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The Minute Book, in which shall be entered all Letters received from, or written to, the Poor Law Commissioners, Minutes of all Moneys received or paid, all Orders or Cheques given, all Accounts examined and allowed, all Salaries ordered to be paid as well as all other business, proceedings, and transactions of the Board of Guardians, at any of their Meetings. The entries of Money transactions shall be afterwards posted in the Leger, and a note of reference made in the margin of the page in the Minute Book, to the folio in the Leger to which they are so carried,

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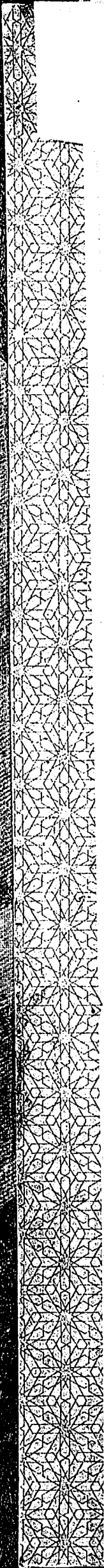
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THE BOOKS AND FORMS REQUIRED BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD, THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT,
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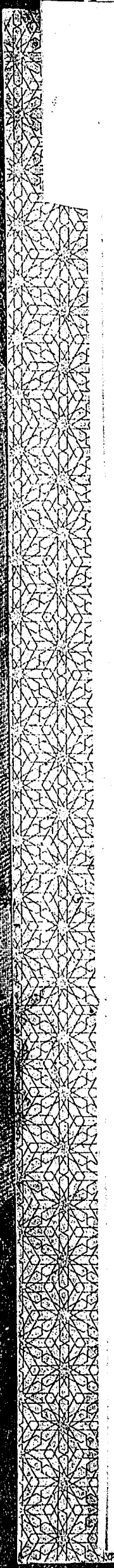
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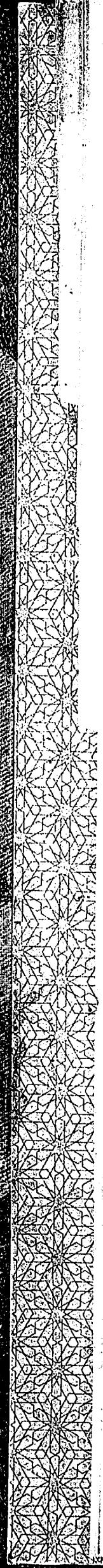
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[Special]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of June 1898

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 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	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	579	135														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hospital.	65	7														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL,		614	142													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			12	12	37	30	6	7	21	9	7	144	In Workhouse Hospital	In separate Wards		
Admitted during the Week,			3	3	2	1						9	In Fever Hospital	In Wards with other Lunatics		
TOTAL,			15	12	40	32	6	8	21	9	7	150	Total	Total		
Discharged during the Week,			2	3				1	1			7				
Died,				1								1				
Total Discharged and Dead			2	1	2				1	1		8	No. Relieved during Week			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			13	11	37	32	6	8	20	8	7	142	No. in Workhouse at date			
																No. at corresponding period last year, 135

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of June 1898, 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.	63	75	22	38	85	113	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	45	64	29	43	74	107	No. X.						
No. III.	11	12	13	35	24	47	No. XI.						
No. IV.	5	7	9	14	14	21	No. XII.						
No. V.	42	61	16	46	58	107	No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	166	219	89	176	255	395	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians—

There was no meeting of the Board held to-day only two Guardians Messrs J. Oit. Donnellon, and W. James Jannuq. attended
J. Walsh Clerk of Union.
23rd June 1898.

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 against the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe												
	Borriscarra												
	Coonard												
	Hollymount												
	Kilcommon												
	Newbrook												
	Rosslea												
PATRICK GRADY	Cong												
	Dalغان												
	Houndswood												
	Kilmaine												
	Neale												
	Shrule												
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla												
	Ballyovey												
	Cappaghduff												
	Owenbrim												
	Portroyal												
	TOTAL RATES												

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ 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:—

lbs. First Flour Bread	lbs. Pepper
„ Brown do.	„ Rice
„ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	„ Port Wine
Cwt. Oatmeal	Quarts Whiskey
„ Indian Meal	Bottles Brandy
Quarts Sweet Milk	„ Porter
Cwts. Salt	Boxes Turf
lbs. Tea	lbs. Candles
„ Sugar	lbs. Soap
Eggs	lbs. Starch
lbs. Butter	lbs. Washing Soda

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 189

whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	s.	d.
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 and value respectively:—

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	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.

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 - - - - -

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c., Account				
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	

*The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
 Number of successful cases:—
 The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—*

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated _____

No. _____

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY,
the 30th day of June 1898

Signed, Edmund Walsh
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 _____ 189
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,*

Other Guardians:—

*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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District			Cong Dispensary District			Hollymount Dispensary District		

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 189 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189 _____

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 vacancy in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Deute-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 24 of the 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, or the Nuisances, Licences and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):—

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 189

No _____ stating that

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 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:—

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT—*In the Chair,*

Other Guardians :

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 Officers' Report Book.

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

No. of Cheques	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 following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, or others, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the 30th day of June 189

(Signed), John Walsh
Executive Sanitary Officer.

BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Members:

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of June 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 6 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	579	141															
Temporary Buildings																	
Additional Workhouse																	
Permanent Fever Hospital	65	6															
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL		641															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			13	11	37	32	6	8	20	8	7	142	In Work-house Hospital	50	In separate Wards	-	
Admitted during the Week,			8	4	5	1	1	3	1	22			In Fever Hospital	6	In Wards with other inmates	4	
TOTAL			21	15	42	32	7	8	23	9	7	164	Total	56	Total	4	
Discharged during the Week,			8	3	3				1			15	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died,						1			1			2	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead			8	3	3	1			2			17	No. Relieved during Week	7	2	-	9
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			13	12	39	31	7	8	23	7	7	147	No. in Work-house at date	4	1	-	4
													No. at corresponding period last year, 152				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of June 1898, 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.	63	75	21	37	84	112	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	44	63	29	43	73	106	No. X.						
No. III.	15	17	13	14	28	31	No. XI.						
No. IV.	42	61	16	44	58	107	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	165	218	88	175	253	393	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 30th day of June 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair, Alexander Martyn J.P.

Other Guardians:—

J. W. Cunningham, J. Heveran, N. H. Furah, J. Conroy

N. O'Brien

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 30th day of June 1898

(Signed),

John Walsh

Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1965 to No. 1986, 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. 7040 to No. 7143, 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 of the union reported having lodged with the Treasurer the sum of £57:1:2 to the Credit of the Relief Works acc. being the Government proportion of payments made for week ended 4th instant.

£57:1:2

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

Baid during the Week Since last Meeting £176 : 4 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of ~~against~~ the Guardians was £74 : 6 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £847 : 16 : 1

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe	63	3	9				139	10	2			
	Borrisearra	0	18	4				7	19	6			
	Coonard	7	1	1				14	1	7			
	Hollymount	14	6	4				50	10	1			
	Kilcommon	1	17	5				14	17	0			
	Newbrook	5	10	0				49	17	2			
	Rosslea	3	6	3				14	9	11			
					96	32					291	5	2
PATRICK GRADY	Cong	4	15	8				57	17	10			
	Dalgan	-	-	-				25	5	0			
	Houndswood	11	1	2				81	13	11			
	Kilmaine	2	18	0				27	10	0			
	Neale	7	0	2				56	0	3			
	Shrule	17	1	10				43	19	11			
					112	16	10				292	6	11
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla	26	15	3				11	3	9			
	Ballyovey	-	-	-				21	3	11			
	Cappaghduff	-	-	-				14	10	6			
	Owenbrinn	-	-	-				11	1	2			
	Portroyal	10	9	4				42	6	4			
											317	11	7
											100	5	2
											633	13	
	TOTAL RATES				176	11	7						

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ s. d. 22 : - : 6

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ s. d. 24 : 19 : 11

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ s. d. 3 : 0 : 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary, £ s. d. 3 : 8

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, £ s. d. 7 : 2

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

980 lbs. First Flour Bread	lbs. Pepper
160 „ Brown do.	„ Rice
260 „ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	„ Port Wine
Cwt. Oatmeal	2 Quarts Whiskey
„ Indian Meal	Bottles Brandy
872 Quarts Sweet Milk	48 „ Porter
1/8 Cwts. Salt	Boxes Turf
lbs. Tea	9 lbs. Candles
52 „ Sugar	49 lbs. Soap
120 Eggs	3 lbs. Starch
5 lbs. Butter	14 lbs. Washing Soda
1/4 „ Tobacco	1 lb Blue

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 25th day of June 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, £ s. d.	13 : 17 : 6
In Kind, £ s. d.	6 : 13 : -
Total, £ s. d.	20 : 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 estimated by the Board, Cheques on the Treasurer and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value respectively:—

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
136	No. I. M. J. Jully	6	0	0		Bl. forward					
137	No. II. J. Sarry	6	0	0		No. X.					
138	No. III. J. Henahan	6	0	0		No. XI.					
147	No. IV. M. J. Jully	6	0	0		No. XII.					
148	No. V. John Sarry	6	0	0		No. XIII.					
149	No. VI. P. Brady	8	0	0		No. XIV.					
	No. VII.					No. XV.					
	No. VIII.					No. XVI.					
	No. IX.					No. XVII.					
						TOTAL,					
		£	38								

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

Relief Works etc
 To M Walsh Paymaster £80.
 H. M Walsh do to pay for pro. note signed
 to Bank of Ireland for payments made week
 ended 25th instant. £80.

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 - - - - -

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Bural Account	Election, Law, &c. Account				
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
101	Rev J. Treanor Sal. Past Chap ⁿ				3 - -						
102	V. Rev Dean Romayne D ^o D ^o				15 - -						
103	Michl ^e Concanon D ^o as Master				15 - -						
104	Honoria Byrne D ^o .. Matron				8 15 0						
105	Thomas May D ^o .. S. Mast ^r				8 15 0						
106	Louisa C. Concanon D ^o .. S. Mast ^r				7 10 0						
107	Kate Keys L ^o .. Nurse				6 5 0						
108	Bridget J. Burke D ^o .. D ^o				6 5 0						
109	Delia Hession D ^o .. P. D ^o				2 10 0						
110	Ellen M. Grath D ^o .. P. D ^o				2 10 0						
111	Carl. Donnellon D ^o .. C. taker										
112	B. Brennan D ^o .. D ^o										- 10 0
113	Francis Kenny D ^o .. D ^o										- 10 0
114	John Smyth D ^o .. D ^o										- 10 0
115	John Muldoon D ^o .. D ^o										- 10 0
116	Michl ^e Brendergast D ^o .. D ^o										- 10 0
117	Rich ^d Morris D ^o .. D ^o										- 10 0
118	Michl ^e Fahey D ^o .. D ^o										- 10 0
119	Martin Kelly D ^o .. D ^o										- 10 0
120	John Staurley D ^o .. Porter				3 15 0						- 10 0
121	C. B. Mackon D ^o .. Med. off ^r				32 10 0						10 -
130	H. J. Tully D ^o .. Rel. off ^r				5 5 0						
131	J. Sarsy D ^o .. " "				8 15 0						
132	J. H. McShan D ^o .. " "				3 15 0						
133	John Henahan D ^o .. Tem. " "				9 15 0						
134	C. Brady D ^o .. Rel. " "				4 7 6						
135	J. Walsh D ^o .. Ch. of. Miss ^s				27 0 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	7 10 0		
139	A. B. Kelly Sol ^r am ^o Disc ^r										
140	J. Sheridan Smith - Repairs				5 18 11						
142	John Ruane Sup ^r late Tailor				1 0 0						
144	Gabriel Tierney Matron Nurses Training D ^o for Set ^r N. Corles 25 th 1898		3 15 0								
145	Honoria Byrne M. acting Sub. for Schoolmistress				12 7 0						
150	John Geller Capuing Matron's Room				4 - -						
143	J. J. Mahony V. J. Salamy				1 9 0						16 8 2

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
 Number of successful cases ^{Medical Officer}
 The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

Bullinroche Fever Hospital
 23rd June 1898

Gentlemen,
 I beg to report to you that the patients in the Fever Hospital are now over the fever. One of them however is suffering from consumption and his ultimate recovery is very doubtful. At the time for the discharge of these patients is now approaching the question arises what is to be done with their clothes.

We have no effectual means of disinfecting them so I have no option but to recommend their destruction by fire. The same remarks apply to the clothes of the probationer nurses who were engaged in attending these cases and one of whom actually contracted fever. It would in my opinion be unsafe to allow these clothes to be again worn in attendance on the sick in the workhouse infirmary without thorough disinfection.

I have learned that a bed was taken over from the workhouse infirmary for the use of the probationer nurse resident in the Fever Hospital; it is obvious that this bed cannot now be with safety be brought back to the infirmary as we have no disinfecting chamber to effectually disinfect it in.

I have to bring under your notice the fact that we have no place to use as a store or press for medicines &c not in actual use. On account of this want quantities of expensive surgical dressings and appliances go to the bad. A suitable press could be inexpensively got up on the lobby adjoining N^o 9 Ward on male side of hospital.

I am, Gentlemen,
 A. B. Mahon Med off^r

Ordered. That the master procure a suitable press for the requirements of the workhouse hospital.

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

That Nurse M^o Grath returned off leave of absence and resumed her duties on the 18th inst; That Nurse Ryan entered on her duties on the 20th inst and that Nurse Corles' services as temporary Nurse, were dispensed with and her expenses to Dublin paid her.

That on Saturday the 18th inst he discovered Charles Donnellon an able bodied inmate coming in over the boundary wall to the rear of the workhouse farm from the outside which he had been contrary to the Regulations.

That late on Monday night the 20th inst he found a man named Michl^e Connor who had that morning been discharged from the house possibly endeavouring to enter the Gate Lodge. He admitted having climbed over the entrance gate. Connor being in a drunken state and having un lawfully entered he had him ejected from the premises; Later on he found his boots which he had previously left outside the gate now thrown inside and suspecting he would enter elsewhere, sent the Schoolmaster for the police. Before the schoolmaster

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

and the police arrived he found Connor on the roof of the small store adjoining the dispensary whence he could drop to the Workhouse grounds.

On the arrival of the police Connor was found in the Dispensary Yard and taken into custody.

In the absence of a Board Meeting on Thursday last I directed a summons to be issued against Connor.

Ordered - That the Guardians approve of the master having issued a summons in Connor's case.

Donnellan was called before the Board and severely reprimanded for his misconduct.

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 18th June 1898
No. 129: M: 1897

Authorising the Board of Guardians of the Ballinrobe Union to administer relief out of the Workhouse in food or fuel to such destitute persons as they may consider require it whether in the occupation of land or not from the 20th instant to the 30th proximo, inclusive

The cost of the relief so afforded to be charged in the same manner as if it had been indoor relief under the Poor Relief Acts.

Letter from same dated 20th June 1898
No 27603 Stating that as the price of bread-stuffs has again fallen they think it necessary

to

to revert to the scale of wages originally fixed for workers employed on the relief works namely six shillings a week

Letter from same dated 22nd June 1898 No 27619 stating that they have given directions for the payment of a sum of £48:1:2 to the Treasurer in respect of £64:9:9 payments made to labourers &c. employed on the Relief Works in the Union for week ended 11th instant and that no recoupment has been made in respect of 8/2 for the reasons set forth in accompanying table.

Letter from same dated June 22nd 1898 No 154 authorising the Paymaster-General to pay to the Treasurer of the Union the sum of £48:1:2 as the proportion of the actual expenses incurred by the Guardians in respect of Relief of distress operations in the Union

Letter from same dated 22nd June 1898 No 27625 Stating that pending the receipt of a satisfactory explanation from Pat Mc Ling Janger on the Bohaun Road, as to his absence from work on the 13th and 15th instant; referred to in minutes of the 16th instant they will not recoup any portion of his wages

Letter from same dated June 22nd 1898 No 27625 stating

stating that they are not prepared to sanction the reemployment on the relief works of Thomas Ogan who was dismissed for insubordination and they consider if he is in need of relief he should be offered admission to the Workhouse

Letter from same dated 28th June 1898
 No. 28817. Stating that they have given directions for the payment of a sum of £63:19:1. to the Treasurer of the Union in respect of payments made to labourers &c. employed on the Relief Works in the Union for week ended the 18th instant amounting to £86:1:5: that the amount includes the Government proportion of the Wages (5%) of John O'Brien employed on the Kilbride road for week ended 4th instant in respect of which recoupment had been deferred; that no recoupment has been made for £1:1:0. included in list of payments made for week ended 18th instant for the reasons stated in the accompanying table.

Letter from same dated 29th June 1898
 No. 177. Authorising the Paymaster-General to pay to the Treasurer of the Union the sum of £63:19:1. as the proportion

portion of the actual expenses incurred by the Guardians in respect of Relief of Distress operations in the Union for week ended 18th instant

An Invoice of medicines &c. forwarded by the contractor for the Infirmary of the Workhouse in pursuance of an Order in their Minutes of the 2nd instant having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board and reported that he had a copy of the Invoice to the Medical Officer of the Workhouse.

Letter from Mr. Patrick McGuire, Gauger, Bohannon Relief Works, of which the following is a copy.

Bohannon 22nd June 1898.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your communication of last Board day. I beg to state that according to my time. I was only 15 minutes late on the morning of the 13th June. I entirely deny being absent on the evening of the 15th. I worked on that day from 8. A.M. till 5. P.M. I reported the matter to the County Surveyor and to my belief the spite that brought the matter on. It might take

take ^{you} by surprise to know that Mr. Walsh never visited my work but twice except Pay Days, since the work opened on the 13th April last. Having resigned at ten o'clock to-day my idea is to show you that I count the fullest investigation into the way that Relief works are carried on. Thanking the Guardians and especially Colonel Blake.

Yours faithfully
Patrick McGinnis

Letter from Mr. M. Walsh Paymaster dated 30th June 1898. Stating that the Gangers on Bohann Relief Works resigned on the 22nd instant; that he appointed Mr. Tom McKing to discharge the duties and recommended his permanent appointment; that there are two additional Gangers required for the numbers employed on the Barnahorna and M. A. Lydon's Roads. Ordered: - That the Guardians approve of the appointment of Thomas McKing as Ganger on the Bohann Road, and recommend the division of the Barnahorna and M. A. Lydon's Roads and the appointment as Gangers of Thomas Mulrol and John Burke.

Letter

Letter from Mr. M. Walsh Paymaster dated 30th June 1898. Stating that he is obliged to hire a special car on two days of the week for the purpose of distributing powder to the Gangers of the several Works; and requesting the Guardians would hire a car for him. Ordered: - That the Paymaster be allowed 15/- a week for the three weeks ending 2nd July.

Letter from the Clerk of the Union requesting the Guardians would take into consideration the extra duties imposed on him in connection with the Relief Works in the Union since the 18th April last, and for which he trusted they would allow him a fair remuneration. Ordered: - That the Clerk's application for remuneration be considered on this day fortnight. Notice to be given to each Guardian.

Letter from Mr. J. Perry County Surveyor stating in reply to inquiry of the Guardians as to the reason in the rise in price of wheelbarrows supplied to the Relief Works; that the Salt Hill Industrial School tendered for and supplied barrows at 11/- each but that

tho. p.

those barrows displayed very poor workman-
ship; that the school was unable to supply
a large number within reasonable time;
that under the circumstances he was obliged
to have the barrows made by Messrs J.
McDonagh, whose tender was the lowest
12/6 each.

The clerk submitted summaries of payments
made to labourers, fencers &c employed on the
Relief Works in operation in the Union am-
ounting to £86:1:5 and £88:3:8 for weeks
ended 18th and 25th June respectively:-
viz:-

Baham Road.	£7 14:10.	7: 16: 11
Barnahona Road.	11: 12: 6.	15: 11: 6
Glanmask Road	8: 5: 11.	8: 14: 6.
Glanvacl Road.	15: 1: 0.	16: 14: 8
Kilbride Road	7: 0: 9.	7: 3: 11
Old A Lydonis Road	13: 7: 0	13: 14: 4
Shamallpard Road.	18: 17: 0.	15: 17: 10
	£81: 18: 5.	85: 13: 8
McNab's Paymaster.	2: 10: 0.	2: 10: 0
Carriage of tools.	1: 10: 0	
Books	3: 0.	
	£86: 1: 5	£88: 3: 8

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY,
the 17th day of June 1898

Signed, *John Nabli*
Clerk of the Union.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting
held on THURSDAY, the 20th day of June 1898

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair, *Alexander Martyn SP*
Other Guardians:—
M. O'Brien, J. M. Cunningham, J. Severan
St. Deereck, Thomas Conroy.

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 *Ballinrobe* c/p²
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of the 9th inst^{ant}
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 etc, as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment hereof (or such other directions as may be given):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District	Cong Dispensary District	Hollymount Dispensary District
120	John Sturanton - 10. Porter	1 10 0		
121	C. Smith Porter	1 10 0		
122	Edward M. Lewis Medical Officer	25 0 0		
123	A. L. Blake D. D.	25 0 0		
124	J. A. H. ... D. D.			25 0 0
125	M. ... Porter			1 10 0
126	B. ... D.		1 10 0	
127	C. ... D.		1 10 0	
128	M. ... Medical Officer		13 15 0	
141	C. M. Lewis attending City ... D. D.	1 1 0		

This is the end of the year and year, in pursuance of Article 11 and 12 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 2nd November 1885.

