 Ledger 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 £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
John Mellett	Ballinrobe	21	14	9				2	19	11			
	Burriscarra	10	12	2				1	11	6			
	Coonard	10	8	9				1	5	6			
	Hollymount	8	12	2					7	8			
	Kilcommon	7	8	8					7	1			
	Newbrook	8	10	11				1	5	5			
	Roslee		18	11	76	6	2		19	11	12	8	1
Patrick Grady	Cong	22	16	2				2	18	5			
	Dalgan	5	18	6				1	12	6			
	Houndswood	5	9	6				2	17	3			
	Kilmaine	6	4	4				2	18	9			
	Neale	5	8	1				2	4	6			
	Shrule	4	14	8	157	8	7	2	18	2	24	6	1
Thomas Henahan	Ballinchalla	8	4	4				2	18	6			
	Ballyovey	10	8	10				2	16	9			
	Cappaghduff		1	9				1	1	8			
	Owenbrinn		16	4				2	11	2			
	Portroyal	20	11	6	65	1	8	19	6	1	81	6	9
	Totals £				299	18	7				117	15	1

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 £ [illegible] 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, £21 s.17 d.6

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - -	20	13	1,
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -		2	1½
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - -		0	6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - -			

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:—

[illegible]

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 11 day of [illegible] 1865 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -		:	:
In Kind, - - - - - - - -		:	:
Total, - - £		:	:

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 respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on the Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	[illegible]	[illegible]		
No. II.	[illegible]	[illegible]		
No. III.	[illegible]			
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII				
No. IX.				
Carried forward		£ [illegible]		

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
Brought forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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:—

	£	s.	d.
[illegible]			
[illegible]	11	2	11
[illegible]	29	7	2
[illegible]	20	15	2
[illegible]	29	6	1
[illegible]	2	6	8
[illegible]	11	5	6
[illegible]	2	12	6
[illegible]			
[illegible]	6	5	6
[illegible]	1	5	6
[illegible]	2	6	6

£ s. d.

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

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

[illegible]

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):—

Letter from Local Government Board, No. 32,465/1888, dated 15 August 1888, expressing their sanction to the payment of remuneration at the rate of One Pound a week to Mr. Thomas Clayton for his services while discharging the duties of the Clerk of the Union during the illness of the Clerk.

Letter from same, No. 32,465/1888 dated 15 August 1888, acknowledging the receipt of the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians on the 2d Instant, containing an entry relating to certain charges of irregularity preferred against Relieving Officer Hynes: and in compliance with the Guardians request, stating that they have instructed their Inspector Captain Sampson, to hold an inquiry on oath into the matter, and at the same time transmitting therewith

therewith questions for answers respecting the appointment of Mr. John Kelly as temporary Relieving Officer.

Letter from same, No. 32,465, 1888, dated 15 August 1888, requesting that they may be furnished with a copy of the Estimate of the new Rates when they shall have been agreed to by the Board of Guardians.

Letter from same No. 33,479, 88, dated 15 August 1888, informing the Board of Guardians that they have received the Half Yearly report of their Inspector, Captain Sampson, relating to the Union, which is of a generally satisfactory character as regards its financial state, the management and condition of the Workhouse, and the performance of their duties by the several Officers.

With respect to the state of buildings, Captain Sampson reports that several windows are in a bad way, and require to be immediately repaired, Painting both inside and out is also very much needed, it further appears from the report that the Kitchen boilers require to be newly set, and the flues put in proper working order.

Captain Sampson states that the Relieving Officers only enter in their Application and report books, the head of each family in receipt of relief without giving the number of such persons family dependant on him.

Captain Sampson adds that he would strongly urge the necessity for the Visiting Committee attending regularly at the Workhouse, and making reports which should be duly entered in the Minutes of the Guardians Proceedings: and the Local Government Board request that this matter may receive attention.

Captain Sampson

Mr Chapman further points that the removal of
Stimulants used in the Workhouse is exceedingly large -

The Local Government Board request that the
Guardians will have the goodness to call the Medical
Officer to give an trial to the plan of substituting extra
diet for the stimulants at present allowed to the Nurses
in cases in which the Medical Officer considers
extra Nourishment, and to submit a report to them of the
result of the proposed change after it has been
for a month in operation,

The reference to the foregoing letter etc,

Resolved 1st That the Board of Guardians have decided that
the several Window Cleaning shall be performed, and will take
immediate steps to have the Workhouse properly set, and
the flues fixed in proper working Order, and that the
Guardians will make arrangements for keeping the Workhouse
Premises generally in and Outside,

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 - - 12
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - - - nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - nil

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - 12
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - 2

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - nil.

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.)

The Relieving Officers were called in from the Outer
Division and Report that the number of Persons
relieved on the Board of new Family in receipt of out
door Relief

Mr Dr Vallis, Medical Officer of the Workhouse was present
in the Board Room at the opening of the Local Government
Board's Letter, his attention was called thereto, and he was
requested to carefully and the suggestions contained therein in regards
the issue of extra rations to the Nurses attending the Sick

The Guardians did not deem it desirable to consider
the Tenders for supplying of Coal to the Workhouse this day.

Resolved that the Board be directed to advertise for
Tenders for Coal to be consumed during the ensuing
six months and that Tenders which
have been received are to be returned unopened to the persons
tendering by the Clerk of the Union

Resolved 1st that the Board be directed to advertise in the local
Papers and by printed handbill, for Tenders for Contracts for
supplying Bread, Staffs, Groceries, Flour, Milk &c to be
Contracted for on the 13th proximo

Resolved, that Mr. Robert Thompson, Workhouse Attendant,
be granted five days leave of absence from the 14th instant.
Mr Bowman, Schoolmaster, having consented to discharge
his duties without payment and remuneration for his services

The Schedules of Rates Tithe Rent Charge and Proportion in the
Parishes of Ellerby Middlet, Speeton and Wilsthorpe, Poor
Rate Collectors were laid before the Board of Guardians

and

and it was Resolved that the following Rates made on unaccepted Buildings be declared irrecoverable:—

	£	s.	d.
Electoral Division of Wallmale	29	13	3
do. . Newscove	—	—	1
do. . Cong	1	12	6
do. . Coonad		3	6
do. . Dalpen	1	14	3
do. . Hamdsweed	1	15	5
do. . Kilmane			4
do. . Kilcommon	3	12	6
do. . Newbeak		4	1
do. . Roslee			4
do. . Shule	3	13	5
Total £	34	2	8

Resolved that a sum of £22.15.1 remaining uncollected be carried forward as arrears into the next new Rate.

The Board of Guardians expressed their satisfaction with the creditable manner in which the collectors had discharged their duties

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 25 day of August 1888

(Signed), Thomas Mary

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 16 day of August 1888

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,* Col Maurice C S Blake

Other Guardians:

John O'Neil Donnellan, John Lennon, Thomas Haughty, Patrick O'Boyle, Mark O'Brien, Thomas Gaffney and Matthew Dungan, Esquires.

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

	£	s.	d.
Unpaid Wills Deed			
Wallinrobe Dispensary District Deed			
P. A. Leslie & Co. for Medicines &c.	70	14	6
Cong Dispensary District Deed			
P. A. Leslie & Co. for Medicines &c.	37	6	4

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ *188* *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* _____ *188*

Ballinrobe District, ... *£*

Cong District, ... *£*

Hollymount District, ... *£*

[This is to be entered on the [illegible] of every [illegible] after the [illegible] tion of [illegible] and on the [illegible] of any Election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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 Local Government Board, 71: 32786/1888 dated 14 August 1888, forwarding accompanying extracts from a letter which they have received from D. C. Maguire Medical Officer of the Long Dispensary District, relating to the necessity for a residence for the Medical Officer of that District.