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ending ... 1890 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 said Account incurred in each Dispensary District for the half-year ended ... 1890

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 vacancy in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Post-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 necessary Notification to the Guardians 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 B and C.) in pursuance of Article 4 of the 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 were thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ was issued

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 189

No _____ stating that

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 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:—

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 27th day of June 1898

PRESENT—In the Chair, *Alexander Martyn JP*

Other Guardians:

J. W. Cunningham *W. O'Brien,*

M. Feerick. *J. Nevevan* *J. Courroy*

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 Officers' Report Book.

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

No. of Cheques	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
			£	s.	d.
122	Ballinrobe	E. M. Guise M. Off. of Health. Sal ^y	6	5	0
123	D ^o	A. L. Blake D ^o D ^o D ^o	6	5	0
124	Hollymount	J. A. Hanrahan D ^o D ^o D ^o	6	5	0
128	Cong	M. Semple D ^o D ^o D ^o	6	5	0
129	Union	R. B. Mahon Com ^r S. Officer	8	6	8
130	D ^o	M. J. Jully Sal ^y as Senty. S. Off ^r	1	6	3
131	D ^o	John Lerry D ^o D ^o	2	3	9
132	D ^o	J. Henahan D ^o D ^o	-	18	9
134	D ^o	P. Grady D ^o D ^o	3	15	0
135	D ^o	J. Walsh. Ex. D ^o	5	0	0
146	Ballinrobe	M. J. Jully. S.S.O. to recoup him Exps. incurred in disinfecting fever houses in Caha ^{ry} and Curragh	1	5	6

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

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

Ordered:— That payments be made for clothing of patients admitted to Fever Hospital, which the Medical Officer recommends to be destroyed by fire as follows:—

John Burke of Cahiv. £3-
Pat Burke of Cahiv 2:19:8

Ordered:— That the Tender of John Flannery of Curragh for the cleansing and repairing of the Drain in the Village of Curragh, referred to in Consulting Sanitary Officer's Report on the 9th instant for the sum of £6. be accepted.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the 7th day of July 1898

(Signed),

John Mahon

Executive Sanitary Officer.

BALLINROBE UNION.

Seed Supply
LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

46 & 47 Vic. cap. 60, and 48 & 49 Vic. cap. 75

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 30th day of June 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Alexander Hartyn J.P.

Other Members:

J. W. Cunningham. J. Heveran

Michael Fenwick. W. O'Brien J. Conroy

Letter from the Local Government Board dated 22nd June 1898 No 1141 M: 1898 Stating that they have received a communication from Mr G.P. Strawson from which it appears that he is unable to carry out the order to supply the Guardians with 50 Strawson's Spraying Machines for this year's spraying; that having regard to the great urgency which exists in the matter the Board have instructed Messrs Clarke & Co. Contractors to supply forthwith the required number of the "Eclair" machines.

Letter from same dated 29th June 1895
No.

No 26559. expressing their sanction to the remuneration proposed to be paid to the union officers for their services in connection with the supply of Seed to the union referred to in Minutes of the 9th instant.

Ordered:- That the Board Consider 17. Spraying Machines, of the Eclair pattern. sufficient for this Union. as the price is high and landholders can get them for less money from local Merchants.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of July 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	579	1140														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds	65	4														
TOTAL		644														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			13	12	39	31	7	8	23	7	7	147	In Workhouse Hospital	In separate Wards		
Admitted during the Week,			10	1	1	1						13	In Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates,	14	14
TOTAL,			23	13	40	32	7	8	23	7	7	160	Total,	Total,	48	74
Discharged during the Week,			8	1	4	1		1				15	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Died,			1									1	Males	Females	Children under 13	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			9	1	4	1		1				16	No. Relieved during Week			4
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			14	12	36	31	7	7	23	7	7	144	No. in Workhouse at date			1
																No. at corresponding period last year, 1115

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of July 1898, 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.	63	75	21	37	84	112	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	44	63	30	44	74	107	No. X.						
No. III.	12	13	13	35	25	48	No. XI.						
No. IV.	42	61	16	46	58	107	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	161	212	80	162	241	374	TOTAL,						

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

the 7th day of July 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair,

John P. Egan.

Other Guardians:—

J. Heveran. Thomas Conroy

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 7th day of July 1898

(Signed), John Walsh

Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1987 to No. 1994; 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 clerk reported, having lodged with the Treasurer of the Union sums (£45.1.2 and £63.19.1) amounting to £112.0.3. the Government portion of payments made under relief of Distress operations in the Union for weeks ended 11th and 18th June last. (to Credit Relief Works &c)

The Treasurer reported having placed to Credit of the Union account a sum of Four Pounds 10s 10d Interest allowed on Credit Balances for the half year ended 30th June 1898.

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

£150.2.1

£294.16.7

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of against the Guardians was

£703.1.6

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe	49	11	4				89	18	10			
	Borriscarra	3	11	9				4	7	9			
	Coonard	3	12	6				10	9	1			
	Hollymount	2	10	5				4	6	19	8		
	Kilcommon	1	18	6				12	18	6			
	Newbrook	28	13	6				21	3	8			
	Roslea							14	9	11			
					90	18	-				200	7	5
PATRICK GRADY	Cong	5	13	4				5	14	6			
	Dalga							2	5	-			
	Houndswood	38	3	1				4	3	10	10		
	Kilmaine	2	5	6				2	5	6			
	Neale	4	11	3				5	1	9	-		
	Shrule	4	-	-				3	9	19	11		
						54	13	2				23	7	13
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla							11	3	9			
	Ballyovey							2	1	11			
	Cappaghduff							1	4	10	6		
	Owenbrinn							1	1	2			
	Portroyal							1	2	6	11		
											100	5	8
	TOTAL RATES				145	11	2				538	6	10

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was - - - - - £ 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:—

990 lbs. First Flour Bread	14 lbs. Pepper Tobacco
1110 „ Brown do.	„ Rice
200 „ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	„ Port Wine
Cwt. Oatmeal	2 Quarts Whiskey
„ Indian Meal	12 Bottles Brandy Soda Water
896 Quarts Sweet Milk	24 „ Porter
1 Cwts. Salt	25 Boxes Turf Bacon
48 lbs. Tea	9 lbs. Candles
57 „ Sugar	49 lbs. Soap
120 „ Eggs	3 lbs. Starch
5 lbs. Butter	14 lbs. Washing Soda
	1 lb. Blue

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 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - -	£	s.	d.
In Kind, - - - - -		13	3
		7	6
Total, - - - - -	£	20	10

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
151	No. I. M. J. Buckley	6			Bl. forward				
152	No. II. J. Garry	6			No. X.				
153	No. III. J. Arnehan	6			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.				
	Total	£18			TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

23	Relief Worked up				
	M Walsh Paymaster			£80.	
24	J. McDonagh & Sons for tools (wheelbarrows)	2	10	0	
25	R. Donohue time employed in ordering tools & building	1	19	8	
26	M. Clugherly for tools supplied	1	18	11	
27	Edson Brothers	0	0	0	1
28	R. Holleran	0	0	0	16
29	J. McDonagh & Sons	0	0	0	5
30	M. Clugherly & Sons	0	0	0	1

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 - - - - -

Do. 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 - - - - -

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Secy	Election, Law, &c. Account	Surp	Acqn
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
154	<i>ni repair</i> J. Hession Keeping clocks				126				
155	R. D. Donnell Sweeping Chimneys				110				
156	J. O'Hara (late Swastor) Surp						315		
157	The Clerk of the Court to pay expenses of Election					3166			
158	E. W. Gush Kept Fees							56	
160	R. H. Abraham R.R. Rem				3176				
161	M. J. Gully R.R. D.				35				
162	J. Garry R.R. D.				35				
163	P. Garry R.R. D.				2				

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The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
Number of successful cases:—
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

That the man Connor, referred to in his report of Thursday last, was returned for trial at the coming ^{day} by the Magistrates at Petty Sessions, on Monday last.
That the Cream registered during the week, 10.2 and 10. degrees

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 5th July 1898
No. 29582

Stating that they had given directions for the payment of £66:0:10. to the Treasurer of the Union in respect of £88:5:8. amount of payments made to labourers employed on the Relief Works in the Union for week ended 25th ultimo; that no recoupment had been made in respect of (4/7) wages paid to other gavat. elladon employed on the Shanally and Road; and that with regard to substitutes employed for persons who had gone to harvest work to England or Scotland no recoupment will be made of wages paid to such substitutes as such persons should by the Returning Officer be relieved

relieved provisionally

letter from same dated 5th July 1898 at 10. 1911. Authorising the Paymaster General to pay to the Treasurer of the Union the sum of £66:0:10. as the proportion of the actual expenses incurred by the Guardians in respect of Relief of Distress Operations in the Union for week ended 25th ultimo.

letter from same dated 6th July 1898 at 10. 29.939. expressing their approval of the appointment of Thomas McKing to act as ganger on the Bahaun Relief Works at a remuneration of ten shillings a week in room of Patrick McGung who had resigned that with regard to the proposal to appoint two additional Gangers in the Works in Ballinchalla and Cumbrin Electoral Divisions they cannot consent to the appointment of any additional officers in connection with their Management.

The Clerk submitted a summary of payments made to labourers &c employed on the several Relief Works in operation

in the Union for week ended 2nd
July 1898. as under:-

Barnahowra Road	£ 13:0:1
Bohann Road	6:4:2
Glensaul Road	13:8:8
Kilbride Road	6:18:2
Glennash Road	7:11:2
Abd. Lyons Road	11:10:0
Shawallywood Road	11:19:7
	<u>70:11:11</u>
M. Walsh Paymaster	2:10:0
	<u>£ 72:1:11</u>

Relieving Officer, Shanahan submitted a list of names of 65 persons who are employed on the Relief Works in progress in the Union and directions were given that the 65 persons named be taken off the Works on the 9th instant.

List of names of persons herewith

Ordered:- That the services of Mr John Shanahan assistant Relieving Officer be dispensed with from Saturday 9th instant as he will not be required

Ordered

Ordered:- That the supply of bed rugs or quilts as recommended in the Inspector's Report of the 14th May last be included in the yearly contract for clothing.

That the disused woodsmen's beds be fitted up in the dormitories for the children.

That the boundary walls be repaired as recommended.

That the appointment of paid attendants for the Infirmary be adjourned for a larger Board and that a Committee be appointed to take stock of clothing &c. at an early date.

Letter from the Matron of the Workhouse dated 7th July 1898 requesting leave of absence for two days and stating that the Schoolmistress would discharge her duties gratuitously

Ordered:- Allowed.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 14th day of July 1898

Signed, John Walsh
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 7th day of July 1898
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair, John P Egan

Other Guardians:—

John Neeson Thomas Courroy

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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District	Cong Dispensary District	Hollymount Dispensary District
158	E. McGuire new off. vac ⁿ Fees	2 12 -		
159	M. G. Kelly port. card vac ⁿ notices.	1 10 -	10 -	10 -

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 189

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 vacancy 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, 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, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):—

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 189

No _____ stating that

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 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:—

Letter from Mr. G. F. Tushy Solicitor dated 2nd July 1895 enclosing a return showing results of cases summoned before the Magistrates for not having their children vaccinated.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 14th day of July 1898

(Signed) John Walsh
Clerk of the Union.

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on

THURSDAY, the 7th day of July 1898

PRESENT—*In the Chair,* John P. Egan

Other Guardians:

John Severin, Thomas Conroy.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
<u>Ballinrobe</u>	<u>D. O'Connell</u>		<u>Recommending that a cesspool at the home of Thomas Ganagher of Corngowla be filled up with stones and clay</u>
<u>D^o</u>	<u>D^o D^o</u>		<u>Recommending against the abatement of the cesspool at the house of the late James O'Connell because so often reported by him</u>

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

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

No. of Cheques	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
			£	s.	d.
1654	Bullwrooke	J. Burke. Comp ⁿ for clothing & shoes	3	-	-
165	do	P. Burke. do do	2	19	8

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

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

Read report from Dr. E. McGuire Medical Officer of Health of which is a copy.

As Medical Officer of Health of the Bullwrooke Dispensary District I hereby report to you that fever exists, in the house of Partland of Lunnagh; in the house of Dydon of Clegher and I have been credibly informed that Mrs Connor of Cloonmagh died of Typhus and I recommend that these houses be thoroughly disinfected by sulphur when the inmates are convalescent.— and I repeat my former recommendation of supplying these villages with pure water.

E. McGuire.

6th July 1898

Ordered:— That the recommendation of the Medical Officer with regard to disinfection be carried out

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the 14th day of July 1898

(Signed), John Walsh
Executive Sanitary Officer.

BALLINROBE UNION.

Seed Supply 1898

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 7th day of July 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair, John P Egan

Other Members:

J. Heverin Thomas Courroy

Letter from the Chief Inspector Seed Supply Department Dated 4th July 1898 Stating that the Agricultural Department of the Irish Land Commission had agreed to take 33 Surplus Eclair Spraying Machines off the Guardians' hands

Letter from the ^{Secretary} Agricultural Department Irish Land Commission dated 6th July 1898 of which the following is a copy

Sir.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your telegram of this date. Stating that you can supply 33 Eclair Spraying Machines. The Machines are required for the Congested Districts Board. Mr. Pringle informed me that you were anxious to dispose of.

of these machines. and would sell them at 28/- each. He also stated they were fitted with single nozzles. I am to request that you will forward the machines at once as follows:—

Ten to Mr. C. K. O'Kelly, Clerk of works.
Clare Island.

Six to Mr. John Kelly, P. Brendans House
Ballygar.

Seven to Mr. P. V. Doran, Clerk of Works
Larna.

per Rail to recess
Ten to Mr. John McCloskey, Clerk of
Works.
Mount Partry

who would call for them.

I am to state that your offer of thirty three machines (Eclair) is accepted on the understanding that the machines are in all respects ^{complete} and in good order. It is requested that the machines to be forwarded by rail may be sent off at once as they are urgently required.

The clerk informed the Board that ~~he~~ he had forwarded by rail on yesterday 23. Spraying Machines to the addresses given in the foregoing letter: that the ten machines ordered for Mr. John McCloskey, Clerk of
Works.

Work's Mount Partry have not yet been called for.

Mr (the clerk) submitted a telegram received while the Board was sitting from the Longford District Board. Stating that they ^{were} ~~are~~ prepared to take seven more Eclair Spraying Machines of available making in all 40.

Ordered that the clerk dispose of the Spraying ^{Machines} and keep ten for applicants in the Union.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of July 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse	579	142																
Temporary Buildings																		
Additional Workhouse	65	-																
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds																		
TOTAL	644	142																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			14	12	36	31	7	7	23	7	7	114		In Work-house Hospital 45	In separate Wards -			
Admitted during the Week,			12	8	3	3	1	1	2	1	3	34		In Fever Hospital -	In Wards with other inmates, 4			
TOTAL			26	20	39	34	8	8	25	8	10	148		Total, 45	Total, 4			
Discharged during the Week,			15	7	1	2			2	3	2	4	36	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died,														Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead			15	7	1	2			2	3	2	4	36	No. Relieved during Week	11	5	2	18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			11	13	28	32	9	6	22	6	6	115		No. in Work-house at date	3			3
														No. at corresponding period last year, 150.				

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of July 1898, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Viet. 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 Viet. 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.	63	75	21	35	84	110	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	44	63	30	44	74	107	No. X.						
No. III.	25	51	15	18	40	69	No. XI.						
No. IV.	42	61	16	46	58	107	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	174	250	82	142	256	398	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 14th day of July 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Patrick O'Boyle

Other Guardians:—

James Jennings

Thomas Conway

John H. Cunningham

John Jennings

Thomas Conway

Dr. Edgewood Flinn L. B. Board Inspector was present and was also present on the 7th instant

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Patrick O'Boyle

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 14th day of July 1898

(Signed) John Nash

Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2000 to No. 2031, 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:—

L66:0:10
 The Clerk reported having lodged with the Treasurer of the Union to Credit of Relief Works ac. the sum of £66:0:10: the Government proportion of payments made for week ended 25th instants.

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

Baid during the Week *£ 85:14:2*

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of against the Guardians was *£617:7:14*

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe													
	Borriscarra													
	Coonard													
	Hollymount													
	Kilcommon													
	Newbrook													
	Rosslea													
PATRICK GRADY	Cong													
	Dalgan													
	Houndswood													
	Kilmaine													
	Neale													
	Shrule													
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla													
	Ballyovey													
	Cappaghduff													
	Owenbrinn													
	Portroyal													
	TOTAL RATES													

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, - - - - - £ 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:—

- | | |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------|
| 900. lbs. First Flour Bread | 2 lbs. Pepper |
| 130. „ Brown do. | „ Rice |
| 180. „ Meat | Bottles Marsala Wine |
| Stones Potatoes | „ Port Wine |
| 6 Cwt. Oatmeal | 2 Quarts Whiskey |
| „ Indian Meal | 74 Bottles Brandy Soda Water |
| 850 Quarts Sweet Milk | 30. „ Porter |
| Cwts. Salt | Boxes Turf |
| 1 1/2 lbs. Tobacco. | 9 lbs. Candles |
| 50 „ Sugar | 49 lbs. Soap |
| 80. Eggs | 3 lbs. Starch |
| 5 lbs. Butter | 14 lbs. Washing Soda |
| | 1 lb. Blue |

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 9th day of July 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - -	£ 13. 12. 6
In Kind, - - - - -	6. 18. 6
Total, - - - - -	£ 20. 11. -

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
166	No. I. M. J. Pully B.				Bt. forward				
167	No. II. J. Barry B.				No. X.				
	No. III.				No. XI.				
168	No. IV. P. Gandy 8				No. XII.				
	No. V.				No. XIII.				
	No. VI.				No. XIV.				
	No. VII.				No. XV.				
	No. VIII.				No. XVI.				
	No. IX.				No. XVII.				
	Total	£ 20			TOTAL				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

Relief worth up
 31 M. Mahon Paymaster £170.

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 - - - - -

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c., Account	Cattle Diseases	
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
169	J. Shanahan Esq. R. O. Salary from 24th June to 9th July inclusive				112 5				
172	J. McCarthy Sergt. R. J. C. Cappaghduff for burial of 11 dogs suspected of Rabies							126	

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
Number of successful cases:—
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

No report from the master today

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 7th July 1898
No. 94-III. 1899

forwarding therewith a copy of a General Order made by them on the 1st instant prescribing the forms in which rates shall be made in the several unions in Ireland.

Letter from same dated 11th July 1898 No. 30669: 1898 notifying to the Guardians that no recoupment would be made in respect of any expenditure on the labour tests incurred after the 23rd instant from which date the authority given to the Guardians to afford out door

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relief in money on condition of the performance of a task of work is withdrawn.

Letter from same dated 12th July 1898 No. 31049: 1898. Stating that they had given directions for the payment of a sum of £53: 19: 7 to the Treasurer of the union in respect of £49: 1: 11 payments made to labourers &c. employed on the relief works in operation in the union for week ended the 2nd instant: that no recoupment has been made in respect of £1: 2: 6 for the reasons set forth in accompanying table.

Letter from same dated 12th July 1898 No. 208. Authorising the Paymaster General to pay to the Treasurer of the union the sum of £53: 19: 7 as the proportion of the actual expenses incurred by the Guardians in respect of Relief of Distress operations in the union.

Letter from Mr. James Perry County Surveyor Galway, dated 17th July 1898, enclosing a copy of a circular which he addressed to the Supervisor of the Relief Works, recommending the removal of all tools to the Workhouse Ballinrobe, and there to be archived on cessation of the relief works.
Ordered: that the Paymaster be directed

ed. to. have the tools carted into town and have same auctioned

Ordered: - That the Relief Works Bohann and Glanmask Roads - be closed after Saturday the 16th inst - ant.

Ordered: - That the 41 names submitted by Relieving Officer Kenahan be struck off the Relief Works in the Union after the 16th instant (List of names herewith)

The clerk submitted a Summary of payments made to labourers &c. employed on the several Relief Works in operation in the Union for week ended 9th instant, amounting to £87:1:6 and for tools supplied — £16:1:6 as under: -

Bamahona Road	£14:14:4
Bohann Road	7:13:6
Glanmask Road	9:4:3
Glancaul Road	16:8:2
Kilbtide Road	8:4:2
St. A. Depdons Road	14:0:8
Shanallyard Road	14:0:5
	<u>£84:11:6</u>

M Walsh Paymaster

£84:11:6

2:10:0

87:1:6

J. McDonagh & Sons Salway £8:7:3

M Clogherly " 1:18:11

M Clogherly & Sons " 1:11:10

Rydon Brothers " 1:7:10

J. Halloran " 16:0

J. K. O'Donohue. offic. dep. " 1:19:8

16:1:6

£103:3:0

Letter from the Very Rev. Dean Ronayne of which the following is a copy.
Ballinrobe, July 14th 1898.

Dear Sir,

I beg to say that a Glass Book, a set of Vestments, altar linens, and other small articles are much required for the Workhouse Chapel. I trust you will give an order to have them supplied

Yours faithfully
J. Ronayne, Chaplain

The Chairman

Ballinrobe Union

Ordered: - To be supplied.

Pursuant to notice to each member of the Board as directed in Minutes of the 30th ultimo.
M. James Jennings Proposed.

and

and Mr. Thomas Gurvey Seconded and it was Resolved: - That the Clerk of the Union be allowed £20. Remuneration for his services in connection with the Relief Works in operation in the Union

Notice of Motion

I hereby give notice that I will on this day fortnight move that the resolution adopted this day by this Board allowing the Clerk extra remuneration for his services in connection with the Relief Works in this Union be rescinded with a view to reduce same.

Thomas Conroy.