In reply to the foregoing Letter it is Resolved that the Local Government Board be informed that the Board of Guardians are prepared to take the necessary steps to enable them to erect a dwelling house for the Medical Officer under the provisions of the Act 42 and 43 Vic cap 25

Resolved that one Ton of Coal be procured for use in Wallmale Dispensary

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.

41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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 Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 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*]:—

Maurice O'Keeffe

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

23 day of August 1888

(Signed) Thomas McCall

Clerk of the Union.

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[Special.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 4,314

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15 day of August 1885

Number of Persons for whom Accommodation is provided		Number of Persons in the House on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse,	579	132										
Temporary Buildings,												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	4										
Total,	644	136										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			28	12	24	48	5	6	28	8	8	132
Admitted during the Week,			6	—	4	8	—	—	—	—	—	18
		Total,	34	12	28	56	5	6	28	8	8	166
Discharged during the Week,			5	—	8	8	—	1				22
Died,			—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	—	8	4	—	1				18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			24	12	20	52	5	5	28	8	8	132

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	41	In separate Wards	4	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other Inmates,	5	
Total,	45	Total,	5	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during Week	10	2		12
No. in Workhouse at date	0	0	0	0

No. at corresponding period last year, 148

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 15 day of August 1885, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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 Vict. 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.	125	125	9	9	134	134	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	56	56	5	5	61	61	No. X.						
No. III.	13	13	5	5	18	18	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward.	194	194	19	19	213	213	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 20 day of August 1885

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, Col Gallagher & 1 Wards

Other Guardians:—

Alexander Blake, and Malachy Fitzpatrick Esqrs

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No._____ to No._____, 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 the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

The examination of the Workhouse and Out-door Relief Registers was adjourned to next Board day.

John Kelly, one Relieving Officer, reported to Board his having District stolen, two in Ballinrobe Electoral Division in the case of Michael Lynch Kelly & Patrick Malley and John Rabbitt, three in Kilmaine Electoral Division in the case of Patrick Thomas Lowry & Martin Hynes James Allaway, Joseph Hampton, Michael Hyland Bernard Dermott, Cornelius Dermott, Michael Shylette and Thomas Shylette.

The stolen goods handed to the Police to be disposed of with the Union Papers.

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 £ 1 : 14 : 0

Paid during the Week £170 : 11 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £462 : 2 : 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 respective sums of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions as arranged for Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
John Mellett	Ballinrobe			7 19 11	
	Burriscarra			1 11 6	
	Coonard			1 8 6	
	Hollymount			1 1 8	
	Kilcommon			1 1 6	
	Newbrook			1 9 6	
	Roslee			1 19 11	17 8 4
Patrick Grady	Cong			7 13 6	
	Dalgan			4 12 6	
	Houndswood			5 12 4	
	Kilmaine			7 13 9	
	Neale			2 4 6	
	Shrule			2 19 7	34 6 1
Thomas Henahan	Ballincholla			2 10 6	
	Ballyovey			2 4 9	
	Cappaghduff			1 1 8	
	Owenbrinn			2 1 7	
	Portroyal			19 6 1	31 6 5
	Totals £				72 15 1

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 £ 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 Books of Diet 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, £ s. d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -	:	:	
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -	:	:	
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - -	:	:	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - - -	:	:	

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:—

1, lbs of Veal, lbs of Suet, lbs of Flour
lbs, lbs of Potatoes
Butter, lbs of Cheese
Tea, lbs of Coffee
Sugar, lbs of Treacle
Soap, lbs of Candles, lbs of Starch, lbs of Blue, lbs of Black Lead Brushes, lbs of Scrubbing Brushes, lbs of Hearth Brushes, lbs of Yellow Soap, lbs of Mustard

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 18 day of October 1845 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - -	:	:	
In Kind, - - - - - - -	:	:	
Total, - - £	:	:	

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 approved by the Board, Cheques on the Treasurer and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII.				
No. IX.				
Car. forwd.				

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
Bt. forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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:—

		£	s.	d.
Valentine Ball Coal Merchants Commercial Road				
Valentine Ball, Poor Rate Collector, Limehouse Town		24	15	6
Richard Grundy	Same	14	8	11
Thomas Howlett	Same	2	4	6
Poor Rate Collectors Commercial Road				
Valentine Ball, Poor Rate Collector, Limehouse Town		29	7	2
Richard Grundy	Same	22	12	8
Thomas Howlett	Same	11	4	7

	£	s.	d.

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

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

The Report from the Master this day

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):—

Resolved that all Thomas Heighley, be appointed a member of the Visiting Committee to 25 March 1889

Resolved that the Clerk of the Union is hereswith directed to write to the Local Government Board, and request that they will be good enough to forward at once the amount due by them for Parliamentary Grants to this Union

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 - - -

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -

Do. 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.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

30 day of August 1886

(Signed), Thomas Clay

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 23 day of August 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair*, Col. Maurice C. J. Blake

Other Guardians:

Alex. Marlyn, and Martin Fitzpatrick, Esquires.

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ *188* *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* _____ *188*

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount 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 vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.
41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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 Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 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*]:—

Martin Fitzpatrick

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 30 day of August 1888

(Signed) Thomas Mary
Clerk of the Union.

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BALLINROBE UNION.

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Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £10,014

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of August 1886

Number of Inmates for whom accommodation is provided	Number of Inmates on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
		Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse . . . 379	11										
Temporary Buildings,											
Permanent Fever Hospital, 65	10										
TOTAL, 444	11										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,		24	12	4	12	5	5	26	8	6	120
Admitted during the Week,		8	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	11
TOTAL,		32	13	4	14	5	5	26	8	6	131
Discharged during the Week,		10	—	2	2	—	2	1	—	—	17
Died,		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Discharged and Dead,		10	—	2	2	—	2	1	—	—	17
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,		22	13	36	12	5	3	25	8	6	114

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	5	In separate Wards	4	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other Inmates,	5	
Total,	9	Total,	9	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	11	2	4	18
No. in Workhouse at date	10	8	4	4

No. at corresponding period last year, 12

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of August 1886, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
No. I.	120	120	9	9	129	129
No. II.	57	57	5	5	61	61
No. III.	14	14	4	4	18	18
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Carried	191	191	18	18	208	208

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 26 day of August 1886

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, Alexander Knox Blake, Esq

Other Guardians:—

Charles Prendergast, Thomas Heapley, Alexander Marks, Thomas Greevy, Edward Redmond Talbot, Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2115 to No. 2181, 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 the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

The Enniskillen and Clonclaw Relief Register this week

contains Valuation, Grant and Valuation Houses, Buildings — Offices erected — the Boundaries of Clonclaw Division altered — the Rent of Bog Cabin House Vacant & Valuation and others — Town in the Wallstown Electoral Division. Town in Kilmaine Electoral Division. Town in Cloghanmore Electoral Division, and One in Glenree Electoral Division

The Orders were returned to the Board to be depositied with the Union Records.