Proposed by Mr. Thomas Conroy and Resolved: - That this Board (respectively) urge on the Government the advisability of inserting in the County Councils the great necessity that exists for paying the expenses both of County and Rural Councillors as it would tend to the proper and prompt forward Management of the transactions connected with their office. That a copy be sent to the Chief Secretary and Members of this County.

(See also Minutes of the Board of 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 _____ 189

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 _____ 189

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,*

Other Guardians:—

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers 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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District	Cong Dispensary District	Hollymount Dispensary District

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 189

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 vacancy in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Lease-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, 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, or the Nuisance, Leomanal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):—

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 189

No _____ stating that

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 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:—

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT—*In the Chair,*

Other Guardians :

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 Officers' Report Book.

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

No. of Cheques	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
			£	s.	d.
170	Hollymount	Thos. Malloy Contractor balance due for supplying and erecting pump at Hollymount	20	-	-
171	Do.	H. J. Allerton, Contractor instalment on account of Hollymount Sewerage	70	-	-
173	Ballinroche	John Burke Compt ⁿ for clothes of his children inmates of the Fever Hospital destroyed	3	10	-
174	Do.	Mary Wallatt Compt ⁿ for do. do.	2	11	-

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

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

Letter from the Local Government Board dated 13th July 1898 No 29939: 1898 request-
ing that they may be informed what
order was made by the Sanitary Au-
thority on the report of Dr. Mahon, Med-
ical Officer of the Workhouse recommend-
ing the destruction of certain infected arti-
cles of clothing and bedding, and adding
that they would strongly advise the
Guardians to take the necessary steps
without delay to procure a disinfecting
Apparatus for the Workhouse.
Ordered: Adjourned for attendance of Dr.
Mahon at next meeting.

Letter from same dated 13th July 1898. No
31291: 1898 referring to an entry of a report
from Dr. McGinn Medical Officer of Health
in the Guardians' Minutes of the 7th
instant respecting the recent outbreak
of Fever in his District and requesting
that the the Guardians will be good
enough to obtain a further report from
the Medical Officer of Health giving
particulars as to the nature of the
Fever in the cases which occurred in
villages of Loughagh and Clogher and
state his opinion as to the probable
source of infection in each case. He should
also state whether the patients were re-
moved

moved to Hospital and whether the clothing and bedding used by the patients have been thoroughly disinfectid or destroyed.

The Local Government Board also request to be informed what order was made by the Sanitary Authority on the recommendation of the Medical Officer of Health that the water supply of the Villages referred to should be improved.

Ordered:- Referred to the Medical Officer who will be pleased to make a report on it.

Ordered:- That as compensation for the destruction of the clothing of fever patients is very high the Guardians are of opinion that a proper disinfecting chamber should be procured for the purpose and direct that Tenders be invited for same.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the _____ day of _____ 189

(Signed), _____

Executive Sanitary Officer.

BALLINROBE UNION.

Seed Seed Supply 1898

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 17th day of July 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Patrick Boyle.

Other Members:

J. W. Cunningham James Innings

Thomas Garry John Innings

Thomas Conroy.

Letter from the Local Government Board dated 9th July 1898 of P. 25728:1898. Return ing therewith the application of the Board of Guardians for a loan in respect of the Spraying Machines provided by the Guardians for the use of small farmers in the Union and pointing out that as the Guardians were supplied with "Eclair" Machines instead of Strawmeters originally applied for an amended application would be necessary.

The clerk informed the Guardians that the 50 "Eclair" Spraying Machines received were now disposed of ~~to~~ 40 to the Congested

Congested District Board. 9 to the
occupies of holdings in the
town, and one to the Master of
the Workhouse.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of July 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	579	1172														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse	65	-														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds																
TOTAL,	644	1172														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			11	13	38	32	8	6	22	0	6	142	In Workhouse Hospital	In separate Wards		
Admitted during the Week,			6	3	1	2	1	1	1		2	17	In Hospital	In Wards with other inmates,		
TOTAL,			17	16	39	34	9	7	23	6	8	159	Total, 50	Total, 24		
Discharged during the Week,			7	3	2	1	3	1				17				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead			7	3	2	1	3	1				17	No. Relieved during Week			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			10	16	36	32	8	4	22	6	8	142	No. in Workhouse at date			No. at corresponding period last year, 1314

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of July 1898, 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.	63	75	19	33	82	108	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	44	63	31	45	75	108	No. X.						
No. III.	13	17	25	51	38	68	No. XI.						
No. IV.	42	51	12	32	54	83	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	162	206	87	161	249	367	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 21st day of July 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Frankhope Kenny, JP.

Other Guardians:—

J. W. Cunningham J. Heveran

Frankhope Kenny
Chairman

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 29th day of July 1898

(Signed), *John Walsh*

Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2035 to No. 2000 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 Treasurer of the Union reported having received from the Paymaster General the sum of Eight Pounds 15/- Sterling being one half the amount paid by the Guardians during the Quarter ended 25th March 1898 under the provisions of the Public Health Act 1894.

£8:15:0

The Clerk reported having lodged with the Treasurer of the Union to Credit Relief Works a/c the sum of £53:19:7. The Government proportion of payments made for week ended 2nd instant

£53:19:7

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 £136:4:1

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of against the Guardians was £172:2:1

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £581:9:4

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe	18	9	5				71	9	5				
	Borriscarra	1	15	1				2	12	8				
	Coonard							10	9	1				
	Hollymount							46	19	8				
	Kilcommon							12	18	6				
	Newbrook	6	1	9				15	1	11				
	Rosslea	9	5	2				5	4	9				
					35	11	5				164	16	-	
PATRICK GRADY	Cong	25	5	-				26	19	6				
	Dalgan							25	5	-				
	Houndswood	19	5	6				24	5	4				
	Kilmaine	5	10	10				19	13	8				
	Neale	12	12	6				38	16	6				
	Shrule	7	12	6				32	6	5				
						70	74					167	6	5
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla							11	3	9				
	Ballyovey	6	17	2				14	6	8				
	Cappaghduff							14	10	6				
	Owenbrinn	4	11	8				6	9	6				
	Portroyal	10	1	5				32	4	11				
							21	10	4			78	15	4
	TOTAL RATES				127	9	1				410	17	9	

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ s. d. 22:12:8

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ s. d. 22:10:8

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account. And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ s. d. 2:9:4

Average Cost in Infirmary, £ s. d. 3:10

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, £ s. d. -:-

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:—

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|-----------------------------|--------------|----------------------|
| 900. lbs. First Flour Bread | 1 lb. Pepper | Com flour |
| 120 ,, Brown do. | 1 Box Rice | Coffee |
| 170 ,, Meat | 7 Bunches | Marsala Wine |
| 22 Hops Potatoes | 36 ,, | Port Wine Soda Water |
| Cwt. Oatmeal | 2 1/2 Quarts | Whiskey |
| ,, Indian Meal | 41 Bottles | Brandy |
| 8 1/2 Quarts Sweet Milk | 18 ,, | Porter |
| Cwts. Salt | 17:3:1 Boxes | Turf |
| 1 1/4 lbs. Tobacco | 7 lbs. | Candles |
| 50 ,, Sugar | 49 lbs. | Soap |
| 80 Eggs | 3 lbs. | Starch |
| 5 lbs. Butter | 14 lbs. | Washing Soda |
| | 1 lb. | Blue |

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1. The several Clothing Accounts.
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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 16th day of July 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, £ s. d. 12:16:6
 In Kind, £ s. d. 6:3:-
 Total, £ s. d. 18:19:6

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

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

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176	No. II.	J. Garry	6			No. X.					
177	No. III.	T. Branch	6			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.					
	Total					TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

Relief Works etc.
 32 M. Nash Paymaster £65-
 33 James Perry Co Surveyor to receive
 nine small payments made. 1:9:0

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 - - -

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c., Account	Reg'n Exp's etc		
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
178	A. J. Allebon fuel & oil	17 11 5								
179	E. Donnellon bread meal	29 15 2								
180	D. Higgins bread meal	19 2 9								
181	May milk	13 - 6								
182	A. McBride Coal	11 11 -								
183	J. Donnellon Sugar	6 7 2								
184	J. Hanchan butter	3 6 1								
185	M ^{rs} Cumane clothes for porter & table cloths for house	12 -			14 - -					
186	M. Guncannon Master to recoup him fare & subsistence of nurse & children				15 6					
187	Kate Egan wages as acting Wardrooman				2 16 -					
188	Bridget Lydon for Onions supplied	12 3								
189	M ^{rs} Marnon Carpenter for repairs				13 -					
190	J. Marnon labourer Marnon Meadow				18 -					
191	M. Sample dtd off Reg'n Fees							259		

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
 Number of successful cases:—
 The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

That he and the Schoolmaster had attended the Castlebar Assizes in the case of the Guardians v. Michael Connor, who was sentenced to six weeks imprisonment. That he requisitioned Dr. McGuire to discharge the duties of Medical Officer of the Workhouse during the absence of Dr. Mahon who had with Infirmary Nurse Burke to attend at the Galway Assizes yesterday. That the School children were as usual given their customary treat on yesterday by Mrs. Hubert Knox. Miss Knox of Cranmore and Mr. R. Heame as usual catering for their comforts.

Ordered

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

Ordered:— That this Board tender their best thanks to Mr. Hubert Knox for her great kindness in providing a drive out and refreshments for the children of the Workhouse and also to Miss Knox of Cranmore and Mr. R. Heasne of Hill-ashine for their kindness in accompanying the children

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 19th July 1898
No. 32415.

Stating that they had given directions for the payment of a sum of £64:14:2 to the Treasurer of the Union in respect of £87:1:6 payments made to labourers &c. employed on the Relief works in the Union for week ended the 9th instant; that this sum included the Government proportion of the wages paid to Margaret Madden for the four weeks ended on the 2nd instant in respect of which recoupment had been deferred; that no recoupment had been made in respect of

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a sum of £1:13:10 for the reasons set forth in the accompanying table and that the claim for recoupment in respect of the cost of tools will be considered ^{when} the works are closed.

Letter from same dated 19th July 1898 No. 239. Authorising the Paymaster General to pay the Treasurer of the Union the sum of £64:14:2 as the proportion of the actual expenses incurred by the Guardians in respect of Relief of District operations in the Union for week ended the 9th instant.

Letter from Mr. E.K. Dixon County Surveyor Castlebar dated 16th July requesting payment of sums amounting to £6:18:0 as under:—

Cost of time books for gaugers	
Stationery postage	= 12:0
Professional loss of time Corres.	
pondering giving directions order	
ing tools checking tool lists &c.	
Collected time: 3 days	6:6:0
	<u>£ 6:18:0</u>

Ordered:— That the Local Government Board be requested to sanction the above Letter

Letter from several of the inhabitants of the Ballyowry Electoral Division of which the following is a copy.

To the Board of Guardians
Ballinrobe Union.

Gentlemen,

Having heard that the works on the Shanvallyard Road will be stopped next Saturday we the undersigned hereby give notice that unless the fences are made up around our tillage land we shall sue the Guardians for any damage that may happen to our crops. We gave our land freely for this new road and allowed our old fences to be removed on condition that new fences would be put up. but this cannot now be done within the time mentioned. A large ^{portion} of the crops is left without any protection whatever and the fence in the fence in the other parts is only about two feet high. We shall most certainly claim compensation unless our crops are protected by proper fences -

Michael ^{their} & Kerrigan
James & Staunton
Martin & Staunton
Patrick & Durkan

Thady Giffons. James Henchan ^{marks} Henry Bourke Bridget Kemigan
Latter.

Letter from the Paymaster of the Relief Works of which the following is a copy
Tourmakeady 21st July 1898

Gentlemen,

I beg to state that the store on M. A. Lydon's Road was broken open on the night of the 15th instant and the following tools were stolen:-

one wheelbarrow. 1 Crowbar. 1 Sledge hammer
& pickaxe.

I wish to know how I am to act in the matter. Sergeant Woods and the Constabulary of Derry Park are making every effort to find them.

I am

Gentlemen

Your obedient servant
Michael Walsh

Letter from Mr. Patrick McQuig late Gauger Boham Road Relief Works, requesting to be paid for 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ days due to him. (3/9)

Ordered:- The Guardians recommend payment of this amount and request the Local Government Board will refund their proportion and also of the ten shillings (10/-) already paid

Letter from the Schoolmaster requesting leave

leave of absence for a fortnight and
stating that the master would dis-
charge his duties.

Ordered: - Granted.

The clerk submitted a Summary of
payments made to labourers &c emp-
loyed on the relief works in operation
in the Union for week ended 16th ins-
tant amounting to £73:11:1 as
under: -

Bohann Road	£4:10:10
Barnahona Road	12: 5: 8
Glanmask Road	7: 18: 8
Gleasaun Road	14: 13: 3
Kilbride Road	6: 10: 11
M. A. Oydow's Road	12: 8: 0
Shanvallyard Road	12: 13: 9
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	71: 1: 1
M Walsh Paymaster Volant	2: 10: 0
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	<u>£73: 11: 1</u>

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY,
the 28th day of July 1898

Signed, John H. H. H. H.
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 _____ 189

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,*

Other Guardians:—

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the _____ Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a Resolution 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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District	Cong Dispensary District	Hollymount Dispensary District
1071	M Sample med offi fac ^l Fees		5 10 -	

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 189

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 vacancy in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Lease-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, 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:—

Orders dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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 The Local Government Board 15th July 1898

No 31290 stating that

requesting that full particulars of the results of the recent Vaccination prosecutions, as furnished by the Guardians' Solicitor may be recorded on the Minutes for the information of the Local Government Board

= Return of Prosecutions

Father's name	Child's name	Townland	Result
John Browne	Bridget	Knocknakeelaw	Fined 7/- + costs
John Bourke	Bridget	Kilkeeran	7/- + costs
Cwm Gallagher	Cwm	Lornawya	7/- + costs
Patrick Gaynor	Margaret	Ballinrobe	7/- + costs
Patrick Kyne	Patrick	Larnowalecka	Domusorol Child already vaccinated
James Keegan	Mary	Ballinrobe	Not mentioned that this was the wrong person
Pat Kyne	Mary	Larnowalecka	Fined 7/- + costs

Letter from same dated 20th July 1898 N^o 19593, requesting that they may be informed whether the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Ballinrobe N^o 1 Dispensary District have since complied with the law.

Ordered:— Referred to the Medical Officer

[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:—

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT—*In the Chair,*

Other Guardians :

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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(Signed) John Walsh
Clerk of the Union.

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

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

No. of Cheques	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
			£	s.	d.
192	Ballinrobe	J. Flannery cleaning Dun at Glencusman	6	-	-
193	Hollymount.	J. Ritchie C ⁹ . Fees inclu- ding Car hire for plans &c Hollymount Sewerage works and Pump	17	11	-

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

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

Read Report from Dr. McGuire of which the following is a copy.

As Medical Officer of Health of the Ballinrobe Dispensary District I hereby report to you that the two lit. the patients suffering from gastric Fever are now convalescent, were not and did not require to be removed to Hospital, having sufficient attendance at home. Their houses have not yet been disinfected with sulphur fumes, but they have been disinfected by a copious supply of fresh air, which is the best disinfectant. I believe that impure water is the cause of the Fever. I as an Authority think it right to tell you that burning the clothes of a patient admitted to Hospital is a wanton waste of property and that the purchase of a disinfecting Machine at £150. is a waste of the funds of the Union, for if the old clothes of a patient admitted to Hospital be exposed on a clothes line in the Hospital grounds during his confinement to bed, they will be thoroughly disinfected by air long before he is in a fit state to wear them.

The disinfecting Machine may disinfect the suit of clothes of a patient but it cannot disinfect his home and furniture, and family and surroundings; nothing but a current of pure air can do this. And as this is the
most

most efficient disinfectant and can be got without expense. I recommend it

E. McGuire

Medical Officer of Health
21st July 1898.

As Medical Officer of Health of the Cong Sanitary District I here by report to you that some fresh cases of ^{typhoid} fever have occurred in the village of Kildun, and as the place is in a fairly sanitary state I fear that the well from which they take their drinking water is polluted, and I recommend that a sample of the water be sent for analysis.

M Sample

Medical Officer of Health
21st July 1898.

Ordered: - That a sample of the water as recommended by M Sample be forwarded to Sir F. A. Cameron for analysis.

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(Signed), John Walsh
Executive Sanitary Officer.

BALLINROBE UNION.
Seed Supply 1898.
LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.
46 & 47 Vic. cap. 60, and 48 & 49 Vic. cap. 75.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 21st day of July 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair, Stanhope Kenny J.P.
Other Members: J. W. Cunningham J. Heveran

The Clerk submitted an amended application for a loan in respect of the 50 Eclair Spraying Machines provided by the Guardians as under:-

Ballinrobe E.D.	15	£21:0:0	Forward	31	—	43:8:0
Ballinchalla	2	2:16:0	Donohood	4	—	5:12:0
Ballyowry	1	1:8:0	Kilmaine	4	—	5:12:0
Barriscarra	1	1:8:0	Kilcommon	3	—	4:4:0
Cappaghduff	2	2:16:0	Keale	1	—	1:8:0
Coong	3	4:14:0	Newbrook	2	—	2:16:0
Coonard	2	2:16:0	Quinnbrin	1	—	1:8:0
Dalgar	3	4:14:0	Portroyal	2	—	2:16:0
Hollymount	2	2:16:0	Shrule	2	—	2:16:0
				31	—	43:8:0
					50	—
						£70:0:0

and directions were given that the application be forwarded the Local Government Board for a loan for the sum of Seventy Pounds (£70) to enable the Guardians to pay the Contractors Messrs. Clark & Co. Windsor Chambers London &c.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,406.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of July 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 9 and under 15 years of age	Children above 2 and under 9 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	579/110															
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse	65-															
Permanent Fever Hospital.																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL,	644-110															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			10	16	36	32	8	4	22	6	8	142				
Admitted during the Week,			8		3							11				
TOTAL,			18	16	39	32	8	4	22	6	8	153				
Discharged during the Week,			8	2		1						2	13			
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead			8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	13			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			10	14	39	31	8	4	22	6	6	140				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of July 1898, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Viet. 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 Viet. 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.	63	75	19	33	82	108	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	44	63	31	45	75	108	No. X.						
No. III.	16	36	25	51	41	87	No. XI.						
No. IV.	42	41	12	42	54	83	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	165	215	87	171	252	386	TOTAL,						

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

the 28th day of July 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair,

John Dooly.

Other Guardians:

James Innings. Martin Glynn
 Thomas Hughes J. Nevevan
 P. O'Boyle. T. Conroy.

John Dooly

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(Signed), John Walsh

Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2057^{to} No. 2061, 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. 7011^{to} No. 7016, 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 reported having lodged with the Treasurer of the Union to credit of Relief works &c. the sum of Sixty four pounds 14/2. The Government proportion of payments made for week ended the 9th instant.

£64:14:2

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

Baid during the Week £ 175:15:4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of against the Guardians was £405:14:-

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe												
	Borrisearra												
	Coonard												
	Hollymount												
	Kilcommon												
	Newbrook												
PATRICK GRADY	Rosslea												
	Cong												
	Dalغان												
	Houndswood												
	Kilmaine												
	Neale												
THOMAS HENAHAN	Shrule												
	Ballinchalla												
	Ballyovey												
	Cappaghduff												
	Owenbrinn												
	Portroyal												
	TOTAL RATES												

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, - £ s. d. 20:12:9

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 23:8:4

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account. And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - : 2:10 1/4

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4:1 1/4

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:—

960 lbs. First Flour Bread	2 lbs. Pepper
136. „ Brown do.	2 „ Rice Cornflour
180. „ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	„ Port Wine
Cwt. Oatmeal	2 1/2 Quarts Whiskey
6 „ Indian Meal	36 Bottles Brandy Soda Water
86 1/4 Quarts Sweet Milk	18 „ Porter
Cwts. Salt	Boxes Turf
1 3/8 lbs. Tobacco.	8 lbs. Candles
56 „ Sugar	49 lbs. Soap
100. Eggs	3 lbs. Starch
5 lbs. Butter	14 lbs. Washing Soda
	1 lb. Blue

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 23rd day of July, 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - -	£ 13:16:6
In Kind, - - - - -	6:10:6
Total, - - - - -	£ 20:7:-

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
194	No. I. M. J. Tully	5.			Bt. forward				
145	No. II. J. Garry	6.			No. X.				
196	No. III. J. Benckau	6.			No. XI.				
197	No. IV. P. Grady	8.			No. XII.				
	No. V.				No. XIII.				
	No. VI.				No. XIV.				
	No. VII.				No. XV.				
	No. VIII.				No. XVI.				
	No. IX.				No. XVII.				
	Total	£ 25			TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

Relief Workhouse
M Walsh Paymaster

£ 12:0:0

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 - - - 7

Ditto disallowed - - - - - 4

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

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - - 87

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 - - - - - 165

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

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c., Account	Seed Supply
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
198	Malak. Clerk of Union 9m th under Seed Supply 1898.							20 - -

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
Number of successful cases:—
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

That the tools used on the various roads of the Relief works in the Union are being conveyed to the Workhouse to be stored there.
That the milk received from the Contractors during the week registered 9.8. and 10. degrees of Cream.

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 22nd July 1898.
No. 33192.

Stating that they authorise the Guardians to continue to employ 40 labourers and such carts as may be necessary in completing the fences on the Shanallyard Road up to and including the 30th instant, but that the employment of these men cannot on any conditions be extended beyond that date.