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 £ 215 2 _____

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 201 17 2

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 the Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe			2 17 11	
	Burriscarra			1 11 6	
	Coonard			1 16 6	
	Hollymount			1 1 8	
	Kilcommon			1 1 6	
	Newbrook			1 2 6	
	Roslee			12 11	17 6 4
PATRICK GRADY	Cong			3 18 6	
	Dalgan			4 17 6	
	Houndswood			2 12 4	
	Kilmaine			2 18 9	
	Neale			2 4 6	
	Shrule			2 15 2	34 6 1
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla			2 18 6	
	Ballyovey			2 12 9	
	Cappaghduff			1 1 8	
	Owenbrinn			2 1 2	
	Portroyal			12 5 1	81 6 6
	TOTALS £				27 15 1

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 £ . . . 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, £ s. d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - -			
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -			
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - - -			
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - - - -			

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:—

[illegible]

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 25 day of [illegible] 18[illegible] whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -			
In Kind, - - - - - - - -			
Total, - -			

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 respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	[illegible]			
No. II.	[illegible]			
No. III.	[illegible]			
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII				
No. IX.				
Car. forwd.	Total			

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
Bt. forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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:—

	£	s.	d.
Elections, Law, and other Expenses.			
[illegible]			
[illegible]			
[illegible]			
[illegible]			

£	s.	d.

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

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

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):—

Letter from Local Government Board, No. 35 477/88, dated 29 August, 1888, requesting the Board to remit the amount of the Parliamentary Grant due to the Guardians in respect of the Half Year ended the 25 March last, and in reply stating that the Statements of Medical and Educational Expenditure and of Sanitary Salaries for the period in question have not been received in their Office.

The Statements referred to in the foregoing letter were duly signed by the Presiding Chairman and Clerk of the Union.

The Clerk laid before the Board of Guardians an Estimate of a new Rate, upon which it was Resolved that the Clerk be directed to get a sufficient number of copies of it printed, and to forward a copy to each Guardian of the Union with an intimation that it will be considered this day fortnight.

An Orphan School Boy named Michael Ravilly, aged 14 Years, who has been for over four Years an Inmate of the Workhouse, having obtained employment as a domestic servant with Patrick Higgins of Dalgan, Shrule, it is Resolved that the Master be authorized to procure new Boots suitable to his requirements at a cost of One pound, Ten Shillings.

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 - - 1

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - - nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - nil

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - 21

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - 1

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - - 5

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - nil

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.*)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

5th day of September 1885

(Signed), Thomas Mann

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 30 day of August 1888

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair*, Martin Fitzpatrick, Esq

Other Guardians:

Melchor Dungan, Thomas Heraghty, Martin Kirk, Thomas Greevey, and Redmond Mellett, Esquires.

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ 18 *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-years accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 18

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount District, ... £

[redacted] *The Board selected the following Rate-payers 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 thereof, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3 and 5 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 Local Government Board No. 34 562 1888 dated 24 August 1888, acknowledging receipt of the Resolution adopted by the Guardians at their meeting on the 16 Aug, proposing to obtain a loan under the Dispensary Houses (Ireland) Act 1877 for the purpose of providing a Dispensary Residence for the Bong Dispensary District; and forwarding therewith the usual Form which will show the particulars requisite to be furnished before the Guardians apply for the Board's certificate in pursuance of Section 4 of the Act.

Reports (Form P) were received from the Medical Officers of Wallinah, Bong and Hollymount Dispensary Districts from which it appeared that there were 55 defaulters in Wallinah District, 52 in Bong District, and 13 defaulters in Hollymount District. Total defaulters in the Union up to 30th June, 1888, 175.

Resolved that the Relieving Officers be directed to serve personally upon each defaulter a printed Notice

[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 three months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

to comply with the provisions of the Compulsory Vaccination Act, within fourteen days from date of service, and that they be allowed six pence for each Notice served

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

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.

41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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 Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878, 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*]:—

Martin Fitzpatrick

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the
6th day of September 1888

(Signed) [illegible]
Clerk of the Union.

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[Special]

BALLINROBE UNION.

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Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 1,0 0 1 4

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 1 day of September 1888

Number of Inmates on the above date in the	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse . . 570	12									
Temporary Buildings, —										
Permanent Fever Hospital, 6	0									
Total, . 64	12									
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	12	10	18	42	5	3	2	5	6	106
Admitted during the Week, .	0	0	—	1	1	1	1	1		11
Total,	25	11	18	43	6	4	25	9	6	117
Discharged during the Week, .	4	0	—	1	1	1	0	2	—	10
Died, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Discharged and Dead, .	4	0	—	1	1	1	0	2		10
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	21	13	18	42	5	3	25	7	6	107

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 47	In separate Wards 0	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 2	In Wards with other Inmates, 5	
Total, 49	Total, 5	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	0	0	4	8
No. in Workhouse at date	0	0	0	0

No. at corresponding period last year, 126

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 1 day of September 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
No. I.	125	125	10	10	135	135
No. II.	62	62	6	6	63	63
No. III.	13	13	4	4	12	12
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Bt. forward,	195	195	20	20	215	215

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 6 day of September 1888

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, Martin Philbin, Esq

Other Guardians:—

Owen Hart, Esq. Chas. Clancy, P. Carty, and Thomas Glancy, Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2138 to No. 2149, 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. 5602 to No. 5626, 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 - - - £ [illegible]

Paid during the Week - - - £ [illegible] : 19 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - £ 189 : 19 : 5

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 Ledgements 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 £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe							7	12	11			
	Burriscarra							1	11	5			
	Coonard							1	5	6			
	Hollymount								14	8			
	Kilcommon								7	6			
	Newbrook							4	9	5			
	Roslee								12	11	17	8	4
PATRICK GRADY	Cong							2	13	5			
	Dalgan							4	12	6			
	Houndswood							3	12	4			
	Kilmaine							2	13	9			
	Neale							2	4	6			
	Shrule							2	19	2	24	6	1
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla							2	13	6			
	Ballyovey							2	14	9			
	Cappaghduff							4	1	3			
	Owenbrinn							2	11	2			
	Portroyal							19	6	1	31	6	8
	TOTALS £										22	15	1

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 £ : : 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 Poelief 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, £ s. d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - -		:	:
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -		:	:
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - -		:	:
~~Average Cost in Fever Hospital,~~ - - - - - - -		:	:

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:—

[illegible]

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 Poelief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Poelieving 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 Poelief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st day of September 1866 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Poelief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	11,	5	6
In Kind, - - - - - - - -	3	2	6
Total, - - £	14	7	6

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

The Requirements of each Poelieving 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 respectively:—

Poelief District	Name of Poelieving Officer	By Cheque on the Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII				
No. IX.				
Car. forwd.				

Poelief District	Name of Poelieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
Bt. forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Poelieving 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:—

	£	s.	d.
Elections, Law and other Expenses Cost			
Edward Allen Officer, for remuneration and travelling Expenses for examining Lists of several Parishes Liverpool	1	0	0
Establishment Cost			
Mathew Kelly, part for remuneration for services as acting Poelieving Officer of the 2 District	2	10	0

£	s.	d.

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

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

The Report from the Chaplain this day

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):—

The Clerk laid before the Board of Guardians letters received from the Matron of the Workhouse, and an Inmate of the Workhouse named Susan Hughes of which the following are copies:—

Ballinrobe Workhouse
6 September 1888

Gentlemen,

I beg to enclose copy of a report given to the Master.

Yours obedt Servant
Hannah Byrne
Matron

To The Board of Guardians
Ballinrobe

Ballinrobe Workhouse
5 September 1888.

Sir,

On this day I have found several patients in Hospital in a most filthy state, crawling with vermin. I have called the attention of the Nurse to same, I got the dirty bed clothes removed, and ordered clean clothes to be put on.