Letter from same dated 27th July 1898
No 33561 Stating that they have given directions for the payment of a sum

sum of £5.0.0 to the Treasurer of the Union in respect of £73:11:1 payments made to labourers &c employed on the relief works for week ended 16th instant; that no recoupment had been made in respect of payments amounting to £1:16:6 for the reasons set forth in the accompanying table

Letter from same dated 27th July 1898 No 3417. Authorising the Paymaster General to pay to the Treasurer of the Union the sum of £23:16:0 as the proportion of the actual expenses incurred by the Guardians in respect of Relief of Distress operations

Letter from same dated 27th July 1898 No 33565. Stating that they will recoup to the Guardians three fourths of the sum of ten shillings paid to Patrick McElroy former ganger on the Bohannon Relief Works being the amount of his wages for the week ended the 18th ultimo and also three fourths of a sum of 3/9 which the Guardians now propose to pay him in respect of wages still due; that the latter sum may be included in the pay list next forwarded them.

Letter

Letter from [unclear] July 1898
 No 33565. regarding [unclear] accounts.
 giving details of [unclear] for £6:18:0
 made by [unclear] Surveyor.
 for expenses in connection with the
 Relief Works which have been car-
 ried out in the [unclear] obtained
 from him.
 Ordered: - that the [unclear] County Surveyor
 or be requested to give details as
 required.

Letter from same dated 27th July 1898
 No 33565. referring to a report from the
 Paymaster on the Relief Works in Min-
 utes of the 21st instant to the effect
 that a number of the tools were stolen
 on the night of the 15th instant from the
 Store on M. A. Dydons Road and sta-
 ting that the persons in charge of the
 tools should be required to make good
 this loss to the Union.

The clerk submitted a Summary
 of the payments made to labour-
 ers &c employed on the several
 Relief Works in operation in the
 Union for week ended 23rd instant
 amounting to £56:2:8 and receipts for
 small payments amounting to £1:9:0
 made.

made by [unclear] County Surveyor

Bainahonna Road	£11:1:8
Bokann (Small Damage of tools)	16:0
Glenash Road	16:0
Glenasail Road	13:8:2
Kilbride Road	14:9:10
M. A. Dydons Road	19:19:0
Shanna	12:10:6
	53:12:8
M. A. Dydons Road (Small Damage)	2:11:0
	£56:2:8
James Dydons Road	1:9:0

Letter from Dr. C. G. Gause dated 28th July
 1898. requesting payment of £2:2:0 for
 discharging the duties of Medical Officer
 of the Workhouse during the absence
 of Dr. Mahon on the 20th and 21st instant
 at the Gaol.

Letter from The Fever and Infirmary
 Nurses of which the following is a
 Copy: -

The Hospital
 July 30th 1898

Gentlemen,
 We the Nurses of Infirmary
 and Fever Hospital request [unclear]

that you increase our Salaries
from £200 to £300 annually. Consider
my numerous duties we have
to perform we respectfully rely on
your kind Consideration.

We are
Gentlemen
Your obedient Servants
W. D. Burke.
J. D. W. W. W.

Mr. Thomas has declined to move
the Notice of Motion to rescind the
Resolution adopted by the Guardians
at their Meeting of the 14th instant -
allowing the clerk of the Union a
sum of £50 as remuneration for his
services in connection with the Relief
Works in operation in Union."

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 14th day of August 1898

Signed, John Walsh
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 27th day of July 1898
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair, John Duobry

Other Guardians:—

James Jennings, Patrick O'Boyle

Thomas Hughes, Martin Glynn

John McEveran, Thomas Conroy

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the _____ Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a Proquisition 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 Officers 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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District	Cong Dispensary District	Hollymount Dispensary District
199.	E. M. Guise med offr Vac ⁿ Fees	1 8 -		

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 189

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 vacancy 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, 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, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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 Dr. E. McQuire dated 28th July 1898

No. _____ stating that

the defaulters in the Ballinrobe No. 1 Dispensary District—under the Compulsory Vaccination Act. referred to in Minutes of the 28th April last had all complied with the law.

[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. :—

Ballinrobe No. 1
Ballinrobe No. 2.

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

That the usual post card notices be forwarded the parents of the children directing them to comply with the law

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(Signed) John Walsh
Clerk of the Union.

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 28th day of July 1898

PRESENT—In the Chair, John Doolan

Other Guardians:

James Innurigo John Heveran

Patrick O'Keefe Martin Glynn

Thomas Hughes Thomas Lantry

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 Officers' Report Book.

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

No. of Cheques	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 following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, or others, were read, and directions given thereon as follows :—

Letter from the Local Government Board dated 24th July 1898. No 3341.6 referring to Minutes of the 21st instant. Containing an entry of a report from Dr. McGuire Medical Officer of Health. relating to cases of gastric fever which recently occurred in the Kallinrobe Dispensary District in which he states that "impure water is the cause of the fever" and the Board desire to point out that immediate steps should be taken to warn the people against using the water referred to for dietetic purposes.

Ordered:— That the Sanitary sub. officer be directed to warn the inhabitants of Luragh Bloomcorran and Labet against using the water of the wells referred to.

Letter from same dated 27th July 1898. No 33616 Stating that pending the receipt of the Analyst's report. the public should be warned against using the water of the well in the Village of Kildun for dietetic purposes which is according to the report of Dr. Simple Medical Officer of Health of Bong Dis. Dispensary District probably polluted and to which may be traced the recent occurrence of further cases of Typhoid Fever in the Village: that the Board would be glad to be informed whether the patients have

have been removed to Hospital and whether all other necessary precautions have been taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

Ordered:- That the Medical Officer has warned the people against using the water of the well referred to.

The patients have not been removed to Hospital

Read report from Dr. E. McGuire as follows:-

As Medical Officer of Health of the Ballinrobe Dispensary District I hereby report to you that Pat Mahke aged 5 years of Inishquater is suffering from Gastric Fever and that cattle are kept in the house and I recommend that the boy be removed to Hospital and the house cleaned and disinfected.

E. McGuire Med. Off. of Health
23rd July 1898.

Ordered:- That the Sanitary Sub-officer be directed to have the recommendations of the Medical Officer carried out.

(Copy of his report herewith)

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the 4th day of August 1898

(Signed), John Walsh
Executive Sanitary Officer.

BALLINROBE UNION.

Seed Supply Act.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

46 & 47 Vic. cap. 50, and 48 & 49 Vic. cap. 77.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 27th day of July 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair,

John Doolery.

Other Members:

James Innings

John Heveran

Martin Glynn

Patrick O'Boyle.

Thomas Hughes

Thomas Conroy

Letter from the Local Government Board dated 27th July 1898 No. 19822. Requesting that they may be furnished with the lists on Forms F¹ and F² of the persons to whom the Seed was supplied.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of July 1898

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls, above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	579	131												
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse														
Permanent Fever Hospital.	65	-												
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	644	131												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			10	14	39	31	8	4	22	6	6	140		
Admitted during the Week,			11	2	31				1	1	3	22		
TOTAL			21	16	70	32	8	4	23	7	9	162		
Discharged during the Week,			13	4	4		1		2	1	3	28		
Died,														
Total Discharged and Dead			13	4	4		1		2	1	3	28		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			8	12	38	32	7	4	21	6	6	134		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of July 1898, 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.	63	75	20	45	83	120	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	44	63	31	45	75	108	No. X.						
No. III.	12	29	25	51	37	80	No. XI.						
No. IV.	42	57	6	8	48	65	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	161	224	82	149	243	373	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 4th day of August 1898.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

Alexander Martyn J.P.
 J. W. Walsh J.P. J. N. Cunningham.
 Colonel Knox Esq.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 4th day of August 1898

(Signed), John Walsh
 Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2067 to No. 2082 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:—

That he had written to Mr. E. L. Dixon County Surveyor Mayo. to furnish detailed particulars of his claim for £6:18:0 in connection with the Relief Works in operation in the Union.

The Clerk reported having lodged with the Treasurer of the Union to Credit Relief Works &c. the sum of £53:16:0 the Government proportion of payments made week ended 16th July 1898.

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 ~~against~~ the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe	13	5	1				58	4	4			
	Borriscarra		15	-					1	7	8		
	Coonard								10	9	1		
	Hollymount	2	-	10				114	18	10			
	Kilcommon								12	18	6		
	Newbrook	6	19	8					8	2	3		
	Rosslea								5	4	9		
					23	-	7				141	15	5
PATRICK GRADY	Cong	5	6	4				21	13	5			
	Dalgan	22	19	8					2	5	4		
	Houndswood	3	11	-					20	14	4		
	Kilmaine	15	9	5					4	4	3		
	Neale	8	10	6					30	6	0		
	Shrule	24	10	4					7	16	1		
					80	7	5				86	19	2
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinacalla								11	3	9		
	Ballyovey	4	8	8					9	18	-		
	Cappaghduff	4	1	10					10	8	8		
	Owenbrinn								6	9	6		
	Portroyal	24	13	9					7	11	2		
					334	3					45	11	1
					136	12	1				274	5	8
	TOTAL RATES												

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ s. d. 26 17. 11

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ s. d. 27 9. 1

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account. And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ s. d. 2. 10

Average Cost in Infirmary, £ s. d. 3 60

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, £ s. d. :

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:—

- 960. lbs. First Flour Bread
140. „ Brown do.
160. „ Meat
Stones Potatoes
Cwt. Oatmeal
„ Indian Meal
840. Quarts Sweet Milk
Cwts. Salt
44. lbs. Tea
50. „ Sugar
Eggs
lbs. Butter
lbs. Pepper
„ Rice
Bottles Marsala Wine
„ Port Wine
/ Quart Whiskey
Bottles Brandy
12 „ Porter
Boxes Turf
8 lbs. Candles
49. lbs. Soap
2 lbs. Starch
14 lbs. Washing Soda
16. Beer

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 30th day of July, 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, £ s. d. 13 : - : 6
In Kind, £ s. d. 5 : 15 : -
Total, £ 18 : 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 and value respectively:—

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Cheque on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors (Article and quantity, Value), RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Cheque on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors (Article and quantity, Value). Includes entries for Ms. Tully, J. Gerrry, and J. H. Mahan.

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.
Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance In Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c. Account	Sign for P/O			
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
203	E. Somellon. Bread. ^{4c. 24} meal 25										
204	D. Braggis. Milk. ^{4c} meal 1787										
205	M. Moran meat 4818										
206	T. Somellon. sea ^{4c} ve. 637										
207	J. May milk 1126										
208	J. FitzPatrick Soap 3811										
209	J. Meenan. ^{4c} butter 25-										
210	J. May Straw		1192								
211	J. Carhyle. add. Musse wanted (Irish Imme)				110-						
212	J. A. Mansahan Rea. - is fraa Fees							58-			

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
Number of successful cases:—
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 30th August 1898
No. 35723.

Stating that although the time allowed for the collection of the Rates had long since expired the abstracts of Rate collected and lodged to the Credit of the Union to the 16th ultimo show sums of £375 Poor rate and £35 ^{concessions of} Seed rate uncollected; and requesting that the Guardians would take effective steps to compel the collectors to close their collections would further delay.

Ordered:— that the collectors be requested to close their collections on this day fortnight else the Guardians

ians will take proceedings against their sureties.

Letter from the Matron of the Workhouse dated 4th August 1898. requesting two days leave of absence, and stating that the Schoolmistress would discharge her duties gratuitously.
Ordered:— Leave granted.

Letter from the Infirmary Head Nurse dated 4th August 1898 requesting leave of absence for two days, and stating that Miss Krupp, Fever Hospital Nurse would discharge her duties gratuitously.
Ordered:— Leave granted.

Letter from Miss Ellen McGrath Probationer Nurse of which the following is a copy.

The Hospital
4th August 1898

Gentlemen,

I beg to state that I am greatly inconvenienced for want of my clothes which are lying in the Fever Hospital since I was nursing there.

The Medical Officer, Dr Mahon refuses to

to let me have them owing to their
not having been properly disinfected
Hopung Guttman, you will kindly
by consider the loss I am at.

I am

your obedient servant

Ellen McGrath

Probationary Nurse

Ordered:- That means be taken to dis-
infect the clothing by fumigation
and fresh air.

Letter from the Paymaster, of the Re-
lief Works, applying for payment
of £5:5:0. Carriage and distribution
of powder to the several Works
for 7 weeks @ 15/- per week.

Ordered:- To be paid.

The clerk submitted a Summary of
the payments made to labourers re-
employed on the Relief Works in
operation in the union for week en-
ded 30th ultimo amounting to £18:
3:11 as under:-

Shanallyard Road. £14:15:5

Carriage of tools, helpers &c. 18:6

M. W. Paymaster 2:10:0

£ 18:3:11

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY,
the 11th day of Aug 1898

Signed, John W. Nash
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 _____ 189

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,*

Other Guardians :—

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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District	Cong Dispensary District	Hollymount Dispensary District
212	J. H. Haurakam M.D. & Co. Vacc. Fees		7	810 -

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 189

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 vacancy in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Lease-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 B 1 and B 2,) in pursuance of Article 29 of the 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, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):—

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 187

No _____ stating that

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 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:—

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT—*In the Chair,**Other Guardians :**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 Officers' Report Book.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 11th day of August 1898

(Signed)

John Walsh
Clerk of the Union.

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

No. of Cheques	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 following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, or others, were read, and directions given thereon as follows :—

Circular letter from the Local Government Board dated 21st August 1898 N^o. 122. M. 98 requesting that they may be furnished with a return showing the receipts and expenditure of the Board of Guardians as a Burial Board during the year ended 29th September last.

Letter from same dated 3rd August 1898 N^o. 34508. referring to an entry in Minutes of the 28th ultimo. of a report from the Medical Officer of Health of the Ballinacorney Dispensary District relative to a case of gastric fever at Dransiquanter together with a copy of a letter from the Sanitary Sub Officer on the subject and stating that the duty of the Sanitary Sub Officer is to carry out the directions of the Medical Officer of Health in all such cases; and that the Sanitary Authority should take special care that no milk is offered for sale from houses where there are cases of fever.

Letter from Mess^{rs} Maguire and Latchell 10 Dawson Street Dublin enclosing two estimates for the supply
ing.

ing and erecting a Disinfecting Chamber
 lev^{not} ~~one~~ ^{the} Reek's Patent Steam Disinfect-
 ing Chamber at £149:15:0. and Dr.
 Scott's Patent Gas Disinfecting Heat
 Chamber at £138.-

Ordered: - That this Board are of
 opinion a Disinfecting Machine
 is not required at present.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the 14th day of August 1898

(Signed),

John Walsh
 Executive Sanitary Officer.

BALLINROBE UNION.

Seed Supply 1898

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural
 Sanitary Authority, under the above mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on
 THURSDAY, the 14th day of August 1898.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Alexander Martyn JP.

Other Members:

J. W. Wakke JP. J. W. Cunningham

Colonel C. H. Knox DL.

Ordered: - That the Guardians beq.
 to remind the Local Government
 Board of their application for a loan
 of £76. to enable them to pay for
 50 Eclair Spraying Machines pur-
 chased and request that they will
 direct that the amount be trans-
 mitted them.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of August 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	579	1112	8	12	38	35	7	4	21	6	6	131	19	-	
Temporary Buildings															
Additional Workhouse	65														
Permanent Fever Hospital															
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			8	12	38	35	7	4	21	6	6	131	19	-	
Admitted during the Week,			13	2	4	1	3	3	5	2	1	34	-	41	
TOTAL			21	14	42	36	10	7	26	8	7	165	19	41	
Discharged during the Week,			12	3	2	1	1	3	3	1		26			
Died,															
Total Discharged and Dead			12	3	2	1	1	3	3	1		26			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			9	11	40	32	9	4	23	7	7	147			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of August 1898, 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.	58	75	2	13	60	88	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	44	69	28	40	72	109	No. X.						
No. III.	12	14	2	2	14	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	41	61	4	4	45	65	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	158	212	36	59	194	271	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 11th day of August 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair, Alex. Martyn & Co.

Other Guardians:—

James Innis John A. Cunningham

Alex. Martyn

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 11th day of August 1898

(Signed), John Walsh Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 208A to No. 217, 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. 707A to No. 711, 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:—

That he had forwarded to each of the Poor Rate Collectors, a copy of the Order of the Guardians calling on them to close the collection on Thursday the 18th instant.

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

Baid during the Week £ 169: 6: 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of against the Guardians was £ 234: 5: 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe													
	Borriscarra													
	Coonard													
	Hollymount													
	Kilcommon													
	Newbrook													
	Rosslea													
PATRICK GRADY	Cong													
	Dalgan													
	Houndswood													
	Kilmaine													
	Neale													
	Shrule													
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla													
	Ballyovey													
	Cappaghduff													
	Owenbrinn													
	Portroyal													
	TOTAL RATES													

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ s. d. 19:12:1

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ s. d. 22:7:-

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ s. d. 2:9½

Average Cost in Infirmary, £ s. d. 3:8½

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, £ s. d. -:-

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:—

940 lbs. First Flour Bread

126 „ Brown do.

172 „ Meat

Stones Potatoes

6 Cwt. Oatmeal

„ Indian Meal

81½ Quarts Sweet Milk

2 Cwts. Salt

1½ lbs. Tobacco.

50 „ Sugar

Eggs

lbs. Butter

2 lbs. Pepper

20 „ Rice Bacon

Bottles Marsala Wine

„ Port Wine

Quarts Whiskey

Bottles Brandy

18 „ Porter

Boxes Turf

8 lbs. Candles

49 lbs. Soap

3 lbs. Starch

14 lbs. Washing Soda

1 lb. Blue

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 6th day of August 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, £ s. d. 17:7:-

In Kind, £ s. d. 7:13:-

Total, £ s. d. 24:10:-

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	M. J. Jullly 4				Bt. forward				
No. II.	J. Garry 6				No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.	Plrady 8				No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Total					TOTAL,				
Car forward				£ 18.					

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

35 Relief Notice ap J Walsh Clerk of Union 1898 £20.

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

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c., Account				
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
Number of successful cases:—
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

That the milk received from the Contractors averaged 9.5 and 9.7 for the week.
That a Committee consisting of the Chairman and Mr. J. W. Cunningham visited the House 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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 8th August 1898
No. 34506.

expressing their sanction to the proposed payment of a sum of Twenty Pounds to the clerk of the union as remuneration for the extra duties devolving on him in connexion with the Relief Works which have been carried out in the union by the Board of Guardians.

Letter from same dated 9th August 1898 No. 35592. requesting that they may be furnished with full particulars respecting the claim made by the
Pay.

Paymaster on the Relief ^{Works} recently in operation in the union for the carriage and distribution of powder to the several Works together with vouchers for the expenses incurred by him.

Ordered:— That the Paymaster be directed to furnish the particulars required.

Letter from Mr. E. H. Dixon County Surveyor Castlebar of which the following is a copy.

County Surveyor's office
Castlebar 14th August 1898

Dear Sir,

Re. Relief Works

Absence from home prevented me replying to yours of the 29th ultimo. In reply I beg to state that I have already sent details of my claim £6:18:0. which was for collected loss of professional time and small sundries in carrying out the instructions of your Board. This claim is entirely separate from any employment given me by Inspector and is made up of a few hours now and again during the whole progress of the Works. As regards the tools ordered by me on behalf of your Board I am having the bills for same made out and will send them to you as soon

soon as received and checked.
Yours truly
Edmond, C.S.

To
The Clerk of the Union
Ballinacree.

The clerk of the union submitted a list of payments to be made to carriers for carriage of tools from Relief Works, Barnahanna and Shanwallypore Roads - on the 8th instant. Amt. of £2:10/- to Paymaster for salary to the 6th August - total amounting to £3:10:0.

The clerk was directed to forward same to the Local Government Board.

Letter from Miss Ellen McGrath Probationer Nurse, dated 11th August 1898. Stating that she as directed by the Guardians, had got her clothes disinfected, which were spoiled and now unfit to wear. There were six articles of clothing which she valued at £3.

Ordered: - That £2 be allowed per

letter.

Letter from Dr R. B. Mahon Medical Officer of the Workhouse dated 11th August 1898. Applying for leave of absence for a fortnight and stating that he had arranged with Dr McGuire to discharge his duties during his absence.

Ordered: - Granted

Ordered: - That the Guardians request the sanction of the Local Government Board to the payment of £2:2:0 to Dr E McGuire for discharging the duties of Medical Officer of the Workhouse on the 20th and 21st ultimo.

Ordered: - That Mr James Cowan Auctioneer be instructed to sell by Auction the tools &c. used on Relief Works in the Union and to deposit the proceeds in the Workhouse Store.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 18th day of August 189

Signed, John Walsh
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 14th day of August 1898
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair, Alex. Martin JP

Other Guardians:—
James Innings J. W. Cunningham

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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District	Cong Dispensary District	Hollymount Dispensary District
217	M. M. Ryan Repair to Cong Ampt ^y Residence.		9 10 -	
219	D. M. Key Sign Board Ampt ^y	17 6		

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 189

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 vacancy 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, 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, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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):—

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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:—

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on

THURSDAY, the 11th day of August 1898

PRESENT—*In the Chair, Alex^r Martyn J.P.*

Other Guardians:

James Innings John W. Cunningham

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 18th day of August 1898

(Signed) *John Walsh*
Clerk of the Union.

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

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

No. of Cheques	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
			£	s.	d.
216	Hallymanat	Tollalloy Contractor excavating & supplying Roundfont Pump	38	-	-
218	do.	J. Ritchie C.E. Fees &c.	7	12	6

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

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

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the 18th day of August 1898

(Signed),

John Walsh
Executive Sanitary Officer.

BALLINROBE UNION.

Seed Supply 1898
LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, ~~acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts,~~ at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 11th day of August 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Alon Martin JP

Other Members:

James Jennings J.W. Cunningham.