Yours obedt Servt
Hannah Byrne
Matron

Mr Farragher
Master

To the Board of Guardians Ballinrobe

Gentlemen,

I humbly beg your pardon for troubling you but I cannot help it. I am working hard in this House, and is willing to do so. But Miss Mallory, the Head Nurse, is every day abusing me, she came into the Laundry on Tuesday where I was washing, and casted uply things to me in presence of the rest of the Women, she was drunk at the time, I hope Gentlemen you will caution her not to be treating poor creatures as she is, If you dont believe me, I can bring up the women who saw her and heard her.

Your humble Servant
Susan Hughes

The Board of Guardians declined to adopt any resolution in reference to the foregoing letters, having the matter entirely

entirely in the hands of the Local Government Board, who will take such steps in the case as they may consider necessary.

A receipt was signed by the Chairman and two Guardians and by the Clerk of the Union, to the Local Government Board for Ireland, for a sum of Two Hundred and Twenty Six pounds, Ten shillings, and Two pence, being the amount of the Parliamentary Grant in aid of Educational and Medical Expenses incurred in the Half Year ended 25 March, last.

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 - -	10
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -	nil
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -	21
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -	nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - -	2
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -	nil

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.)

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(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

13 day of September 1888

(Signed), Thomas Mash

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 6th day of September 1888

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,* Martin Fitzpatrick, Esq

Other Guardians:

Thomas Heaghly, Anthony Reilly, and Thomas Clancy Esquire,

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ *188* *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* _____ *188*

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount District, ... £

[This is to be [illegible] ed [illegible] ever [illegible] after [illegible] tion [illegible] and on [illegible] of any [illegible] any [illegible] pensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.

41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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:—

Appointment signed by the Chairman and two Guardians and by the Clerk of the Union to the Local Government Board for Ireland, for a sum of Forty Nine Pounds, Sixteen Shillings and two pence, as the proportion payable out of the Parliamentary Grant in the Half Year ended 25 March last, for Salaries or additional Salaries of Officers appointed or constituted under the Public Health (Ireland) Act.

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 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*]:—

[redacted]

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 15 day of Sept 1888

(Signed) [illegible]
Clerk of the Union.

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BALLINROBE UNION.

265

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 10,316

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8 day of September 1888

		Able-bodied		Children (not Able-bodied) except Infants, but not working		Boys and Girls above 5 and under 15 years of age		Children above 3 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 3 years of age	Total
		Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls			
Workhouse	670	12								
Temporary Buildings	—									
Permanent Fever Hospital	65	0								
TOTAL	644	12								
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return		14	12	28	47	6	9	25	7	8	156
Admitted during the Week		12	1	9	—	—	—	9	1	—	32
TOTAL		26	13	37	47	6	9	34	8	8	188
Discharged during the Week		8	1	1	1	1	—	1	1	—	14
Died		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Discharged and Dead		8	1	1	1	1		1	1		14
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE		18	12	36	46	5	9	33	7	8	174

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 11	In separate Wards 0	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 0	In Wards with other Inmates 5	
Total, 11	Total 5	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	10	1	2	13
No. in Workhouse at date	2	0	0	2

No. at corresponding period last year, 12

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 8 day of September 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
No. I.	12	12	9	9	13 5	13 5
No. II.	5	5	5	5	6	6
No. III.	1	1	4	4	15	15
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Carried forward,	18	18	18	18	34	34

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 13 day of September 1888

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, John O'Neill Donnellan, Esquire

Other Guardians:—

Dominick Fitzgerald Allen, Alexander Anstey, John Jennings, Patrick O'Boyle, Michael O'Friel, Thomas Geraghty, Matthew Donovan, Thomas Dynan —

Anthony Perry, Martin Dempsey, Michael Burke, Thomas Gannon —

Patrick Gibbons and Peter and Malachy, Esquires.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. [illegible] to No. 2112, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and [illegible] of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. [illegible] to No. 5634, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and [illegible] 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 . . . . . £ 296 : 6 : 4

Paid during the Week . . . . . £ 19 : 9 : 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was . . . . . £ 406 : 5 : 9

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 Payments 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 £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe							7	19	11			
	Burriscarra							1	11	5			
	Coonard							1	5	6			
	Hollymount								14	8			
	Kilcommon								7	6			
	Newbrook							4	9	5			
	Roslee								19	11	17	8	4
PATRICK GRADY	Cong							2	13	5			
	Dalgan							4	12	9			
	Houndswood							3	12	4			
	Kilmaine							7	13	9			
	Neale							2	4	9			
	Shrule							2	19	7	24	9	1
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla							2	13	9			
	Ballyovey							2	14	9			
	Cappaghduff							4	1	3			
	Owenbrinn							2	11	7			
	Portroyal							19	6	1	31	6	8
	TOTALS £										72	15	1

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 £ [illegible] 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, £[illegible] s. [illegible] d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	[illegible]	:	[illegible]
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		:	2 : 8
Average Cost in Infirmary,		:	8 : 6
Average Cost in Poor Hospital,		:	:

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:—

[illegible]

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 8 day of Sept 1883 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	16	: 2	: 6
In Kind,	3	: 10	: 6
Total,	£19	: 12	: 6

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

The Requisitions of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and allowed, the Relief Cheques on the Treasurer and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief Districts	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief Districts	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	[illegible]	[illegible]			Bt. forward				
No. II.	[illegible]	[illegible]			No. X.				
No. III.	[illegible]				No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.	[illegible]	[illegible]			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:—

	£	s.	d.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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):—

Letter from Local Government Board, No. 34324/1888, dated 10th September 1888, requesting to be furnished with a copy of the Estimate of the New Rates when they shall have been agreed to by the Board of Guardians

Letter from same, No. 34,480, 1888, dated 12th Sept. 1888 stating that they have received the report of their Inspector, Captain Sampson, of the Inquiry recently held by him into certain charges of irregularity in the administration of out-door relief preferred against Mr. John Hynes, Relieving Officer in the Union

Before

Before arriving at a final decision on the question whether Mr. Hynes should be allowed to resume the duties of Relieving Officer from the discharge of which he has been suspended, the Local Government Board would wish to be furnished with the views the Guardians now entertain on the case, having regard to the evidence, and the observations of the Inspector.

In his report Captain Sampson refers to the objectionable practice prevailing in the Union in connection with the administration of out-door relief, and recommending the Guardians to revise their lists of persons in receipt of relief at least once in each month.

A division of the Board was taken on the question, as to whether the Local Government Board might allow Mr. Hynes to resume the duties of Relieving Officer, when five Guardians voted for his being allowed to resume, two Guardians for his dismissal from office, and six Guardians declined to vote on the question

The Board of Guardians require Mr. Hynes to account for the balance retained on his hands, namely:— £5.12.6 before he resumes his duties.

An Inmate of the Workhouse named Andrew Mc. Hugh complained of the quality of meat supplied to his child, but the Board of Guardians took no action in the matter.

Resolved that the consideration of the Estimate of the new Rates be adjourned to the 27 Inst.

The

The several Vendors for Workhouse Supplies &c having
been examined and considered, it was Resolved that the
following be accepted :—
for One Week from 20th September 1856. to 27th Sept. 1856.

Michael Byrne, for recovering Chimney of Workhouse and
Fever Hospital, for a sum of Five pounds.

Grace Kelly, for publishing Union Advertisements in the
Wallmark Chronicle, for a sum of Four pounds.

James Daly, for publishing Union Advertisements in the
Connaught Telegraph, for a sum of Five pounds.

Martin Shaidow, for publishing Union Advertisements in the
Ballyglass Examiner for a sum of Five pounds.

Edward Brownlow

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	- -	1 c.
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - -		nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	- - -	nil
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	- - - -	1 c.
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	- - -	nil
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	- - - - - - -	nil
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	- - -	nil

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.)

Edward Brownlow	Yearly Salary	6 d	£ - 2½ Each
	Quarterly		£ - 1½ Each
	Per Visit		£ - 0 1 Each
Michael O'Farrell	Road Contract No 1		£ 1. 2 for the
	Road Contract Stepney		£ - 2 for the
	Road Contract Stepney		£ - 2½ for the
	Specimens XX Ruler		£ - 2½ for Each
	Road Rico		£ - 2 for the
	Road Hollands Grain		£ 3. 0 for Infirmary
	Road Johnsons Starch		£ - 3 for the
	Road to the Boards for Allen		
	Specimen		£ 2. 0 for the
	Road Indian Meal		£ 6. 3 for Coal
Michael O'Toole	Road Contract Porter		£ - 6 for the
	Road Contract Potato		£ 1. 2 for Contract of
	Road Meal Potato		£ 1. 0 for Contract of
	Road Old Contract Potatoes		£ 1. 8 for Meal
	Road Yellow Brown Soap		£ 2. 2 for Stone
	Road Rice		£ - 6 for the
	Road Irish Potato Contract		£ - 4½ for the
	Road Washing Soda		£ - 8½ for Stone
	Salt		£ 1. 0 for Coal
Denis Phippins	Road Potato Contract		£ - 4½ for Contract
	Road Turnip Contract		£ - 4 for Contract
	Road Oatmeal		£ 9. 0 for Coal
	Pump Iron Work		£ - 4½ for Infirmary

Allen Dennis

Martin Jennings	Best Beef and/Mutton in pounds	at	s. d. - 4	per lb
Thomas O'Donnell	Good Black or Brown Turf	at	- 9½	per Statute Box
	Oaten Straw; Clean and deep	at	1. 2	per cwt.
John McHugh	Best Oats for Watchman Horse	at	4. 6	per cwt

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 20 day of September 1885

(Signed), Thomas Mary

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 13 day of September 1888

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,* John Octavius Connellan, Esq.

Other Guardians: Dunsby Brown Miller, Alexander Marlyn, John Lennon, Patrick O'Boyle, Mark O'Brien, Thomas Haughey, Matthew Dunyan, Thomas Greaney, Anthony Reilly, Martin Tilly Patrick, Martin Burke, Thomas Cleary, P. J. Gibbons, and Redmond Mellett, Esquires.

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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 &c. as the case may be,) *under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof* (or such other directions as may be given):

	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 of [illegible] *for the half-year ended* _____ 186 *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* _____ 186

Ballintobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount District, ... £

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

The Board directed the following Rate-payers 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 named, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles [illegible] 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 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 in answer them respectively to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):—

Read Letter from

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.

41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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 Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 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*]:—

Maurice J Blake

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 20 day of September 1886

(Signed) Thomas Allen
Clerk of the Union.

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[Special.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

277

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 6 3 6

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15 day of September 1888

Number of Inmates for whom Accommodation is provided	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Men, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 And under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse . . 579										
Temporary Buildings, . —										
Permanent Fever Hospital, 65										
TOTAL, 644										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	26	13	11	41	4	6	22	7	8	117
Admitted during the Week,	6	1	1	6	—	—	—	—	—	8
TOTAL,	32	14	12	47	4	6	22	7	8	125
Discharged during the Week,	6	2	2	2						11
Died,				1						1
Total Discharged and Dead,	6	2	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	13
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	26	12	10	44	4	6	22	7	8	112

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	56	In separate Wards	1
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates,	5
Total,	57	Total,	5

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	6	1	1	6
No. in Workhouse at date	1	1	1	1

No. at corresponding period last year, . . 127

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 15 day of September 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
No. I.	121	121	10	10	131	131
No. II.	56	56	5	5	61	61
No. III.	15	15	4	4	19	19
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Carried out,	192	192	19	19	211	211

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the day of 188

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

Leave of absence granted to Mr. Hoban for Thursday next

Mr. Hoban

Thomas Allen

Clerk of Union

15 Sept. 1888.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. _____ 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 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 - - - £ [illegible]

Paid during the Week - - - £ 41 : 18 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - - - £ 3[illegible] : 4 : [illegible]

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 and Parts of Electoral Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe							[illegible]	12	11			
	Burriscarra							1	11	6			
	Coonard							1	5	6			
	Hollymount								17	9			
	Kilcommon								12	6			
	Newbrook								12	8			
	Roslee							[illegible]	12	11	12	8	5
PATRICK GRADY	Cong							2	10	5			
	Dalgan							[illegible]	12	5			
	Houndswood							[illegible]	11	5			
	Kilmaine							[illegible]	10	3			
	Neale							[illegible]	14	5			
	Shrule							[illegible]	17	7	24	6	1
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla							[illegible]	18	6			
	Ballyovey							[illegible]	14	9			
	Cappaghduff							4	1	8			
	Owenbrinn							[illegible]	11	7			
	Portroyal							19	6	1	81	6	8
	TOTALS £										37	10	1

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 £ . . . . 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, £ 20 s. 11 d. 6,

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - -	41	12	6
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -	0	7	6
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - - -	0	3	6
~~Average Cost in Fever Hospital,~~ - - - - - - - -			

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:—

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 15 day of October 1868 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	16	16	0
In Kind, - - - - - - - -	3	7	6
Total, - - -	£ 19	13	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 respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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:—

£	s.	d.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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):—

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 - -

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -

Do. 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./

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

day of _____ 188

(*Signed*), _____

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the* _____ day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,*

Other Guardians:

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ *188* *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* _____ *188*

Ballinrobe District, ... *£*

Cong District, ... *£*

Hollymount 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 vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.
41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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 Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878, 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*]:—

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

____day of_____188

(Signed)_____

Clerk of the Union.

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[Special.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

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Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 6,316

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22 day of September 188S

Number of Inmates for whom accommodation is provided	Number of Inmates on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult Persons above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult Persons above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse . . 579	11										
Temporary Buildings, —											
Permanent Fever Hospital, 65	9										
TOTAL, 644	11										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,		23	12	36	41	4	5	22	2	8	163
Admitted during the Week,		13	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	17
TOTAL,		36	13	37	41	5	5	22	2	9	180
Discharged during the Week,		11	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	14
Died,		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Discharged and Dead,		11	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	14
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,		25	12	36	41	5	5	22	2	8	166

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 11	In separate Wards 9	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 9	In Wards with other Inmates, 5	
Total, 20	Total, 5	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	12	1	1	14
No. in Workhouse at date	5	4	4	5

No. at corresponding period last year, 175

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 22 day of September 188S, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 — Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Persons
No. I.	12	12	10	10	18	18
No. II.	58	56	4	4	62	62
No. III.	15	15	4	4	19	19
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Total Carried forward,	135	133	18	18	216	216

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 — Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 — Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 — Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse — Persons
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 22 day of Sept 188S

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Col Wm Blake

Other Guardians:—

Alexander Allen, Wm Blyth, Wm O'Brien, Matthew Dempsey, Patrick O'Boyle, Redmond Allen, Wm Burke, Thomas Healy, and Thomas Heaphy, Esqrs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2116 to No. 2176, 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. 5602 to No. 5603, 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:—

All Indoor Paupers, save Relieving Officer, passed by except of those Orders in the Ballinrobe Electoral Division in the cases of Michael Flaherty & William Flaherty and Patrick Kennedy.

The Orders were handed to the Clerk to be delivered with the Union Papers.

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 £ s. d.

Paid during the Week £ s. d.

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ s. d.