Letter from the Local Government Board dated 9th August 1898. N^o 35599, relat. to the Guardians' application for a loan to pay for the 50 Clavi Spraying Machines purchased by them; and stating that the Guardians should be in a position to defray the cost of purchase of all the Machines when the amount of the abatements allowed on the sales shall have been recouped them.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of August 1898

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Workhouse	579	132														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds	65	-														
TOTAL	644	132														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			9	11	40	32	9	4	23	7	7	112				
Admitted during the Week,			10	1	2						1	14				
TOTAL			19	12	42	32	9	4	23	7	8	156				
Discharged during the Week,			8	3	2		3	1	3	1	1	22				
Died,						2						2				
Total Discharged and Dead			8	3	2	2	3	1	3	1	1	24				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			11	9	40	30	6	3	20	6	7	132				
													In Workhouse Hospital	In separate Wards		
													440	44		
													Total, 484	Total, 44		
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
													Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
													No. Relieved during Week			10
													No. in Workhouse at date	4		4
													No. at corresponding period last year, 133			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of August 1898, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	59	76	3	17	62	93	Bl. forward,						
No. II.	44	63	28	40	72	103	No. X.						
No. III.	2	2	12	14	14	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	44	61	3	3	47	64	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	119	202	46	74	195	276	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 18th day of August 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Alexander Martyn JP

Other Guardians:—

James Jennings, J. M. Cunningham,

John P. Egan, Michael Feenick

Mark Abner.

Alex Martyn

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 18th day of August 1898

(Signed),

John Walsh

Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2118 to No. 2121, 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

£ 204: 3: 11

£ 48: 0: 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of ~~against~~ the Guardians was

£ 490: 9: 6

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe	47	4	-				11	-	4			
	Borriscarra	1	1	4				16	4				
	Coonard	9	2	5				16	8				
	Hollymount	44	9	7				9	3				
	Kilcommon	11	13	10				1	4	8			
	Newbrook	5	13	8				2	8	7			
	Rosslea	4	18	11				5	10				
					124	139					17	1	8
PATRICK GRADY	Cong	18	10	4				3	2	10			
	Dalgan	2	4	6					10				
	Houndswood	3	0	12				2	4				
	Kilmaine	1	16	4				2	7	11			
	Neale	2	8	16				1	9	6			
	Shrule	7	10	6					5	7			
					79	102					7	9	-
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla							11	3	9			
	Ballyovey							9	18	-			
	Cappaghduff							10	8	8			
	Owenbrinn							6	9	6			
	Portroyal							7	11	2			
											45	11	1
											70	1	9
	TOTAL RATES				204	3	11						

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, - £ s. d. 19:16:10

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - 22:1:3

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 2:10

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 3:9 1/2

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:—

- 950 lbs. First Flour Bread
- 90 „ „ Brown do.
- 176 „ „ Meat
- Stones Potatoes
- Cwt. Oatmeal
- „ „ Indian Meal
- 179 1/2 Quarts Sweet Milk
- Cwts. Salt
- 1 1/4 lbs. Tobacco
- 50 „ „ Sugar
- 180 „ „ Eggs
- 10 „ „ Butter

- lbs. Pepper
- 20 „ „ Rice Bacon
- Bottles Marsala Wine
- „ „ Port Wine
- 1 1/2 Quarts Whiskey
- Bottles Brandy
- 18 „ „ Porter
- Boxes Turf
- 9 lbs. Candles
- 49 lbs. Soap
- 3 „ „ Starch
- 1 1/4 lbs. Washing Soda
- 1 lb. Blue

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 ^{three of the} ~~three~~ 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 13th day of August, 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - - £ 8:3:6
 In Kind, - - - - - 1:15:-
 Total, - - - - - £ 9:18:6

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.
 As Mr. M. J. Tully Relieving Officer Ballinrobe District did not attend for examination of his Receipt and Expenditure Book. The above does not include his payments for the week

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
220	No. I. M. J. Tully	4			Bl. forward				
171	No. II. J. Garry	6			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.				
	Total	10			TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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 - - - - -

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	<i>Collected</i> Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c. Account	<i>Unpaid</i> <i>Bills</i> <i>&c.</i>		
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
222	The Secy. D. O'Brien. for mce of a deaf mute at Labra.			7 10 -						
223	E. McGrath. Probu Huse. all. for clothes destroyed in disinfection.			2 - -						
224	J. Grady. Rate Collector. Fees on Collection.		26 10 9							
225	J. O'Connell. &c. &c.		118 18 3					26		

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
Number of successful cases:—
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

That the potatoes grown on the Workhouse Farm, might now be given to inmates according to the scale of dietary.

Ordered: subject to the approval of the Medical Officer.

That a man named Martin O'Brien of Ballynew, applied for a school-boy named Michael Bulger, to go to service.

Ordered:— That the Guardians consider the boy too young.

That the school children were out for recreation during the week.

That the daily average degrees of Cream registered during were 9.4 for each of the Contractors.

That one cock of hay and the aftergrass on the Work

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

Workhouse Farm could now be disposed of.
Ordered:— To be sold.

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 11th August 1898
No. 34506.

requesting that they may be informed whether the Guardians made an Order for the payment of a sum of £2:2:0, claimed by Dr. E. McGuire for discharging the duties of the Workhouse on the 20th and 21st ultimo under the circumstances set forth in the Minutes.
Ordered:— that the Guardians made no order on the 28th ultimo for payment of the amount, but have asked the sanction of the Local Government Board in their Minutes of the 11th instant for payment of the amount claimed.

Circular

Circular letter from the Local Government Board dated 13th August 1898. No. 153-M.98 requesting that they be furnished with a return showing the total amount of rates levied by the Board of Guardians to provide for their expenditure during each of the local financial years ended in 1895 and 1896.

Letter from same dated 16th August 1898 No. 36676. stating that they would not object to the payment by the Guardians of the account for £6:18:0 submitted by Mr. E. K. Dixon County Surveyor for expenses in connexion with the Relief Works carried out in the Union if the Guardians are satisfied that the claim is reasonable.
Ordered:— that the County Surveyor's Bill be paid.

Letter from same dated 16th August 1898 No. 36676. stating that as the Relief Works were closed on the 30th ultimo they would be glad to be informed of the duties discharged by Mr. Walsh Paymaster on the Relief Works during the week ended the 6th instant for which he has been paid at the same rate as that allowed when the works were

were in progress.

Ordered:- That the Paymaster be requested to explain what duties he performed for the above payment.

Letter from Mr. Michael Walsh Paymaster on the Relief works of which the following is a copy:-

Carham 17th August 1898.

Gentlemen,

In compliance with the directions of the Local Government Board asking me to furnish particulars in connection with the carriage and distribution of explosives for the several Relief Works in your Union. I beg to submit the following:-

I remain

Your obedient servant
Michael Walsh.

(detailed particulars herewith)

The clerk submitted an account amounting to £13:0:1 for tools supplied on order of Mr. E. H. Dixon County Surveyor to the several Relief works in the Union and directions that the amount be forwarded him for payment were given

Letter

Letter from Miss D. Messon Probationer Nurse dated 18th August 1898. requesting to be granted leave of absence for a fortnight and stating that Miss Burke would discharge her duties for the time gratuitously

Ordered:- granted.

Letter from the Poor rate collectors dated 18th August 1898. applying for remuneration for copying ^{of} warrants owing to the extra work imposed upon them in preparing same.

Ordered:- Allowed £2. for each -

Ordered: that the clerk of the Union be directed to advertise in the local newspapers and by printed handbills for ^{the} usual yearly supplies of provisions, necessaries, also utensils, oils, paints &c. from the 29th September 1898 to 29th September 1899. and for tenders for Union printing and advertisements for the same period.

Tenders to be considered on Thursday 1st September 1898.

The schedules of rates uncollected and unrecoverable in the Districts of Messrs Mellott.

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Mallatt and Grady Poor Rate Collectors were laid before the Board and having been examined. It was resolved: that Poor rates amounting to £11:1:8 be brought into the new rates and the following rates amounting to £13:9:0 (12:0:6 Poor rates, and £1:8:6 on occupied buildings &c. be declared unrecoverable viz:-

Ballinrobe.	Poor rates.	£7:0:5
Bunscarra	" "	14:2
Coonard.	" "	-
Hollymount.	" "	1:5
Kilcommoun	" "	8
Newbrook.	" "	3:6
Roslee	" "	14
		8:0:6

Long	Poor Rates.	£3:2:10
Dalquin	" "	10
Kilmaine	" " 7% red rates	£1:8:6 1:15:6
Keale	" "	4:8
Houndwood	" "	2:4
Shrule	" "	2:4
		5:8:6
		£13:9:0

Mr. Newhan Poor rate Collector informed the Guardians that he had not yet received amount of decrees recited for him by the Constabulary and would on Thursday next close his collection.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 25th day of August 1898

Signed, *John Walsh*

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 18th day of August 1898 (SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair, *Alexander Martyn J.P.*

Other Guardians:—

James Jennings, J. W. Cunningham

Mark O'Brien, J.P. Esq. M. Fenick

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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District	Cong Dispensary District	Hollymount Dispensary District
256	E. McGuire used off at attend. viz. Petty Sessions v. Vacc. defaulters	1	-	-

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 189

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 vacancy in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Lease-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, 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, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):—

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 189

No _____ stating that

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 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:—

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 18th day of August 1898

PRESENT—In the Chair, Alex^r Martyn J.P.

Other Guardians:

James Innings, J. W. Cunningham, W. Anair, J. P. Egan, M. Ferrick

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

Table with 4 columns: District, Name of Officer, General Subject, Particulars

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(Signed) John Walsh, Clerk of the Union.

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

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

No. of Cheques	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 following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, or others, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Letter from The Local Government Board dated 17th August 1898 N^o. 36850. enclosing extracts from the report of their Inspector Sir Acheson McCallagh M.D. relating to the sanitary condition of the Ballinrobe Union.

Ordered:— That the Sanitary Sub. Officers of Ballinrobe N^o. 1. and Hollymount Dispensary District be supplied with a copy of the Inspector's report.

The Sanitary sub. officer of Hollymount Dispensary District informed the Board of Guardians that he had sent in three reports to the Medical Officer Dr. Hanrahan for the past year.

Sanitary Sub officer Garry applied for a sum of £1:0:0 for time keeping and paying man at Roundfort wall in 1897.

Ordered:— Passed.

Read report from Dr. E. McGuire Medical Officer of Health of which the following is a copy:—

As Medical Officer of Health
of

of ^{the} Ballinrobe Dispensary District I hereby report to you that Mary O'Connell of Luragh is suffering from Fever and is not in a fit state to be removed to Hospital having been 11 days ill before I was called in. Her husband suffering from Fever was removed to Hospital against his will as I am informed and without me as Medical Officer of Health having been consulted in the matter. He died leaving a widow and a long family of helpless children behind him and I recommend that my instructions to the Relieving officer be carried out. Ordered: That the Relieving officer be instructed to carry out the Doctor's directions.

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(Signed),

John Walsh

Executive Sanitary Officer.

BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Members:

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value. £60,408.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of August 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	TOTAL No. in each building 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 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	579	129															
Temporary Buildings																	
Additional Workhouse	65	-															
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL	644	129															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			11	9	40	30	6	2	20	6	7	132					
Admitted during the Week,			10	5	2				4	5	1	27	In Work-house Hospital } 43 In Fever Hospital } -	In separate Wards } - In Wards with other inmates, } 4			
TOTAL			21	14	42	30	6	3	24	11	8	159	Total 43	Total 4			
Discharged during the Week,			13	4	4				2	4	2	30					
Died,																	
Total Discharged and Dead			13	4	4				2	4	2	30					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			8	10	38	30	6	3	21	7	6	124					
													No. Relieved during Week } 8 No. in Work-house at date } 3	8	3	8	19
																	No. at corresponding period last year, 124.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of August 1898, 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.	59	76	3	17	62	93	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	44	63	28	40	72	103	No. X.						
No. III.	2	2	12	14	14	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	44	61	3	3	47	64	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	149	202	46	74	195	276	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

Owing to the non attendance of Guardians there was no meeting of the Board to-day.
(Signed) J. Walsh Clerk of Union.
25th August 1898.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 25th day of August 1898

(Signed), John Walsh

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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 against the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe												
	Borriscarra												
	Coonard												
	Hollymount												
	Kilcommon												
	Newbrook												
	Rosslea												
PATRICK GRADY	Cong												
	Dalغان												
	Houndswood												
	Kilmaine												
	Neale												
	Shrule												
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla												
	Ballyovey												
	Cappaghduff												
	Owenbrinn												
	Portroyal												
	TOTAL RATES												

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ . . . was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, - £ . 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:—

lbs. First Flour Bread	lbs. Pepper
„ Brown do.	„ Rice
„ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	„ Port Wine
Cwt. Oatmeal	Quarts Whiskey
„ Indian Meal	Bottles Brandy
Quarts Sweet Milk	„ Porter
Cwts. Salt	Boxes Turf
lbs. Tea	lbs. Candles
„ Sugar	lbs. Soap
Eggs	lbs. Starch
lbs. Butter	lbs. Washing Soda

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 189 . . . whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	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.

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

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c., Account		
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
Number of successful cases:—
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated _____

No. _____

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY,
the 1st day of September 1898

Signed,

John Wash

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 _____ 189

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair, *Coming to the non attend-*
Other Guardians:—*ance. of Guardians*
there was no meeting of the Board
today.

Signed John Wash Clerk of Union
25th August 1898

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board,
with a Proquisition 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):

Table with columns: No. of Draft, Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied, Ballinrobe Dispensary District, Cong Dispensary District, Hollymount Dispensary District.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended... 189... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended... 189

Summary table of expenses for Ballinrobe District, Cong District, and Hollymount District, showing amounts in £ and shillings.

The Board elected the following Lease-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, 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, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, in the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):—

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 189

No _____ stating that

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 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:—

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Owing to the non attend

Other Guardians: none of Guardians there

was no meeting of the Board today

(Signed) Wm. Webb Clerk of Union

25th August 1898.

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 Officers' Report Book.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the *1st* day of *September* 1898

(Signed) *Wm. Webb*
Clerk of the Union.

BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Members:

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the 1st day of September 1898

(Signed), John Wabli
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of August 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	579	128														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse	65	2														
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	644	130														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			8	10	38	30	6	3	21	7	6	129	In Workhouse Hospital	46	In separate Wards	-
Admitted during the Week,			8	4	5	2	1	1	1	1	1	23	In Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other inmates	14
TOTAL			16	14	43	32	7	4	22	7	7	152	Total	48	Total	14
Discharged during the Week,			11	3	4	1			1	1		21	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Died,					1							1	Males		Females	
Total Discharged and Dead			11	3	5	1			1	1		22	No. Relieved during Week	7	1	8
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			5	11	38	31	7	4	21	6	7	130	No. in Workhouse at date	-	-	-
													No. at corresponding period last year, 1914			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of August 1898, 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.	59	76	3	17	62	93	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	44	63	28	40	72	103	No. X.						
No. III.	12	14	1	2	13	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	43	60	3	3	46	63	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	158	213	35	62	193	275	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 1st day of September 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair, John W. Cunningham
Other Guardians:— John P. Egan Michael Feenick

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 1st day of September 1898

(Signed), John Walsh
Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2159 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 clerk of the union reported having lodged with the Treasurer to Credit of the Union a sum of £9.18.5 received in repayment of Relief
 C.B. Karry to 25 March 1896.

The clerk of the union reported that in the absence of a Board meeting on Thursday last 25th ultimo, he appointed Mr. John Garry Relieving Officer to discharge the duties of the Ballinrobe Relief District; Mr. Martin J. Tully, Relieving Officer, having been admitted a patient to the fever Hospital on Sunday the 21st ultimo.

Ordered:— Approved; and that Mr. John Garry be paid 30/- per week

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 against 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.

£ 23 : 1 : 1
 £ 123 : 10 : 8
 £ 390 : 19 : 11

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe													
	Borriscarra													
	Coonard													
	Hollymount													
	Kilcommon													
	Newbrook													
	Rosslea													
PATRICK GRADY	Cong													
	Dalغان													
	Houndswood													
	Kilmaine													
	Neale													
	Shrule													
	THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla				3	4	11				7	18	10
Ballyovey					1	19	7				7	18	5	
Cappaghduff							18				9	16	7	
Owenbrinn					2	9	8				2	19	10	
Portroyal					4	16	5				9	14	9	
TOTAL RATES					13	28					32	8	5	

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, - £ s. d. 16:19:2

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - 22:11:9

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 2:11:4

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 3:10:4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 10:5

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:—

960 lbs. First Flour Bread	lbs. Pepper
„ „ Brown do.	20 „ Pork Bacon
172 „ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	2 „ „ Port Wine
Cwt. Oatmeal	1 1/2 Quarts Whiskey
„ „ Indian Meal	Bottles Brandy
776 Quarts Sweet Milk	24 „ „ Porter
Cwts. Salt	Boxes Turf
1 1/4 lbs. Tobacco	12 lbs. Candles
50 „ „ Sugar	49 lbs. Soap
100 „ Eggs	2 lbs. Starch
5 lbs. Butter	14 lbs. Washing Soda
	100 Blive

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 August 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - -	£ 10:14:6
In Kind, - - - - -	2:2:6
Total, - - - - -	£ 12:17:-

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
227	No. I. J. Garry	10	5			Bt. forward					
228	No. II. J. Garry	6				No. X.					
233	No. III. J. Garry	6				No. XI.					
234	No. IV. J. Garry	7				No. XII.					
	No. V.					No. XIII.					
	No. VI.					No. XIV.					
	No. VII.					No. XV.					
	No. VIII.					No. XVI.					
	No. IX.					No. XVII.					
	Total					TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

Relief Work of
 36 Ellen Donnelly tools £13:0:1
 34 G. K. Dixon Co. Surveyor
 professional services, Postage 6:18:0

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 - - - - -

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c., Account	Collectors	
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Remt. a/c	Unpaid Bills
229	J. Mulligan tailor repairs.		1 19 -						
230	E. McQuire acting Substantic for med. offrs. of Workhouse.				22 -				
231	T. Hanchan Poor Rate collector Fees.							8 19 11	1 10
232	The clerk of union to pay for school requisites.				1 11 0				
235	Mr. Dean Conayne for altar requisites.				10 7 5				

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
 Number of successful cases:—
 The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

That the temporary medical officers of the Workhouse (Dr. McQuire) directed him to write for a trained Nurse to do night duty in the Fever Hospital; that the night Nurse arrived and is doing duty since the 27th instant.
 Ordered: That should Probationer Nurse Hession return before Saturday that the services of the temporary Nurse be dispensed with.
 That Mr. Cowan Auctioneer disposed of the Relief Works tools Ray and after grass.

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 17th August 1898
No. 1143. M. 1898.

forwarding therewith to be laid before the Board of Guardians a copy of the existing form of Bond for poor rate collectors and their sureties, with such alterations as are necessary to make it applicable to the rate under the Seed Supply and Potato Spraying (Ireland) Act 1898, as well as the other rates which the collectors are at present required to collect and stating that the Board recommend the Guardians, before issuing the Warrant for the collection of the next rate to call upon the collectors and their sureties to enter into a new bond.

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in the accompanying form.
Ordered: That the Poor Collectors do enter into a new bond in the form directed by the Local Government Board.

Letter from same dated 19th August 1898 No. 153. M. 98, calling the attention of the Board of Guardians to the issue of the new edition of the British Pharmacopoeia and to the fact that Contractors are obliged by the terms of their Bond to supply all drugs in accordance with the Standard prescribed by the latest Edition of the Pharmacopoeia; and that they should communicate with their medicine Contractor reminding him of his obligation under his bond; and write to each Dispensary and Workhouse Medical Officer pointing out that in future all medicines would be supplied in accordance with the Standard prescribed; and direct them to send, periodically, samples of drugs to the Clerk of the Union to be forwarded by him to the County Analyst for analysis and report.
Ordered:— That the Medical Officers and Contractor be communicated with as directed.

Letter from same dated 22nd August 1898
No.

No. 37078. 98. forwarding therewith for the information of the Board of Guardians, a copy of the Seed Supply and Potato Spraying (Ireland) Act 1898. 61. and 62 Vic. Cap 50.

Letter from same dated 23rd August 1898 No. 165. M. 1898. forwarding therewith for the information of the Board of Guardians, a copy of an Act passed passed. last Session to make temporary provision for the relief of distress and for other purposes connected therewith

Letter from same dated 23rd August 1898 No. 53728. Stating that the Ballinrobe Union has been placed in charge of Mr. R. C. Lynch as Inspector.

Letter from same dated 23rd August 1898 No. 37749. Referring to an entry in Minutes of the 18th instant respecting the Guardians' proposal to pay a sum of £5:5:0 to Mr. Michael Walsh, Supervisor and Paymaster on the relief works recently carried out in the union for the carriage and distribution of powder to the several works, and stating that they would be prepared to repay three fourths.

fourths of the expenses incurred by Mr. Walsh for cart hire in the distribution of powder to the different works if proper vouchers are produced, but they consider the works of distribution formed part of the duties which he was appointed to perform as Supervisor over the works and they do not see their way to sanction any extra remuneration being paid to him for this duty.

Letter from same dated 24th August 1898 No. 37749. expressing their sanction to the payment of a sum of £2:2/- to Dr. E. McQuinn for discharging the duties of Medical Officer of the Workhouse on the 20th and 21st instants.

Letter from same dated 24th August 1898 No. 36676. Referring to an entry in Minutes of the 11th instant - of an application from Miss E. McGrath Probationer Nurse for compensation in respect of clothing stated to have been injured in process of disinfection; and pointing out that a disinfecting chamber should be provided and that applications of this nature would thus be avoided.