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 £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe							2	19	11			
	Burriscarra							1	11	5			
	Coonard							1	5	6			
	Hollymount								14	8			
	Kilcommon								2	6			
	Newbrook							4	9	5			
	Roslee								19	11	12	8	4
PATRICK GRADY	Cong							2	18	5			
	Dalgan							4	12	6			
	Houndswood							3	12	4			
	Kilmaine							2	18	9			
	Neale							2	14	6			
	Shrule							2	9	2	14	6	1
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla							2	13	6			
	Ballyovey							2	14	9			
	Cappaghduff							4	1	3			
	Owenbrinn							2	11	2			
	Portroyal							12	6	1	31	6	8
	TOTALS £										72	15	1

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 £ . . . 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, £ s. d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -	:	:	
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -	:	:	
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - -	:	:	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - - -	:	:	

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:—

[illegible]

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 [illegible] day of [illegible] 1868 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -	[illegible]	: 8	: 0
In Kind, - - - - - - - -	2	: 15	: 0
Total, - -	£ [illegible]	: 18	: 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 respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
No. II.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
No. III.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII				
No. IX.				
Car. forwd.				

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
Bt. forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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:—

	£	s.	d.
Establishment Cost.			
[illegible] Salary	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Salary	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Salary	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Salary	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Salary	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Extraordinary Cost.			
[illegible] Salary, Clerk of Union, for Salary as Relieving Officer	2	[illegible]	[illegible]
Extra services rendered by Coroner in Inquests (returned, Rel. 1865)			
[illegible] Salary, Clerk to Local Authority	2	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Watch, Storekeeper. Salary	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

£	s.	d.

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

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

The Master laid before the Board of Guardians an Estimate of Bedding and Clothing Materials required for the Year ending 29 Septr. 1869, upon which it was Resolved that the Estimate be approved of, and that the Clerk be directed to advertise by printed handbill, and in the "Wallingford Chronicle" "Mayo Examiner", and Connaught Telegraph Newspapers, for Tenders for Contracts for supply of the several articles specified therein, Tenders to be considered on the Eleventh proxima.

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):—

Letter from Local Government Board, No. 32278/1888 — dated 19th September 1888, advising the transmission of the Report of Guardians and the Inspector, and requesting that the Guardians will call upon the Infirmary Steward to furnish an explanation in regard to the charges preferred by the Workhouse Visitors.

Resolved that the Report of Guardians consider the explanation of the Infirmary Steward unsatisfactory, and request that the Local Government Board will direct their Inspector, Captain Hamilton, to hold an enquiry into the charges referred to therein

Letter from Local Government Board, No. 32278-1888 — dated 19th September 1888; stating that they have not determined not to remove the suspension of Relieving Officer Hynes, and that the Guardians have power in their discretion to dismiss all Hynes from his office in pursuance of Article 4a of the Special Regulations, and the Local Government Board think that the question should be considered by the Guardians after due notice to each Member of the Board.

Resolved that a copy of the foregoing Letter be forwarded to each Guardian of the Union with an intimation that it will be considered on the 1st proximo.

Letter forwarded with minutes.

Letter from Christina Ellis Hughes, an inmate of the Workhouse dated 21st Sept 1888, containing charges affecting the discipline of the Workhouse.

Statements ordered with minutes.

Christina Ellis Hughes, Isabella Brennan, Catherine Farrelly, Margaret Ellis Hughes, Mary Geraghty, Mary Lennon, Patt Hayes, and Peter Williams were called before the Board of Guardians and made statements which were signed by the Presiding Chairman

Proposed by Dan Allaway to Patt Hayes
Seconded by Alexander Mahon, Esquire.

Filed

Letter from Local Government Board, No. 32279/1888 — dated 19th September 1888, advising the transmission of the Report of Guardians and the Inspector, and requesting that the Guardians will call upon the Infirmary Steward to furnish an explanation in regard to the charges preferred by the Workhouse Visitors and a further statement from Christina Ellis Hughes.

Forwarded with the Infirmary Steward's explanation respecting those charges, which was ordered to be forwarded to the Local Government Board.

Resolved

That the Local Government Board be requested that Inspector, Dublin Section, to hold a Local inquiry into the charges contained in those Memoranda.

The Board directed that the Guardians notice to Guardians attend for the inquiry. Guardians appointed, and Guardians declined to vote,

Resolved that the immediate removal elsewhere thereof be dispensed from the Workhouse, as the Board of Guardians do not consider her a fit & proper object for relief there,

Estimate - The Clerk laid before the Board of Guardians and Estimate of the Rate, upon which it was Resolved that the following Estimate Rate be approved & passed for the Guardians for relief of the poor in the several Electoral Divisions of the Union for the service of the period of twelve Calendar months - commencing from the 30th September 1868:-

	£	s	d
Rathdown No Electoral Division, at a rate of	2	8	in the Pound
Rathdrumlin	1	8	"
Rathmichael	"	6	"
Rathmines	1	6	"
Tallaght	"	"	"
Taylorstown	2	4	"
Tibradden	1	6	"
Tullagh	1	8	"
Tullamore	1	4	"
Tullycorbet	1	8	"
Ummeras	1	11	"
Upper Kilmainham	1	8	"
Upper Rathmines	1	2	"
Upper Tullagh	1	2	"
Walkinstown	1	5	"
Westpalstown	1	2	"
Whitechurch	1	1	"
Willbrook	1	10	"
Wood	1	10	"
Shankill	1	6	"

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	20
Ditto disallowed	nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	nil
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	17
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	1
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	1
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	nil

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.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

4 day of October 1888

(Signed), Thomas Healy

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 22 day of Sept 1888

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair*, Col. Maurice C. J. Blake

Other Guardians:

Alex. Martyn, Martin Fitzpatrick, Mark O'Brien, Matthew Duncan, Patrick O'Boyle, Redmond Mellett, Martin Burke, Thomas Nally, and Thomas Heraghty, Esquires.

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

	£	s.	d.
Ballinrobe District			
Edward McDonnell, Medical Officer. Salary	25	0	0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 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 _____ *188* *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* _____ *188*

Ballinrobe District, ... *£*

Cong District, ... *£*

Hollymount 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 vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers 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 2 August 1888 *(state subject)*

Containing amended General Rules for the performance of Re-vaccination in Dispensary Districts.

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 Local Government Board, No. 23,942, 1888 dated 12 Sept 1888, requesting to be furnished with a copy of the Report of the Medical Officer of Health of the Cong Dispensary District on the condition of the District as regards the presence of Typhus Fever.

A copy of the required Report was entered on copy of Minutes of the 14 June last, which were duly forwarded to the Local Government Board.

Circular Letter from Local Government Board, No. 18,711/88, dated 20 Sept 1888, enclosing copy of an Order amending the Regulations regarding Re-vaccination in Dispensary Districts.

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.

41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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:—

Circular Letter from Local Government Board, No. 14235/88 dated 20 September 1888, transmitting therewith for use of the Burial Board, four copies in pamphlet form, of the Rules and Regulations recently made by the Board for the regulation of Burial Grounds provided or which may be provided, under the provisions of the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878.

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878, were laid before the Board, viz.:—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.
Ballinrobe Union	Thomas Clary, Clerk of Board			
	Board, Salary,	2	10	0
Same	Salaries of Sanitary Officers for			
	Quarter ending 29 Sept 1880	22	15	0

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

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The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the ~~1st~~ 10th day of October 1888

(Signed) Thomas Ellery
Clerk of the Union.