Circular letter from same dated 26th August 1898 No. 166. M. 98. forwarding therewith for the information of

of the Board of Guardians A Copy of the Poor Law (Scotland) Act 1898. (61 and 62nd chap 21) which received the Royal Assent on the 25th July last.

Circular letter from The Lords Justices dated 18th August 1898 transmitting a copy of an Order made by the Lord Lieutenant and Privy Council dated the 16th instant entitled the Local Government (Transitory Provisions) 1st Order 1898.

Circular letter from The Commissioner of Valuation dated 20th August 1898 on the Annual Revision of the Union.

Letter from Mr. M. Walsh Paymaster on the Relief Works recently carried out in the Union of which the following is a copy:— Carheen Tourmakeady.

August 25th 1898

Gentlemen,

In compliance with the Order of your Chairman re. a letter from the Local Government Board dated 16th instant asking for an explanation of my duties as Paymaster for the week ended the 6th instant I beg to say that I collected the tools on Monday

was

was Monday night on watch of them. Sent them off on Tuesday. On Wednesday I supplied Statistics to County Surveyor I sent in my Vouchers along with Carter's Vouchers and left it to you Gentlemen to deal with as you pleased.

I remain

your obedient servant
Michael Walsh

Ordered:— that the Guardians recommend that this small sum be allowed.

The Schedule of rates uncollected and irrecoverable in the District of Mr. Thomas Meehan Poor Rate Collector was laid before the Board and having been examined it was resolved:— that uncollected rates amounting to £32:0:1 (£27:9:9 Secd. rates and £4:10:4 Poor rates) be carried into new rates and rates amounting to 8/11 (7/2 Secd. Rate and 1/2 Poor rates) be declared irrecoverable.

The several Tenders for the usual yearly supplies of Provisions &c. also for printing and advertisements having been opened and considered the following were declared Contractors for year ending 29th September 1899:—

Ellen Donnellon	Best white Bread @ 4 th per 4 lb loaf
Do.	Best Brown Bread @ 4 th " " "
Patrick Gaynor	Pure new milk @ 5 th per gallon
Matthew Moran	Best Beef or mutton @ 5 th per lb.
John May	Eggs @ 1/3 per score
Do.	Butter @ 11 th per lb.

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<i>J. Fitzpatrick</i>	14		
<i>Patrick Moran</i>		Corn Flour	@ 3 1/2 per lb.
<i>Dealia Feenik</i>		Best. Oatmeal	@ 9/5 per cwt.
<i>Patrick O'Connor</i>		Best. Black tea	@ 1/5 per lb.
<i>Do.</i>		Best. old malt whiskey	@ 4/6 per quart.
<i>Denis Higgins</i>		Best. Indian meal	@ 5/- per cwt.
<i>Do.</i>		Salt	@ 1/- in in
<i>Thomas Donnellon</i>		Bacon	@ 1/4 per lb.
<i>Do.</i>		Loaf sugar	@ 2d
<i>Do.</i>		Sharsala wine	@ 1/4 per bottle
<i>Do.</i>		Port wine	@ 1/6
<i>Do.</i>		Soda water	@ 1 1/2d
<i>Do.</i>		Arrowroot	@ 10d per lb.
<i>Do.</i>		Rice	@ 2d
<i>Do.</i>		Green	@ 2/6 per bottle.
<i>Do.</i>		Washing soda	@ 8d per lb.
<i>Do.</i>		Blue	@ 3d
<i>Do.</i>		Wash hand tins	@ 4d each
<i>Patrick Moran</i>		wax candles for chapel	@ 1/4 per lb.
<i>Patrick Fair</i>		Soft Sugar	@ 1/2 per lb.
<i>Thomas Fitzpatrick</i>		Guinness Porter	@ 3/- per bottle
<i>Do.</i>		Brandy	@ 5/11
<i>Do.</i>		Corn Flour	@ 3 1/2 per lb.
<i>Do.</i>		British wax candles	@ 2 1/4
<i>Do.</i>		Print. mugs and Dinner Plates	@ 7 1/2 each
<i>Patrick Moran</i>		Tobacco	@ 3/2 per lb.
<i>Patrick Moran</i>		Black Pepper	@ 5/- per lb.
<i>Martin Cassidy</i>		Tin Platters	@ 3/4 each
<i>Do.</i>		Crust. Tins	@ 2 1/2
<i>Do.</i>		Print. mugs	@ 1 1/2d
<i>Patrick Moran</i>		face on crown soap	7/- per stone.
<i>Ellis Gore Kelly</i>		Union advertisements	£5.
<i>William Davis</i>		Do.	£5.
<i>Martin Shendau</i>		Do.	£5.
<i>J. A. Walsh</i>		Do.	£5.
<i>The Loughan Telegraph Co.</i>		Do.	£5.

Thomas Donnellon. utensils, at prices set out in Tender.

(See also Minutes of the Board of 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 Sept 1898

Signed, *John Walsh*
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 1st day of September 1898

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair, *J. T. Cunningham*

Other Guardians:—

John P. Egan *Michael Feenik*

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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District	Cong Dispensary District	Hollymount Dispensary District
230	Coll. Univ. Med. offr. Vac. Fees	1 11 -		

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1855.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 189

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 vacancy in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Deute-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, 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, or the Nuisance, Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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 The Local Government Board dated 23rd August 1898

N^o 31150¹ stating that

requesting that they may be informed whether the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Ballinroole n^o 2 Dispensary District referred to in Minutes of the 28th Actmo- have since complied with the law.

Read report from Dr. A. L. Blake Medical Officer Ballinroole n^o 2 Dispensary District dated 25th August 1898. Stating that of the 152 Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in his District at end of last Quarter 60 have been successfully vaccinated.

Letter from Dr. M. Sample Medical Officer Long Dispensary District dated 31st Aug 1898. Stating that a portion of the garden at his residence was blown down on last Friday night and requesting that the Guardians would give directions to have it rebuilt with the least possible delay.

Ordered:— Adjourned for a larger 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:—

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 1st day of September 1898.

PRESENT—In the Chair, John W. Cunningham

Other Guardians:

John P. Egan, Michael Feenck

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Hollymount	RT. Kaurahan		Recommending that the manure heap which is right up against the wall of the house occupied by Thomas Fair of Hollymount be once removed 24 feet away from his back door and its place covered over with bog mud.
Do.	Do.		Recommending that the manure heap occupied by Mrs. Malinda Fair be removed further away from the back door and the pit filled in with stones and covered over with a layer of bog mud.

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

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(Signed) John Walsh Clerk of the Union.

in the usual way, and that his clothes during his illness, be exposed on a wire line, to free air in the Hospital grounds.

Sir C. A. Cameron reports as follows, his analysis of the Sample of Water taken from ^{well} the Village of Kildun, forwarded him as directed in Minutes of the 21st July last.

"A moderate number of micro-organisms present. The free ammonia in this water is large, but the really serious impurity of Water, namely albuminoid matter is moderate in quantity. On the whole therefore I consider this water is fit for use."

Charles A. Cameron.
17th August 1898.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the 8th day of Sept 1898

(Signed), John Nash
Executive Sanitary Officer.

BALLINROBE UNION.

Sell Supply 1898.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 1st day of September 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair,

John W. Cunningham

Other Members:

John P. Egan.

Michael Deuck

Regular letter from the Local Government Board dated 27th August 1898. N. 10136. N. 1898 pointing out the procedure which should be adopted by the Guardians in respect of sums received by them for Spraying Machines and Spraying Material sold at an abated price for cash.

The clerk submitted (Forms B and E) claim for recoupment of loss by abatement in respect of Spraying Machines sold to occupiers for cash, the form having been signed by the President Chairman and ^{the} Clerk of the Union; the Clerk was directed to forward same with lists of persons to whom the Guardians

units sold. Spraying Machines for
Cash. on delivery. to the Local Govern-
ment. Board.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,400

488.2/

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of September 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	579	128												
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse	65	1												
Permanent Fever Hospital														
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	644	129												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			5	11	38	31	7	4	21	6	7	130		
Admitted during the Week,			6	3	2			2	2	1	2	18		
TOTAL			11	14	40	31	7	6	23	7	9	148		
Discharged during the Week,			5	3	3	1		2	2	1	1	18		
Died,						1						1		
Total Discharged and Dead			5	3	3	2		2	2	1	1	19		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			6	11	37	29	7	4	21	6	8	129		

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of September 1898, 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.	59	76	3	17	62	93	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	44	60	27	42	71	102	No. X.						
No. III.	12	14	1	2	13	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	43	60	3	3	46	63	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	158	210	34	64	192	274	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 8th day of September 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair, Alexander Martyn J.P.

Other Guardians: Colonel Blake, C.B., Colonel Knox, J.L., J.W. Cunningham, J.P. Egan, W. Burke J.P., W.E. Rutledge, J.P., J.C. St. Donnell, J.P., J. Hughes, W. Feerick, J. Cunningham

Alexander Martyn

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 8th day of September 1898

(Signed), John Walsh, Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2182 to No. 2199, 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 Clerks of the ^{Union} informed the Board that Mr. Martin J. Tully, Relieving Officer, Ballinrobe Relief District, resumed his duties on Friday the 2nd instant.

The Clerk of the Union reported having lodged with the Treasurer of the Union £64:17:0 the sum of Sixty four Pounds 17/- 0c. raised for Spraying Machines.

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 £ 50: 8: 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of against the Guardians was £ 340: 11: 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe												
	Borrisearra												
	Coonard												
	Hollymount												
	Kilcommon												
	Newbrook												
	Roslea												
PATRICK GRADY	Cong												
	Dalgan												
	Houndswood												
	Kilmaine												
	Neale												
	Shrule												
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla												
	Ballyovey												
	Cappaghduff												
	Owenbrim												
	Portroyal												
TOTAL RATES													

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ s. d. 19:11:9

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ s. d. 23:9:7

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ s. d. 3:8:4

Average Cost in Infirmary, £ s. d. 4:-

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, £ s. d. 9:4-

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

860 lbs. First Flour Bread	lbs. Pepper
„ „ Brown do.	„ „ Rice
196 „ „ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	2 „ „ Port Wine
Cwt. Oatmeal	1 1/2 Quarts Whiskey
„ „ Indian Meal	Bottles Brandy
776 Quarts Sweet Milk	2 1/4 „ „ Porter
Cwts. Salt	Boxes Turf
22 lbs. Tobacco	1 1/2 lbs. Candles
50 „ „ Sugar	49 lbs. Soap
100 Eggs	3 lbs. Starch
7 lbs. Butter	14 lbs. Washing Soda
	1 lb. Blue

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 Believing 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 3rd day of September 1878 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, £ s. d.	11 15 6
In Kind, £ s. d.	2 4 6
Total, £ s. d.	14 - - -

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
236 No. I.	M. J. Jolly	3				Bt. forward					
237 No. II.	J. Garry	4				No. X.					
249 No. III.	M. J. Jolly	4				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.					
Total						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	5

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	34
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-
The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	158

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c. Account				
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
	meal										
238	E Donnellon, bread	2316-									
239	J. May, milk	1015-									
240	J Donnellon tea &c	51310									
241	P. Merham Butter	238									

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
 Number of successful cases:—
 The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

We have visited the house today for the purpose of taking Stock.
 We have found the house in a most creditable state, which reflects the greatest credit on all the officers.
 J. M. Cunningham Chm.
 John P. Egan.
 1st September 1898

The following is a copy of a report on the Visitors Book.
 "We have gone all through the House today and are very much pleased with all we saw. The inmates look most comfortable and happy. Catherine H. Browne. Aug 10 Conbrock
 Sept. 2 '98
 The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:—

That a Committee consisting of the Chairman Mr. J. M. Cunningham, and Mr. J. P. Egan visited the Workhouse on the 1st instant, took Stock and reported thereon
 That Lady Browne, Lady Conbrock and Mr. Knox, visited the Workhouse on the 2nd instant and reported.
 That Miss Hession returned off leave of absence on the 3rd instant and resumed her duties; that the services of the temporary Nurse employed in fever Hospital were then dispensed with.
 That Dr. Ellakon resumed his duties on the 6th instant.
 That the three pigs kept at the Workhouse farm are

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

are now fit for sale.

Ordered:— That the pigs be sold.

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 6th September 1898
No. 39981.

requesting that they may be furnished as soon as possible with the Auctioneer's Account of the sale of the tools used on the relief works recently carried out in the Union.

Ordered:— That the account of the sale be furnished to the Local Government Board and the proceeds lodged with the Treasurer, to Credit of Relief Works, &c.

Letter from same dated 7th September 1898 No. 39981. Stating that they will consent.

will consent to the payment of a sum of One pound to Mr. Walsh as remuneration for the services referred to in his report in Minutes of the 1st instant and will recoup three fourths of this amount to the Guardians.

Letter from same dated 7th September 1898. No. 39981. expressing their sanction to payment of remuneration at the rate of 30/- a week to Mr. John Garry while acting as temporary Relieving Officer in the Ballinrobe District under the circumstances stated in the Minutes of the 1st instant.

Letter from same dated 7th September 1898 No. 40100. forwarding therewith to be laid before the Board of Guardians, a letter which they received from the Rev. J. Conry P.P. preferring a charge of neglect of duty against Mr. John Garry, Relieving Officer in the Union, and requesting that the Officer in question may be called upon to furnish an explanation in writing regarding this complaint.

Ordered:— Referred to Mr. Garry for his explanation in writing for next Board day.

Letter

Letter from same dated 7th September 1898
 N^o 416. Authorising the Paymaster General
 to pay to the Treasurer the sum
 Two hundred and fifty nine pounds
 19/11. as the proportion of the actual
 expenses incurred by the Guardians
 in the half year ended 25th March
 last for educational and medical pur-
 poses.

Letter from same dated 7th September
 1898 N^o 39981. requesting that they may
 be informed what order was made
 by the Guardians on their letter
 of the 24th ultimo respecting the ne-
 cessity of providing a disinfecting
 chamber for the Workhouse.

Ordered: Not at present required

Letter from Dr. E. McGuire Ballinrobe
 requesting to be paid the sum of £6:5:0
 for domy hospital duty for Dr. Mahon
 who was on leave of absence from the
 17th to 31st August last attending the
 Sanitary Congress.

Ordered: that the Guardians are
 of opinion that this is a matter be-
 tween the Doctors concerned.

Letter.

Letter from Mr. George F. Tushy, Solicitor
 Ballinrobe. enclosing particulars of
 law costs due to him amounting to
 £13:12:11. (Copy herewith)
 Ordered: - That £13. be paid ⁱⁿ full
 discharge.

Letter from Miss Bridget J. Burke. Hos-
 pital nurse. dated 8th September 1898. Re-
 questing payment of £15. in addition
 to her present salary for domy extra
 duty.

Letter from the clerk of the union of which
 the following is a copy: -
 Ballinrobe 8th Sept. 1898.

Gentlemen,

I have to bring under your
 notice the very unsatisfactory manner
 in which Relieving Officer Tully touches
 his weekly account of expenditure
 Monday is the day appointed for
 Relieving officers for the purpose; yet
 I very rarely can get Mr. Tully to
 attend although living in the town.
 I have therefore to request that you
 will make it imperative on all the
 Relieving officers to attend on Monday
 and that you will direct me not to
 examine their accounts on any other day.
 H.

If Relieving Officers pay out do not re-
lieve punctually I fail to see why
they cannot attend on Monday and
account for their payments of the
previous week.

I am
Gentleman,
Your obedient servant
J. Walsh

To
The Board of Guardians
Ballinrobe Union
Clerk of Union.

Ordered: - That the Relieving Officers
be required to attend the Clerk on
Monday in each week and we direct
the Clerk not to examine their accounts
on any other day.

The Clerk of the Union submitted Vouch-
ers for payments made for supplying
tools, powder re. to Relief Works recently
carried out in the Union; and for prof-
essional services of Mr. E. L. Dixon to
Sundayot - amounting to £19:18:1.

The Clerk also submitted a statement
of payments made to Labourers em-
ployed in respect of which recoup-
ment has not been received and it
was ordered: - that the statement be
forwarded to the Local Government
Board with the Guardians request
that:

recoupment of this and other amounts due
them be made to enable them to wind
up the Relief Works etc. and pay off
the balance due by them in Bank which
will be increased by interest if longer
delayed. (Copy enclosed hereunto)

The Clerk submitted an estimate of a new
rate - a copy of which he had forward-
ed to each Guardian of the Union - by the
post of the 1st instant to provide for
the ordinary requirements for the relief
of the poor in the several Electoral
Divisions of the Union from the 29th Sept-
ember 1898 to 31st March 1899. The follow-
ing are the Poundage rates agreed upon:

Ballinrobe Electoral Division	1/2
Ballinacalla	1/3
Ballyvary	8d
Burris-carra	5d
Cappaghduff	11d
Conq.	7 1/2 d
Coronard	7d
Dalgar	6 1/2 d
Hollymount	6 1/2 d
Houndswood	6 1/2 d
Kilmaine	6 1/2 d
Kilcommon	6 1/2 d
Keale	7d
Newbrook	6 1/2 d
Owenbrinn	1/2 d
Portroyal	9d
Rosslee	5d
Shrule	5d

Eviction

written Notice at the suit of Matthew Moran
Ballinrobe v. James and William Farr-
agher. served on Relieving Officer
Garry was laid before the Board
Ordered: - That the Notice be deposit-
ed with the Union records

Mr James Cowan Auctioneer submitted
a return of the sale of the tools re-
quired on the relief works recently car-
ried out in the Union amounting to
£34.1.2. nat. which I lodged with
the Treasurer of the Union to credit
of Relief Works account.
(Return enclosed herewith)

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

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

Clerk of the Union.

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BALLINROBE UNION.

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Other Guardians:—

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The Board elected the following Deute-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, 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, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):—

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 1899

No. _____ stating that

Letter from Dr. J. P. McGuire dated 2nd September 1898. enclosing a letter from Mr. F. Kilkelly, Honorary Secretary of the Committee of Management of the Ballinrobe Dispensary District appointing him to discharge temporarily the duties of Medical Officer of the District during the absence of Dr. E. McGuire at Castlebar Rosigno from the 12th to the 17th July last for which he requested payment of £3:3:0.

Ordered:— To be paid when sanctioned by the Local Government Board.

Ordered:— That Dr. Sample be requested to furnish an estimate of the probable cost of repairing the garden wall at his residence at Bong. referred to in minutes of the 1st instant to be considered at next meeting of the Guardians.

Read reports from Dr. E. McGuire Medical Officer Ballinrobe Dispensary District as follows:—

That Pat Collins of High Street Ballinrobe

[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:—

Ballinrobe did not bring back his child Ellen on the eighth day after vaccination for inspection; that John Moran of High Street Ballinrobe did not bring his child Bridget Teresa on the eighth day after vaccination for inspection and recommending that Pat Collins and John Moran both of High Street Ballinrobe be prosecuted according to law.

Ordered:— To be cautioned.

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

No. of Cheques	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 following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, or others, were read, and directions given thereon as follows :—

Read Reports from Dr. E. McGuire Medical Officer as follows :—

That Mrs. Mellott of Lurgagh who had been suffering from gastric fever is now able to leave her bedroom and recommended that her house be thoroughly disinfected with sulphur fumes and fresh air and lime washed
 Ordered :— That the Medical Officer's recommendations be carried out.

In reply to the letter of the Local Government Board dated 23rd August 1898. 134758
 Dr. McGuire reports as follows :—

"As Medical Officer of Health of the Ballinrobe Dispensary District I hereby report to you that I have already reported to you that the type of fever in Lurgagh has been gastric fever and I have recommended as disinfectants free ventilation pure Water, lime washing and sulphur fumes"

W. Cunningham
Ch.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the 15th day of Sept 1898

(Signed), *John Nash*
Executive Sanitary Officer.

BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Members:

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.
1883-4.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of September 1898

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURNS OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	579	130														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse	65	2														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	644	132														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			6	11	37	29	7	4	2	6	8	129	In Workhouse Hospital	47	In separate Wards	-
Admitted during the Week,			12	1	9	1						24	In Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates	4
TOTAL			18	12	46	30	7	4	2	6	9	153	Total	49	Total	4
Discharged during the Week,			11	1	6		1	1				21				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead			11	1	6		1	1				21	No. Relieved during Week	12		12
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			7	11	40	30	6	3	2	6	9	132	No. in Workhouse at date	-		-
													No. at corresponding period last year,	125		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of September 1898, 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.	59	76	3	17	62	93	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	44	60	26	42	70	102	No. X.						
No. III.	12	14	1	2	13	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	43	60	3	3	46	63	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	158	210	33	64	191	274	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 15th day of September 1898.

PRESENT: In the Chair, John M. Cunningham Esq.
Other Guardians:— Messrs P. O'Boyle and H. Feerick

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(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 Clerk reported having lodged with the Treasurer of the Union the sum of Two Hundred and fifty nine Pounds 19/11 received for educational and Medical Expenditure to 25th March 1898

The Treasurer reported having received the sum of Thirty four Pounds 1/2 from Mr. James Lowan Auctioneer, which he placed to the credit of the Relief Works etc.

The Guardians adjourned the examination of the Registers and of the Relieving officers' application and Report. Books.

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 *£ 259:19:11*
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of ~~against~~ the Guardians was *£ 71:6:6*
 The Book was signed by the Chairman. *£ 578:4:11*
 The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe													
	Borriscarra													
	Coonard													
	Hollymount													
	Kilcommon													
	Newbrook													
PATRICK GRADY	Rosslea													
	Cong													
	Dalغان													
	Houndswood													
	Kilmaine													
	Neale													
THOMAS HENAHAN	Shrule													
	Ballinchalla													
	Ballyovey													
	Cappaghduff													
TOTAL RATES	Owenbrinn													
	Portroyal													

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, - £ s. d. 25 4 9

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d. 22 12 11

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ s. d. 2 11 4

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account. £ s. d. 3 10

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ s. d. 8 6

Average Cost in Infirmary, £ s. d. 8 6

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, £ s. d. 8 6

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:—

840 lbs. First Flour Bread	2 lbs. Pepper
" Brown do.	1 1/2 " Rice tobacco
190 " Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	2 " Port Wine
14 Cwt. Oatmeal	1 1/2 Quarts Whiskey
14 " Indian Meal	Bottles Brandy
Quarts Sweet Milk	18 " Porter
172 Cwts. Salt	Boxes Turf
56 lbs. Tea	12 lbs. Candles
50 " Sugar	49 lbs. Soap
100 Eggs	3 lbs. Starch
7 lbs. Butter	14 lbs. Washing Soda
	1 lb. Blue

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 Believing 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 10th day of Sept. 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, £ s. d.	13 8 -
In Kind, £ s. d.	2 19 6
Total, £ s. d.	16 7 6

Credit each Believing Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Books.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	M. J. Kelly	5			Bl. forward				
No. II.	J. Garry	6			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.				
TOTAL					TOTAL				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

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

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c. Account	Date by Cash
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
245	The Leg ^r St Mark's Hosp. for treatment of a patient.			516-				
	Mb. A. F. Hallinan. Fees for exam ^r of a case of suspected Rabies						106	
247	C. J. Tuohy Solicitor law costs.					13--		
250	J. Barry R. Acting substitute for R. A. F. for Hallinrob. Ed. Substit.			110-				
251	The Master of the Workhouse to pay for a spraying machine.			153				
252	Mammion for a press for Hospital.			1126				

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
 Number of successful cases:—
 The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

That it would be well to advertise for a supply of coal.
 Ordered:— That a supply be advertised for.
 That he allowed nurse Regan 4 hours leave of absence on Monday last; that Miss Burke do as nurse discharged the duties.
 Approved.
 That he would require 10 carts of gravel for concreting and yards.
 Ordered:— granted.
 That the milk supplied by the contract ors. during the week registered 9. and 9.1.

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 13th September 1898
No. 110725

for forwarding for the information of the Board of Guardians a copy of a communication which they received from Mr. Patrick McQuig relating to the arrears of wages alleged to be due to him as Gauger on the relief works recently in operation in the Union together with a copy of the Board's reply.

Ordered:— that a copy of Patrick McQuig's letter be forwarded to the Paymaster.

Letter from same dated 13th September 1898 No. 180 M: 1898. requesting that they may

may be informed what steps have been taken by the Guardians under section 3 of the Infant Life Protection Act 1897 a copy of which had been forwarded them on the 12th October last.

Ordered:— that the Guardians are of opinion that the appointment of an Inspector for the purpose is not required in this Union.

Letter from same dated 11th September 1898 No. 11088 requesting that the Guardians would call upon Reheung of Jeeer Tully for an explanation in writing as to his failure to attend at the Workhouse for the examination of his accounts referred to in the Minutes of the Board of Guardians on the 8th instant.

Ordered accordingly.

Letter from same dated 14th September 1898 No. 32115. Stating that they had given directions for the payment to the Treasurer of the Union of a sum of £12:1:2 in respect of payments amounting to £16:1:6 made by the Board of Guardians for tools &c supplied for use on the Relief Works. Vouchers for which they had received with the pay lists for the week and ed.

ed the 9th July last.

Letter from same dated 14th September 1898. N^o 35585. stating that they had given directions for the payment to the Treasurer of the Union of a sum of £14:0:5 in respect of £18:3:11 amount of payments made to labourers *re* employed on the Relief Works in the Union for week ended 30th June last. and ^{of} wages (10%) of Pat O'Sullivan Ganger on the Bohann Relief Works for week ended 30th June last.

Letter from same dated 14th September 1898 N^o 314469. stating that the Guardians are entitled to be recouped a sum of £41:19:2 in respect of payments made to labourers *re* employed on the Relief Works in the Union for week ended 23rd July last amounting to £57:11:10 after deducting £1:13:0 for reasons given in the accompanying Statement; that the Board also find from the Account which accompanied the Guardians' Minutes on the 8th instant that £34:1:2 has been realised by the sale of Tools used on the Works and as three fourths of this amount (£25:10:10) is payable to Govern.

Government. the Board have directions for the payment of the balance £16:8:4 to the Treasurer of the Union

Letter from same dated 14th September 1898 N^o Authorising the Paymaster General to pay the Treasurer of the Union the sum of £42:9:11 as the proportion of the actual expenses incurred by the Guardians in respect of Relief of Distress operations in the Union

Letter from Miss B. J. Burke Hospital Nurse. of which the following is a copy.
The Hospital 15th September 1898.

Gentlemen

With reference to my application to you for an increase of Salary I beg that you will kindly consider the following facts.

- (1) That of being practically head nurse with most to do including the cooking and giving out of meals, superintending laundry work and having a lower salary than the night nurse lately appointed.
- (2) Being the only nurse in the Institution capable of attending a case of Midwifery in consequence of which I have often to perform night duty as well as day.

(322)

(3rd) Length of service. being now in the sixth year. during which time I got no recognition for my work in the shape of an increase of Salary. Hoping you will kindly take these facts into consideration and increase my salary otherwise I shall be compelled to resign.

I am &c

Your obedient servant

B. J. Burke Head Nurse

Ordered: - Adjourned for the consideration of a larger Board.

Letter from the Matron of the Workhouse. requesting to be granted leave of absence from the 19th inst. ant. to the 12th proximo and stating the Schoolmistress would discharge her duties gratuitously.

Ordered: - granted.

Letter from Mr. John Garry of which the following is a copy: -

Ballinrobe 15th September 1898
Gentlemen:

In reply to the order of your Board regarding the statements of the Rev. John Garry P.P. Skrule regarding me. I beg to say that Skrule is in the

the Dalrym electoral Division which I visited regularly since my appointment.

As to the parties on relief in the Village of Skrule. I sent their relief regularly and have never heard any complaints from them.

I am &c.

Your obedient servant

John Garry D. Officer

Minute

Mr. Garry was called before the Board and informed that if such neglect occur again the Guardians would take serious notice of it.

Ordered: - That the Clerk of the Union be directed to advertise in the local newspapers for Tenders for a supply of clean fresh straw for the Workhouse for one year ending 29th September 1899. Tenders to be considered.

Resolved: - That the Guardians beg to remind the Local Government Board that they have not yet been recouped the sum of £35 paid to the Schoolmaster of the Workhouse as Salary for his first year of office. The Guardians trust that this sum together

Together with the sum of £43:17:4 due them under the Public Health Act will be recouped them as soon as possible.

Proposed by Mr. Feerick.
seconded by Mr. O'Boyle and Resolved:
That the business of this Board stands adjourned till this day week as a tribute of respect to the memory of Miss Rutledge of Sanavilla whose interment takes place to-day being sister to Mr. H. E. Rutledge J.P. one of the ablest and most esteemed members of this Board.

The Clerk submitted Vouchers for £29. paid to him as remuneration in connection with the relief works recently carried out in the Union, and for £5:5:0 Car hire paid by the Pay Master for Carriage of Powder &c while the works were in progress.

Ordered:- That both Vouchers be forwarded to the Local Government Board.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY,
the 27th day of September 1898.

Signed,

J. W. Cunningham

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 15th day of Sept. 1898

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair,

J. W. Cunningham
Other Guardians:—
Patrick O'Boyle *W. Feerick.*

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers 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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District	Cong Dispensary District	Hollymount Dispensary District
2118	Dr. J. P. Malone Acting Med. offr. Remuneration	33	-	

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

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 vacancy 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, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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 The Local Government Board dated 9th September 1898

No 140229 stating that

informing the Board of Guardians that the union has been placed in charge of Sir James Acheson McSullagh as Medical Inspector.

Letter from same dated 13th September 1898. No 140920. transmitting therewith to be laid before the Board of Guardians a copy of a communication which they received from Dr. M'Gure Medical Officer reporting that two children named Ellen Collins and Bridget Teresa Moran were not presented to him at the Dispensary for inspection on the eighth day after Vaccination; and requesting that they may be furnished with the Guardians observations respecting the matter.

Letter from same dated 14th September 1898 No 141100. expressing their sanction to the remuneration of £3:3:0 proposed to be allowed to Dr. J. P. Maguire for his services as temporary Medical Officer of the Ballinrobe No. 1 Dispensary District under the circumstances stated in the Minutes of the 8th instant

Letter.

[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:—

Letter from Mr. John Moran Ballinrobe of which the following is a copy.

High Street Ballinrobe
September 15th 1898.

Sir,

In reply to your notice to me for not sending back my child to be inspected by the Medical Officer after Vaccination, I beg to state that my doing so. would endanger her life "to have taken her out and carried to the Dispensary."

The child's Arm was in a shocking state swollen inflamed and blotches all over her body. She must have suffered terribly and has not yet recovered from its effects. About a fortnight ago I met the Medical Officer and explained to him the state the child was in; he said he would summon me; and he said if

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

No. of Cheques	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
			£	s.	d.
219	Hollymount.	Mr. Malloy's work			
		Roundst. pump	2	-	-
250	do.	J. Garry, R.D. Suptg. &c			
		labourers.	1	-	-

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

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

BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Members:

Neill Hartyn

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the ^{27th} day of September 1898

(Signed), *John Mabb*
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of September 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 9 years of age and under 15 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	574	134														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse	65	1														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	641	135														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			7	11	40	30	6	3	20	6	9	132	In Workhouse Hospital	In separate Wards		
Admitted during the Week,			18	1	1	1	1	1	2	1		26	In Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	44	
TOTAL	25	12	41	31	7	4	22	7	9	158			44	44		
Discharged during the Week,			14	2	4	1						23				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead			14	2	4	1						23				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	11	19	37	30	7	4	22	7	7	7		135			No. at corresponding period last year, 133	

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of September 1898, 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.	59	76	3	17	62	93	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	45	61	26	42	71	103	No. X.						
No. III.	12	14	1	2	13	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	43	60	3	3	46	63	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.	159	212	33	64	192	275	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 24th day of September 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Alexander Martin J.P.

Other Guardians:—

J. C. O'Donnellon J. W. Cunningham
 John Ryan Thomas Kelly
 John Jennings

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(Signed), _____

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2200 to No. 2215 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:—

L42:9:11
The Clerk reported having lodged with the Treasurer of the Union the sum of Forty two Pounds 9/11 to Credit of Relief Works &c.

L3:15:0
The clerk of the Union reported having lodged with the Treasurer the sum of Three pounds 15/- received for Spraying Machines sold.

This L3 15/- is entered in this days minutes (as L65:17/-) with L611:17:0 lodged 3rd inst

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

Baid during the Week *L 79:15:1*

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of ~~the~~ the Guardians was *L 16:12:6*

The Book was signed by the Chairman. *L 591:7:6*

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe												
	Borrisearra												
	Coonard												
	Hollymount												
	Kilcommon												
	Newbrook												
	Roslea												
PATRICK GRADY	Cong												
	Dalgan												
	Houndswood												
	Kilmaine												
	Neale												
	Shrule												
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla												
	Ballyovey												
	Cappaghduff												
	Owenbrinn												
	Portroyal												
	TOTAL RATES												

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, - £ s. d. 17:13:8

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - 23:14:5

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 2:11½

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 3:10¾

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 11:-

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

980 lbs. First Flour Bread	lbs. Pepper
„ „ Brown do.	20 „ Rice
9110 „ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	2 „ „ Port Wine
Cwt. Oatmeal	2 Quarts Whiskey
„ „ Indian Meal	Bottles Brandy
6110 Quarts Sweet Milk	24 „ „ Porter
Cwts. Salt	1571:0 Boxes Turf coal.
1½ lbs. Tobacco	12 lbs. Candles
50 „ „ Sugar	49 lbs. Soap
140 Eggs	8 lbs. Starch
10 lbs. Butter	14 lbs. Washing Soda
	1 lb. Blue

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 17th day of September 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - -	£ s. d. 12:4:-
In Kind, - - - - -	2:11:6
Total, - - - - -	£ 14:15:6

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 and value respectively:—

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
253 No. I.	M. J. Jolly	5-			Bt. forward				
254 No. II.	J. Garry	6-			No. X.				
255 No. III.	P. Grady	7-			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.				
Total		£ 18			TOTAL				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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 - - - - -

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c., Account		
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
Number of successful cases:—
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

That on the requisition of Dr Mahon Medical Officer of the Workhouse, he got three Stones of ice from Dublin, for use of Fever Hospital.

That the horse got restive on yesterday while working at the pump, and damaged the shaft; that a new shaft was now requisited as the old one had been repaired on a former occasion

That the Van driver was now laid up in Hospital

That he would require two bulls-eye lanterns for the use of Hospital

Ordered:— Granted

That he lodged with the Treasurer of the.

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

The Union sums amounting to £11:3:1 payments received from pay patients and for Coffin supplied.

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 15th September 1898
No. H.1088.

stating that directions had been given for the payment of a sum of £18:14:2 to the Treasurer of the Union in respect of payments made by the Guardians for tools &c supplied for use on the Relief Works and a statement of payments made to labourers employed on the works between the 11th May and 16th July, in respect of which no account had been made amounting in all to £28:9:11; that no account had been in respect of (£3:10:4) wages paid to substitutes employed for harvesters during the weeks ended
he.

the 9th and 16th July for the reasons given in their letter to the Guardians of the 5th July last.

Letter from same dated 15th September 1898 No. 367 Authorising the Paymaster General to pay the Treasurer of the Union the sum of Eighteen Pounds four Shillings and two pence as the proportion of the actual expenses incurred by the Guardians in respect of Relief of Distress Operations.

Circular letter from same dated 16th September 1898. No. 37. M. 1898. Transmitting a copy of their Annual Report for the present year being the twenty sixth Report under the Local Government Board (Ireland) Act 1842.

Letter from same dated 20th September 1898 No. 36676. Stating that they had given directions for the payment to the Treasurer of the Union of a sum of £1:10:0 in respect of the amount paid for the carriage of tools to the Workhouse used on the Relief Works and £1. Remuneration of the Paymaster for his services during the week ended the 6th ult.
mo.

no.

Letter from same dated 30th September 1898
no. 3170. Authorising the Paymaster Gen-
eral to pay the Treasurer of the
Union the sum of £1:10:0 as the
proportion of the actual expenditure
incurred by the Guardians in res-
pect of Relief of Distress operations

Letter from Mr. Martin J. Tully Relat-
ing Offices of which the following
is a copy.

Ballinrobe 22nd September 1898
Gentlemen,

In compliance with your
directions I beg to offer the follow-
ing explanation for my failure to
attend on Monday the 5th instant
to have my books examined.

On Saturday previous I, although
not strong after leaving the Fever
Hospital resumed duty rather than
have a substitute employed in
my place. I could not visit my
entire district that day and con-
sequently was unable to attend
at the Board Room on the follow-
ing Monday. Hoping you will
kindly accept this explanation under
the

the circumstances.

I may mention that I always at-
tended ^{on} Mondays to have my books
examined.

I am &c.

Your obedient Servant.

Martin J. Tully R.G.

Ordered:- The Guardians are satisfied
with this explanation under the cir-
cumstances

Proposed by Mr. John Jennings.
Seconded by Mr. J. W. Cunningham, and
Resolved:- That we the Guardians of
the Ballinrobe Union approve of
the policy of the United Irish League,
that copies be sent to the Members
of Parliament for the County.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY,
the 29th day of September 1898

Signed John Wash
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 22nd day of September 1898

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Alexander Martyn

Other Guardians:—

J. C. O'Donnell J. W. Cunningham

J. Ryan J. Nally John Jennings

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 Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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):—

Recd Letter from The Local Government Board 21st September 1898
No 39991 stating that

requesting that they may be informed whether the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Ballinrobe N^o 2 Dispensary District referred to in Minutes of the 1st instant, had since complied with the law.

Ordered:— Referred to the Medical Officer.

Report from the Medical Officer of Health of the Ballinrobe Dispensary District dated 22nd September 1898. Stating that he visited the child Bridget Teresa Moran—daughter of Mr. John Moran of High Street Ballinrobe; that she is in perfect health, that the 4 Vaccine punctures on her left arm are completely healed up, that there is no trace of any eruptions on any part of her body, and that he had no reason to believe ^{what} the statements as to the child's health made in the father's letter of the 15th instant were truthful

[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:—

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

No. of Cheques	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
			£	s.	d.
256	Ballinrobe	M. J. Dully to pay expenses incurred in lime-washing the house of Mary Mc- lat. of Furragh		14	6

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

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

Letter from the Local Government Board dated 21st September 1898 at 833. Authorising the Pay Master General to pay to the Treasurer of the Union the sum of Forty three Pounds 17/4. as the proportion of the actual expenses incurred by the Guardians in the half year ended 25th March last for salaries of Officers appointed under the Public Health Act 1878.

BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Members:

W. J. O'Donnell

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the 29th day of September 1898

(Signed), *John Walsh*
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408-^{188:4}

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of September 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm 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 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	579	134															
Temporary Buildings																	
Additional Workhouse																	
Permanent Fever Hospital	65	1															
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL,	644	135															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			11	10	37	30	7	4	22	7	7	135	In Workhouse Hospital	In separate Wards			
Admitted during the Week,			9	3	3					2		17	In Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	1	4	
TOTAL,			20	13	40	30	7	4	22	9	7	152	Total,	Total,	15	4	
Discharged during the Week,			9	4	1					1	2	17	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died,													Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead			9	4	1					1	2	17	No. Relieved during Week	8	2	1	11
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			11	9	39	30	7	4	21	7	7	135	No. in Workhouse at date	1	-	-	1
													No. at corresponding period last year, 133				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of September 1898, 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.	60	77	4	18	64	95	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	45	61	26	41	71	102	No. X.						
No. III.	12	14	1	2	13	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	44	61	3	3	47	64	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	161	213	34	64	195	277	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 29th day of September 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair,

J. O'Connell

Other Guardians:

J. M. Cunningham, J. P. Egan, S. Kenny &c

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(Signed), _____

Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2249 to No. 2257 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:—

£1:10:0

£15:4:2

The Clerk reported having lodged with the Treasurer of the Union sums amounting to £19:14:2 (£18:11:2 and £1:10:0) to be placed to Credit of Relief Works &c.

£11:19:1

The Treasurer reported having received the sum of Eleven Pounds 19s. being one half the amount paid by the Guardians for Quarter ending June last under the provisions of the Diseases of Animals Act 1894.

£43:17:4

The master of the Workhouse in the absence of the clerk of Union at the Castlebar Revision Session attended the Meeting of the Guardians today. The clerk reported having lodged with the Treasurer of the Union the sum of £43:17:4 proportion of Sanitary Officers' Salaries.

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 against the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe												
	Borriscarra												
	Coonard												
	Hollymount												
	Kilcommon												
	Newbrook												
	Rosslea												
PATRICK GRADY	Cong												
	Dalغان												
	Houndswood												
	Kilmaine												
	Neale												
	Shrule												
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinella												
	Ballyovey												
	Cappaghduff												
	Owenbrinn												
	Portroyal												
	TOTAL RATES												

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, - £ s. d. **33:1:6**

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ s. d. **22:15:3**

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - £ s. d. **2:11**

Average Cost in Infirmary, - £ s. d. **3 11 1/2**

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - £ s. d. **11:1**

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

1080 lbs. First Flour Bread	lbs. Pepper
„ „ Brown do.	20 „ Rice Bacon
260 „ „ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	„ „ Port Wine
Cwt. Oatmeal	1 „ Quarts Whiskey
„ „ Indian Meal	Bottles Brandy
1040 Quarts Sweet Milk	24 „ „ Porter
Cwts. Salt	Boxes Turf
1 1/2 lbs. Tea and Tobacco	12 lbs. Candles
50 „ „ Sugar	49 lbs. Soap
120 Eggs	2 lbs. Starch
6 lbs. Butter	14 lbs. Washing Soda
	1 lb. Blue

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 24th day of September 1858 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - -	£ s. d. 11:19:6
In Kind, - - - - -	2:15:-
Total, - - - - -	£ 14:14:6

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
257 No. I.	M. J. Tully 5.				Bt. forward				
258 No. II.	J. Gervoy 6.				No. X.				
259 No. III.	T. Hanahan 3.				No. XI.				
260 No. IV.	P. Grady 4.				No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Total		£ 18.			TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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 - - - - -

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account		Establishment Account		Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c. Account	Cattle Diseases	
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
261	Rep J. Treacy Captain				3-				
262	Rep J. Kenayne Do				15-				
263	M. Concanon Master Do				15-				
264	A. Byrne Station Do				815-				
265	J. O'Leary Smeater Do				815-				
266	K. Concanon Smeater Do				710-				
267	Brigdet J. Purkess Do				65-				
268	Kate Keys Do				65-				
269	D. Hession Pro. Do				210-				
270	E. McEgan Pro. Do				210-				
271	W. Regan night Do				7152				
272	R. J. Gwynn Ketch				6158				
273	M. Sheridan corr. fig.				210-				
274	M. G. Kelly Do				210-				
275	J. A. Walsh Do				210-				
276	W. Dorris Do				210-				
277	R. J. O'Donnell sweeping chimney				110-				
278	J. Hession keeping clocks in repair				126				
279	J. J. Mahony V.S. Salary							1710-	
280	J. Luane (Lactator) Sup ⁿ			315-					
281	P. Donnellan Lactator Salary	10-							
282	A. Brennan Do	10-							
283	J. Smith Do	10-							
284	J. Muldoon Do	10-							
285	W. O'Leary Do	10-							
286	J. Kenny Do	10-							
287	M. Fahy Do	10-							
288	R. O'Leary Do	10-							
289	C. Hendergast Do	10-							
290	J. Staunton Porter				315-				
300	B. Vassily Carver Do		10-						
301	J. Mulloy Plumber				710-				
302	R. O'Leary Med. Off. Salary				3210-				
303	J. Walsh ch. of Union	210-			27-		210-	710-	
304	M. J. Tully L. Off.				55-				
305	J. Garry L. Off.				815-				
306	J. Henckan Do				315-				
307	P. Grady Do				476				

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
 Number of successful cases:—
 The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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:—

General Order dated 15th September 1898 No. 40378-98. assessing a sum of £14996:8:3 upon the several Unions in Ireland under the provisions of the Diseases of Animals Act 1894

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 22nd September 1898 No. 40378/98.

enclosing therewith a copy of an Order assessing a sum of £14996:8:3 upon all the Unions in Ireland under the provisions of the Diseases of Animals Act 1894; that the sum of £62:19:0 $\frac{1}{2}$ is assessed upon Mullinobe Union.