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[*Special.*]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 6,010.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29 day of October 1888

Enlarged Accommodation for	Number of Beds and Cribs in the Workhouse	Number of Inmates in the Workhouse on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 16 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse . . .	570	166										
Temporary Buildings, .												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	4										
TOTAL, .	644	166										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, .			26	12	16	10	5	8	2	1	8	11[illegible]
Admitted during the Week, .			10	8	2	—	2	1	2	1		26
TOTAL,			36	15	40	41	7	4	29	8	8	198
Discharged during the Week, .			18	4	1	1	3	—	2	1	—	30
Died, ...			—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Total Discharged and Dead, .			18	4	3	1	3	—	2	1		32
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			20	11	37	40	4	4	27	7	8	166

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, 46	In separate Wards, 0	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, 4	In Wards with other Inmates, 6	
Total, 46	Total, 6	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	20	1	4	25
No. in Workhouse at date	1	0	0	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 161

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 27 day of October 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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 Vict. 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.	12	12	10	10	18	18	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	5	5	4	4	6	6	No. X.						
No. III.	16	16	4	4	20	20	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Carried forward,	33	33	18	18	44	44	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 4 day of October 1888

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, Patrick O'Donnellan, Esq

Other Guardians:—

Patrick Heneghan, and Martin Burke, Esqrs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. [illegible] to No. [illegible], 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. [illegible] to No. [illegible], 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:—

[illegible] John Kelly Esqr. from Rolling Office, related the proceedings of Revision Sessions held in the Coolcon Electoral Division in the case of Lord Clanmorris v. Roman Catholic and others, and Col. Patrick Reddington v. John Kelly and others

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 £[illegible]

Paid during the Week £[illegible] 9 5

And that the Balance on the Account [illegible] of the Guardians was £[illegible]

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 Lodgements 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 £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
John Mellett	Ballinrobe			2 19 11	
	Burriscarra			1 11 6	
	Coonard			1 6 6	
	Hollymount			17 8	
	Kilcommon			7 6	
	Newbrook			2 2 6	
	Roslee			12 11	12 8 4
Patrick Grady	Cong			2 18 6	
	Dalgan			4 12 6	
	Houndswood			3 12 4	
	Kilmaine			2 10 9	
	Neale			2 4 6	
	Shrule			2 19 7	21 6 1
Thomas Henahan	Ballinchalla			2 13 9	
	Ballyovey			2 4 9	
	Cappaghduff			1 3 8	
	Owenbrinn			2 11 7	
	Portroyal			13 5 1	31 6 8
Totals £					72 5 1

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 £ 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, £ s. d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was		:	:
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		:	:
Average Cost in Infirmary,		:	:
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,		:	:

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:—

[illegible]

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 21 day of Sept 1895 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,		:	:
In Kind,		:	:
Total,	£	:	:

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 determined by the Board, Cheques on the Treasurer and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
No. IV.				
No. V.				
No. VI.				
No. VII.				
No. VIII				
No. IX.				
Car. forwd.				
Bt. forward				
No. X.				
No. XI.				
No. XII.				
No. XIII.				
No. XIV.				
No. XV.				
No. XVI.				
No. XVII.				
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:—

	£	s.	d.

£	s.	d.

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

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

The Report from the Master this day

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):—

Circular Letter from Local Government Board, No. 119-711/88, dated 28 September 1888, requesting to be furnished with the Annual Return of Union Officers, Ex-officio Guardians & for the ensuing year.

Resolved that the Workhouse Master be instructed to lodge with the Union Treasurer, a sum of Nine pounds, Seven shillings, being the balance which he admitted having on hands of a sum of Thirteen pounds found with an Inmate named Sarah Higgins, who was admitted to the Workhouse on the 23rd June last.

Resolved that the Local Government Board be requested to inform the Guardians who is the proper custodian of Money found on persons admitted to the Workhouse as destitute, or for Hospital treatment, and how such money ought to be disposed of.

Mary Hogan who was ordered to be discharged from the Workhouse on Thursday last, having been re-admitted provisionally by the Relieving Officer, it is now Resolved that she be again discharged from the Workhouse, and an order for her discharge was signed by the Presiding Chairman and handed to the Workhouse Master.

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 - - 5

Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - - - nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - nil

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - 3

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - nil

The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - 2

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - nil

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.*~~)~~

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

11 day of October 1888

(Signed), Thomas Ellis

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 4 day of October 1888

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,* John O'Neil Donnellan, Esq

Other Guardians:

Patrick Henephan and Martin Burke, Esquires

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Cong *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:—*

The Estimates were approved of, and orders made upon the Contractors to supply the Medicines, &c. specified therein,

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:—*

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The following Accounts of expenses, (or *statements 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.

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

A Vaccination Report (Form H) received from Dr. Edward McGuire, Medical Officer of Wallingstown Dispensary District, was laid before the Board of Guardians from which it appeared that during the Quarter ended 30th Sept 1888, 88 persons had been successfully vaccinated by him.

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.

41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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 Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 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*]:—

Minutes of Meeting

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

11 day of October 1888

(Signed) [illegible]
Clerk of the Union.

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BALLINROBE UNION.

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Population in 1881—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 6,910

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 1 day of October 1888

Number of Workhouses, Temporary Buildings, Permanent Fever Hospital, and Total	Number of Beds	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Men, Boys, and adult Persons above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm Men, Boys, and adult Persons above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse	279										
Temporary Buildings,											
Permanent Fever Hospital,	65	1									
Total,	344	115									
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,		20	11	8	10	5	7	20	7	8	156
Admitted during the Week,		7	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	11
Total,		27	12	10	11	5	7	20	7	8	167
Discharged during the Week, Died,		5	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total Discharged and Dead,		5	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Remaining on the above date,		22	12	10	11	5	7	20	7	8	161

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		
Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 7	In separate Wards 0	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 1	In Wards with other Inmates, 1	
Total, 8	Total, 1	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during Week	1	0	0	1
No. in Workhouse at date	1	0	0	1

No. at corresponding period last year, 1883

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 6 day of October 1888, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
No. I.	96	96	5	5	101	101
No. II.	52	52	3	3	55	55
No. III.	15	15	4	4	19	19
No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
Total	163	163	12	12	175	175

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
Bt. forward,						
No. X.						
No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
Total						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 11 day of October 1888

PRESENT: *In the Chair*, Col. Wynne to left

Other Guardians:—

Hon. Charles Wynne, Thomas Wilson Gerrard, John Patrick Donnellan, Charles Kilfeather, John Jennings, Charles Hicks, Thomas Scally, Charles Brown, Charles O'Brien, Thomas Queeny, Patrick Monaghan, Patrick O'Boyle, Thomas Pollock, Thomas Blaney, Redmond Morrill, Thomas Geraghty and Patrick Lobban, Esquires.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from the Date of No. [illegible] *both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersigned by the Clerk.*

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated from the Date of No. [illegible], *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersigned by the Clerk.*

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

[illegible] read on the Out door Relief Report
this week

All Solid Kally [illegible] Relieving officer reported the Strength
of each Division of this in the Several Electoral Divisions
in the case of Land Abdication — James Hallinan and
Stephen Hallinan

The Station was handed to the Board to be disposed
with the Union Roads.

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 £ [illegible]

Paid during the Week £ [illegible]

And that the Balance on the Account [illegible] the Guardians was £ [illegible]

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 following sums 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 £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe			[illegible]	
	Burriscarra			[illegible]	
	Coonard			[illegible]	
	Hollymount			[illegible]	
	Kilcommon			[illegible]	
	Newbrook			[illegible]	
	Roslee			[illegible]	[illegible]
PATRICK GRADY	Cong			[illegible]	
	Dalgan			[illegible]	
	Houndswood			[illegible]	
	Kilmaine			[illegible]	
	Neale			[illegible]	
	Shrule			[illegible]	[illegible]
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla			[illegible]	
	Ballyovey			[illegible]	
	Cappaghduff			[illegible]	
	Owenbrinn			[illegible]	
	Portroyal			[illegible]	[illegible]
TOTALS £					[illegible]

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 £ _____ 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, £ s. d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - : :			
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - : :			
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - - - : :			
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - - : :			

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:—

3 Pounds of [illegible]

4 Quarts of Old [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

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 [illegible] day of [illegible] 1848 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - - - - -		:	:
In Kind, - - - - - - - -		:	:
Total, - - £		:	:

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

The Requisitions of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and approved by the Board, Cheques on the Treasurer and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors: Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors: Value £ s. d.
No. I.	[illegible]	[illegible]			Bt. forward				
No. II.	[illegible]	[illegible]			No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.	[illegible]	[illegible]			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:—

£	s.	d.

£	s.	d.

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

The Report of the Master was read of which the following is a copy:—

Kallurah Workhouse
" October 1888

Gentlemen

I beg leave to report for your information that an order having been made by you for the discharge of an Inmate named Mary Hogan, I proceeded to discharge her when she refused to leave, I called the attention of the Medical Officer to her and he refused to certify that she was able to be removed by force

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

The Provisions and Necessaries received by me during the week have been of the quality contracted for,

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedt Servt
Patrick L Farragher
Workhouse Master

To, The Board of Guardians
Kallurah Union,

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):—

Circular Letter from Local Government Board No. 110711/88 dated 4 October 1888, requesting to be furnished with a Return of the particulars respecting the Rates made, and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union, during the Quarter ended 30 Sept. 1888.

Circular Letter from same, No. 113711/88, dated 4 Oct. 1888, transmitting therewith, a Form to be filled up, and returned to their Office as soon as the expenses chargeable upon the Parliamentary Grant for Educational and Medical purposes in Wallinrobe Union for the Half-Year ended 29 September last, shall have been accurately ascertained

Letter

Letter from Local Government Board, No. 40.025/1888, dated 10 October 1888, stating that they have instructed their Inspector, Captain Sampson, to hold an Inquiry in Oath respecting the charges preferred against the Master of the Workhouse and the Infirmary Nurse, respectively, and to report to them on the subject.

The Board of Guardians having had under consideration the Local Government Board's letter of the 21 Ultimo, No. 38220/1888 in reference to the case of Relieving Officer Hynes, a copy of which the Clerk had forwarded to each Guardian of the Union by the Post of the 2nd Inst.

It was proposed by Col. Clarence C. J. Blake seconded by Mr. Thomas Heraghty

That Mr. John Hynes be dismissed from his Office as Relieving Officer.

Amendment by Mr. John O'Neil Donnellan seconded by Mr. Thomas Clearey

That Mr. Hynes be allowed to resume the duties of Relieving Officer, and that the Local Government Board be requested to remove the suspension of that Officer.

The Board divided on the question when 9 Guardians voted for the Amendment, 8 Guardians against it, and one Guardian declined to vote. The amendment was declared carried by a majority of one vote

Resolved

Resolved, that the Local Government be requested to inform the Board of Guardians of their decision in the case of Applicants Hayes as soon as possible, as the Guardians pending that decision are paying two officers.

Resolved that the Local Government Board be requested to convey as quickly as possible their decision as to the Estimate of Rates forwarded to them, as the funds of the Union are very low, and the Rates require to be struck as soon as practicable.

Resolved, that in consequence of a clerical error on the part of the Clerk of the Union, relative to the Rates levied on the Dalgan Electoral Division, by which it appeared that a sum of £50, was distributed over a smaller area than it ought to have been, which caused reduce the Rates on said Division from 4d in the £ to 3d in the £, that the Clerk be directed to allow the Rates struck to stand.

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 - - 1
Ditto disallowed - - - - - - - nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - nil

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - 13
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - nil
The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - - 1

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - nil

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.)

the amount applied deducted from it to be in the pound.

Resolved, that the attention of the Local Government Board be directed to the fact that the clerical error in relation was detected by the Guardians for Dalgan Division: all allowed by them.

Resolved that in consequence of an excessive levy from rated by the 10 Electoral Divisions in the Electoral Area of Athenry, the is hereby directed not upon to make any exceptions, in that or any other Area, but strictly to direct a find in and in the pound as may be required.

Resolved, that a levy from be struck under the value of the Board of Guardians that a sealed balance to the half of the 11 Unions declared in the Boards Rewards of Attendance, now, on the 1st October, admitted to the Hospital of the Workhouse suffering from Contagious disease by the order of Dr. Kelly, the Board of Guardians wish to bring this matter before the Local Government Board, as the Guardians object to pay for Soldiers and the cost of Nurses attending on them: and they propose that the Local Government Board will [illegible] them as to the [illegible] of the case.

The Board of Guardians having considered the Sources for defraying Surplus it was Resolved that the following be recorded.

Peter Brady

Peter Wartley, for 200 Yards of Drapheda Linen, at 6¾ per Yard, 300 Yards of Wallinskill Flannel, at 8½ per Yard, 200 Yards of Bedtiney, at 1/2½ per Yard, 200 Yards of Twilled Grey Calico for Sheeting at 3¾ per Yard.

William Regan, 500 Yards of Strong Grey Calico for Sheeting, at 4¼ per Yard, 500 Yards of Grey Calico for Lining, at 3¾ per Yard, 200 Yards of Canvas, for Wed-Ticks, at five pence per Yard, 40 lb of Black Thread at 1/3 per lb, 40 lb of White Thread at 1/5½ per lb, 20 Dozen of Machine Thread at 1/0 per Dozen.

Conlay and Fahey, 200 Yards of Linsey Woolsey at Eight pence per Yard, 20 lb of Grey Wasted for Stockings, at 1/5 per lb.

Michael Fourdl, 30 pairs of Men's Shoes, at 5/6 per pair, 20 pairs of Women's Shoes, at 4/3 per pair, and 20 pairs of Boys' Shoes at 5/10 per pair.

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 15 day of October 1888

(Signed), Thomas May

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 11 day of October 1888

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,* Col. Maurice C. S. Blake

Other Guardians: Alex. Martyn, Thomas Wilson Walsh, John Oxtrell Donnellan, Martin Fitzpatrick, John Sammy, Martin Kirke, Thomas Walley, Matthew Dugan, Mark O'Brien, Thomas Greevy, Patrick Heneghan, Patrick O'Boyle, Anthony Reilly, Thomas Cleary, Redmond Mellett, Thos. Heraghty and P. S. Gibbons, Esquires.

I.—PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

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 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):

£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 and 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 20th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 18 6 *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* _____ 18 6

Ballinrobe District, ... £

Cong District, ... £

Hollymount District, ... £

[redacted] *It was directed the following Rate-payers 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

[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 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:—

II.—Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Sanitary Authority.

41 & 42 Vic., c. 52.

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:—

Circular Letter from Local Government Board, No. 14 711/8 dated 4 October 1888, requesting to be furnished with a Return showing the amount paid on account of new Salaries or additional Salaries to Sanitary Officers for the Half Year ended 29 Sept last, with a view to a portion thereof being recouped out of the Vote of Parliament in accordance with the 11th Section of the Public Health Act. 1878.

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, 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*]:—

Martin Fitzpatrick

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

15 day of October 1885

(Signed) Thomas Clay
Clerk of the Union.

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