£62.19.0

Letter from same dated 23rd September 1898. No. 41009. enclosing forms "I" and "II" under the Seed Supply Act 1898 to be filled up and returned thereon as soon as possible with a view to an

an early adjustment of the loans granted for the supply.

Letter from same dated 24th September 1898 No. 42375. directing that the amount of the salary of the Schoolmaster during the year ended in September 1897 viz: £35. be included for the purpose of recoupment in the Medical and Educational expenditure incurred by the Guardians during the current half year which will terminate on the 29th instant

Letter from same dated 23rd September 1898. Authorising the Governor and Company of the Bank of Ireland to pay to the Treasurer of the Union the sum of One Hundred and five Pounds 15/5 being the balance of the State (formerly Probate) Duty Grant for the year ended 31st March last.

Letter from same dated 26th September 1898 No. 39994. Stating that the claim of the Board of Guardians for recoupment of a sum of £17. in respect of abatements allowed to cash purchasers of Spraying Machines has been passed and that

and that the amount thereof would be claimed from the Irish Land Commission in pursuance of Section 4 (8) of the Seed Supply and Potato Spraying (Ireland) Act 1898.

Letter from same dated 26th September 1898. N^o 42375. acknowledging the receipt of a minute of the Board of Guardians of the 15th instant in reference to the claim of £5:5:0 for car hire incurred by him in conveying powder and fuses to the several relief works recently in operation in the Union and stating that they are not prepared to make any recoupment in respect of this item on the document purporting to be a voucher with the minutes.

Ordered: - that the clerk write to Mr Walsh to refund amount on hands

Letter from same dated 28th September 1898. N^o 42375. requesting that the Guardians will be so good as to instruct the Relieving Officers or some suitable persons to make the inquiry directed by section 3. sub-section 1. of the Infant Protection Act 1897.

Ordered

Ordered: - Referred back to former order.

Letter from same dated 28th September 1898. N^o 31228. requesting that they may be informed whether the question of the appointment of a paid Attendant for the Infirmary as recommended by the Inspector in his last half yearly Report has since been considered by the Guardians and whether the channels in the yard have yet been concreted.

Ordered: - ~~Deferred~~ The Master informed the Guardians that the channels of the yard ^{have been concreted.}
Letter from Miss Margaret Regan Infirmary Nurse requesting leave of absence for fourteen days from the 30th instant
Ordered: - leave granted. Probationer Nurse. Session to discharge her duties.

Letter from Kate Rielly a receipt of Out door Relief of which the following is a copy.

Larrowhall, Ballyglass
Rossec 28th Sept 1898.

To the Chairman
Ballinrobe Union

Sir.

I got no money from Mr. Garry.
Relieving

Relieving Officer of the Ballinroble
Union. since the 31st May last. I am
very much in need of relief.

I hope you will send him soon.

Your obedient Servant.

Kate Reilly.

Ordered: - That a copy of the letter be
put on ~~the~~ Minutes.

The several Tenders ^{for} advertised for
as directed in Minutes of the 15th in-
stant. Coal and Straw for the Work-
house. Having been opened and
considered. It was Resolved: - That
the following be accepted: -

Henry Henry,
38. High Street. Sligo.
150. tons. Best Wigan House Coal @ 22/4
per ton.

John Hyland

Cart. Caton Straw at 1/4 per

(See also Minutes of the Board of 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 _____ 189

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 29th day of September 1898

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair, J. C. O'Donnell

Other Guardians:—

J. W. Cunningham, J. P. Egan, S. Kearney J.P.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers 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:—

That the estimate be forwarded to the Contractors Messrs. P. A. Leslie & Co. directing them to supply the Medicines therein specified.

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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District	Cong Dispensary District	Hollymount Dispensary District
290	T. Staunton Porter Salary	1 10 -		
291	B. Swift. do. do.	1 10 -		
292	S. McQuinn Med. offr. do.	25 - -		
293	A. K. Blake do. do.	25 - -		
294	Sir R. B. Gosland Rent.	4 - -		
295	W. M. Burke Rent.			4 - -
296	M. Rossau Porter Salary			1 10 -
297	J. A. Mahon Med. offr. do.			25 - -
298	M. Sample do. do.		18 15 -	
299	E. Gallagher Porter do.		1 10 -	
300	B. Varrilly do. do.		1 10 -	

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 189

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 vacancy 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 Assessors 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, 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, or the Nuisance, Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):—

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 189

No _____ stating that

Letter from Mr. Sample, Medical Officer
Long. Dispensary District dated 23rd
September 1898. stating that the re-
pairs of the garden wall at his re-
sidence will cost £4. or £5. as a portion
of what is standing must necessarily
be taken down.

Ordered:— That Tenders be advertised
for.

[These Reports are
to be made up and
forwarded by the
Medical Officers to
the Board of Guar-
dians 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:—

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

No. of Cheques	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
			£	s.	d.
292	Ballinroole	E. McGuire new Offr of Health ^{Sal}	6	5	-
293	do.	A. K. Blake do do	6	5	-
297	Hollymount	M. Hurahan do do	6	5	-
298	Long	M. Sample do do	6	5	-
302	Union.	R. P. Mahon Com. Sanit. Offr. do	8	6	8
303	do.	J. Webb ex. do do	5	-	-
304	do.	M. J. Tully Sanit. Sub. Offr. do	1	6	3
305	do.	J. Garry do do	2	3	9
306	do.	T. Huchan do do	1	8	9
307	do.	P. Brady do do	3	15	-

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

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

BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Members:

Al. H. H. H. H.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the 6th day of October 1898

(Signed), *John Walsh*
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of October 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	579	138															
Temporary Buildings																	
Additional Workhouse	65	2															
Permanent Fever Hospital																	
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL	644	140															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			11	9	39	30	7	4	21	7	7	135					
Admitted during the Week,			12	3	1	1			1		2	20					
TOTAL			23	12	40	31	7	4	22	7	9	155					
Discharged during the Week,			14	2	2	1			1	1	1	22					
Died,																	
Total Discharged and Dead			14	2	2	1			1	1	1	22					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			9	10	38	30	7	4	21	6	8	133					
													In Work-house Hospital	In separate Wards			
													2	4			
													Total, 45	Total, 4			
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.																	
													Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
													No. Relieved during Week	11	1	2	14
													No. in Work-house at date	12			12
													No. at corresponding period last year, 138				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of October 1898, 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.	60	77	3	14	63	91	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	45	61	26	41	71	102	No. X.						
No. III.	12	14	1	2	13	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	44	61	3	3	47	64	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	161	203	33	60	194	273	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 19th day of October 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Alfred Stanton JP

Other Guardians:—

Colonel Blake, Esq. J. W. Cunningham

J. O'Connell, D. Hughes W. Whittledge

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(Signed), _____

Executive Sanitary Officer.

Printed by JOHN FALCONER, 53 Upper Sackville-street, Dublin.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2265 to No. 2281, 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 clerk reported having lodged with the Treasurer of the Union the sum of One Hundred and five pounds. 15/5. balance of Estate Duty spent to 31st March last.

£105:15:5

The clerk reported having lodged with the Treasurer of the Union the sum of Three pounds Eight Shillings and Ten pence received in repayment of Relief.

£3:8:10

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

£124: 17: 3
Paid during the Week

£368: 5: 3
And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was

£372: 3: 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 Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe													
	Borrisearra													
	Coonard													
	Hollymount													
	Kilcommon													
	Newbrook													
PATRICK GRADY	Rosslea													
	Cong													
	Dalغان													
	Houndswood													
	Kilmaine													
	Neale													
THOMAS HENAHAN	Shrule													
	Ballinchalla													
	Ballyovey													
	Cappaghduff													
	Owenbrim													
	Portroyal													
TOTAL RATES														

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ s. d. 22 : - : 4

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 18 : 16 : 11

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 3 : 3 : 4

Average Cost in Infirmary, : 4 : 3

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, : 1 : 2 : 5

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:—

1100 lbs. First Flour Bread	2 lbs. Pepper
„ „ Brown do.	„ „ Rice
2014 „ „ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	1 „ „ Port Wine
Cwt. Oatmeal	1 „ Quarts Whiskey
„ „ Indian Meal	Bottles Brandy
792 Quarts Sweet Milk	24 „ „ Porter
Cwts. Salt	14 Gallons Petroleum
1 1/2 lbs. Tobacco	12 lbs. Candles
50 „ „ Sugar	49 lbs. Soap
100 Eggs	3 lbs. Starch
6 lbs. Butter	14 lbs. Washing Soda
	1 lb 6 Plaster

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 13th day of October 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, £ 11 : 9 : 6
 In Kind, £ 2 : 16 : 6
 Total, £ 14 : 6 : -

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
308 No. I.	M. J. Tully H.				Bt. forward				
309 No. II.	J. Garry G				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.				
Total				£ 10.	TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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 - - - - -

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Supplies Account	Establishment Account	Police Account	Election, Law, &c. Account	Seed Soap &c.	Regn. Exp.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
310	E. Donnellon Bread &c.	25 5 6							
311	D. Higgins, milk &c.	28 14 2							
312	J. May, milk	18 6							
313	T. Donnellon Tea sugar	9 18 5							
314	M. Moran meat	37 19							
315	A. McBride Coal	15 1							
316	F. Kichelley Dr.	10 7 6							
317	P. Fair, tobacco	5 13 11							
318	J. Fitzpatrick soap	3 8 6							
319	P. Menehan butter	3 4 11							
320	G. Tierney, mahon Nurses Training Inst. tuition for service of a Fever Nurse. Supn				3 1				
321	J. Mahon (late Master)			3 15					
322	The Genl. Advertiser Advertisements for "nurse"			1 3 6					
323	J. Sheridan Smith repairs			1					
324	The Master of the Workhouse to recon. hind payments made.			2 18					
325	The Com ^{rs} of Works balance Seed & van						16	1	
326	E. Donnellon, Utensils Farm Seeds, &c.			12 2 4					
327	A. R. Blake & Co. Fees			60 1 10					1 9 6
328	P. A. Lezie & Co. medicines								
329	all J. Tully for Coffins								
330	The Clerk of Union Petty Disbursements				4 12 3		16 6		
331	P. Bourley clothes for m ^{rs} Burns			3 0 0					

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
 Number of successful cases: Medical Officer
 The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

Gentlemen!

I beg to bring under your notice the fact that we have no nurse in the Workhouse at present who is capable of taking charge of a midwifery case during the hours of night duty. Miss Burke the day nurse understands the management of these cases and is of course willing to undertake the duty during the day but declines to do so at night and she cannot well be asked to do it as she is drawn off duty. I understand she would be willing to take charge of these cases at all times if she were suitably remunerated and it would be well if some arrangement was come to that we might have a capable nurse to assist.

I am Gentlemen
 your obedient servant
 B. B. Mahon
 6th October 1898

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

That the milk contractor had since the beginning of his contract on Friday last failed to supply beyond 8 1/2 gallons milk on any one day which obliged him to use bread and tea in the mornings in lieu of porridge meat soup for dinner, bread tea and eggs for supper and buy all the milk he could get.

The contractor appeared before the Board and informed the Guardians that he had made arrangements which would ensure a full supply in future.

That he had lodged with the Treasurer of the Union the sum of £14:13:0 £11:17:0 being for pigs sold and £2:16:0 received from pay patients

That

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

That three children named Hackett, whose father is in England, and who were admitted on the pretence that their ^{father} who is living in the town, had deserted them are in the house.

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):—

Circulars

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 30th September 1898 No. 183-M-98.

transmitting a form to be filled in duplicate and returned them duly certified of expenses chargeable on the Parliamentary Grant for Medical and Educational expenditure during the half-year ended 29th September last.

Letter from same dated 5th October 1898 No. 44286, requesting that the Guardians will at their meeting on the 20th instant, after due notice to each Guardian, take into consideration the question of the appointment of a paid attendant

attendant for the Infirmary of the Workhouse.

The Clerk was directed to notify to each Guardian of the Union, that the question of the appointment of a paid attendant for the Infirmary of the Workhouse would be taken into consideration at their meeting on the 20th instant.

Letter from same dated 5th October 1898 No. 44412, stating that a cheque for £16.0.1— the amount of the of loans received by the Guardians in excess of their requirements ^{under the Seed Supply Act} should be forwarded to the Commissioners of Public Works, and the several Electoral Divisions credited with the amounts set forth in Column (H) of the Return on Form U. forwarded to the Local Government Board on the 29th ultimo.

Letter from Mr. M. Walsh Paymaster on the Relief Works recently in operation on the subject of his claim for £5.5.0. for Cart hire for the distribution of Powder re. to the several works. (Letter enclosed)

An Injunction Notice served on Relieving Officer Brady, at the suit of R. Vesey Stoney. V. John

John Connor of Killeevan in the Fed-
eral Division of Houndswood was
laid before the Board.

Ordered: - That the clerk deposit the
Notice with the Union records

Letter from Patrick McQuig late Gauger
on the Bohann Relief Works dated
29th September 1898. Stating that the
Paymaster had not yet paid him
3/9 balance of wages due to him.

Resolved: - That the clerk of the Union re-
fusing to vouch for the accuracy of
Mr. Walsh's account which account
has been furnished to the clerk of
the Union; the Board direct their
clerk to go into said accounts and
furnish to the Board and to Mr. Mich-
ael Walsh the account as revised by
him with any objection he may have
thereto.

Ordered: - That the clerk is hereby di-
rected to send to each Guardian
of the Union a notice for the purpose
of considering on this day fortnight
an increase of salary recommended
to be given to Miss Burke Infirmary

Nurse.

Nurse.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY,
the 13th day of October 1898

Signed, John Walsh
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 October 1898

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair, Alon^o Martyn J.P.

Other Guardians:—

Colonel Blake C.B. J. W. Cunningham

J. C. Donnellon J. Hughes W. Kettleidge J.P.

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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District	Cong Dispensary District	Hollymount Dispensary District
327	A. K. Blake. M.D. Vac ⁿ Fees	114-		
328	P. A. Leslie & Co Medicines	91 15 0		

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 189

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 vacancy 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, 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 29th September 1898, (vide subject)

"That the provision in Section 91. of the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1898 as to leases to Boards of Guardians for the purposes of the Dispensary Houses (Ireland) Act 1899. would come into operation on the 1st October 1898.

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 189

No _____ stating that

Read copy of minutes of proceedings of the Committee of Management of the Long Dispensary District at a Special Meeting held at Long Dispensary on Tuesday 5th October instant recommending the granting of a fortnight's leave of absence to the Medical Officer who applied for sick leave and produced a medical certificate and appointed Dr. R. B. Mahon to take charge of the District during the absence of Dr. Semple at the usual remuneration viz: - £3:3:0 a week.
Ordered: - Passed.

Ordered: - That the clerk be directed to inform the Board of works of the breach in the garden wall of the Long Dispensary Residence which was certified by their Inspector for payment.

[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:—

Gallinrobe No. 1.

4 Defaulters.

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

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 6th day of October 1898

PRESENT—In the Chair, Alex^r Martyn J.P.

Other Guardians:

Colonel Blake F.Z. J. W. Cunningham.

J. C. Donnellon G. Hughes W. Erskine

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 Officers' Report Book.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 13th day of October 1898

(Signed) John Walsh
Clerk of the Union.

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

No. of Cheques	District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
			£	s.	d.
332	Hollymount.	H. J. Allerton Contractor balance of Contract Hollymount. Sewerage	7	-	-

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

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

Similar Letter from same dated 3rd October 1898. N^o. 182. M. 98. requesting that there may be furnished with a return in duplicate showing the amounts which have been paid as salaries to the Sanitary Officers of the Union for the half year ended 29th September last

BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Members:

J. Mullon

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the 13th day of October 1898

(Signed), *John Walsh*
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of October 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURNS OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	579	131														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse	65	3														
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	644	134														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			9	10	38	30	7	4	21	6	8	132				
Admitted during the Week,			14	1	1				2	1		19				
TOTAL			23	11	39	30	7	4	23	7	8	152				
Discharged during the Week,			12	1	1				2	1		18				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead			12	1	1				2	1		18				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			10	10	38	30	7	4	21	6	8	134				

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of October 1898, 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.	60	84	3	7	63	91	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	46	63	26	44	72	104	No. X.						
No. III.	12	14	1	2	13	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	44	61	3	3	47	64	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	162	222	33	53	195	275	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the ___ day of ___ 189

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

There was no meeting of the Board of Guardians held, only two Guardians the Chairman and Mr. J. W. Cunningham attended.

(Signed) J. Walsh Clerk of Union
13th October 1898

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 13th day of October 1898

(Signed),

J. Walsh

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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 against the Guardians was — : :
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe												
	Borriscarra												
	Coonard												
	Hollymount												
	Kilcommon												
	Newbrook												
	Rosslea												
PATRICK GRADY	Cong												
	Dalغان												
	Honndswood												
	Kilmaine												
	Neale												
	Shrule												
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla												
	Ballyovey												
	Cappaghduff												
	Owenbrinn												
	Portroyal												
	TOTAL RATES												

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ 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:—

lbs. First Flour Bread	lbs. Pepper
„ Brown do.	„ Rice
„ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	„ Port Wine
Cwt. Oatmeal	Quarts Whiskey
„ Indian Meal	Bottles Brandy
Quarts Sweet Milk	„ Porter
Cwts. Salt	Boxes Turf
lbs. Tea	lbs. Candles
„ Sugar	lbs. Soap
Eggs	lbs. Starch
lbs. Butter	lbs. Washing Soda

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 189 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	s.	d.
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 and value respectively:—

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	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. forw'd					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c., Account			
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
Number of successful cases:—
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated _____

No. _____

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY,
the 20th day of October 1898

Signed, John Walsh
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 _____ 189

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair, *There was no meeting*

Other Guardians:—of the Board held today only two Guardians the Chairman and Mr. J. W. Cunningham attended.

*Signed John Walsh Clerk of Union
13th October 1898*

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 189

No. _____ stating that

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 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:—

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the 20th day of October 1898

(Signed), John Walsh

Executive Sanitary Officer.

BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Members:

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of October 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURNS OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	574	127														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse	65	3														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	644	130														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			10	10	38	30	7	4	21	6	8	134				
Admitted during the Week,			13	2	2	1		1				19				
TOTAL			23	12	40	31	7	5	21	6	8	153				
Discharged during the Week,			8	1	3						1	13				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead			8	1	3						1	13				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			15	11	37	31	7	5	21	6	7	140				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of October 1898, 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.	60	84	3	7	63	91	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	44	60	26	41	70	101	No. X.						
No. III.	12	14	1	2	13	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	44	61	3	3	47	64	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	160	219	33	53	193	272	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 20th day of October 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair, J. W. Cunningham, subsequently J. Del. Donnell

Other Guardians: Colonel Blake CB Colonel Knox Dr.

J. P. Egan. J. Jennings S. Kenny J. H.

Mark. O'Brien. Thomas Lonsdale

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 20th day of October 1898

(Signed), John Walsh

Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2304 to No. 3222 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. 7048 to No. 7055 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

The Clerk informed the Guardians that he was unable to complete the Out-door Relief Return for week ended the 15th instant. Relieving Officers Garry and Pully, not having submitted their weekly accounts for examination—

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 £ 478:6 11
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of against the Guardians was £ 106:3 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 during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe												
	Borriscarra												
	Coonard												
	Hollymount												
	Kilcommon												
	Newbrook												
PATRICK GRADY	Rosslea												
	Cong												
	Dalغان												
	Houndswood												
	Kilmaine												
	Neale												
THOMAS HENAHAN	Shrule												
	Ballinchalla												
	Ballyovey												
	Cappaghduff												
	Owenbrinn												
	Portroyal												
	TOTAL RATES												

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, -

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:—

900. lbs. First Flour Bread	lbs. Pepper
„ „ Brown do.	„ „ Rice
180. „ „ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	„ „ Port Wine
Cwt. Oatmeal	1 1/2 Quarts Whiskey
„ „ Indian Meal	1 1/2 lbs Brandy
840. Quarts Sweet Milk	30. „ „ Porter
Cwts. Salt	Boxes Turf
140. lbs. Tea	17 lbs. Candles
50. „ „ Sugar	lbs. Soap
100. Eggs	3 lbs. Starch
5 lbs. Butter	11 1/2 lbs. Washing Soda
	10. Blue

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 15th day of October 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	s.	d.
In Kind,			
Total,	£	28:16:6	

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
1 No. I.	M. J. Kelly	4			Bt. forward				
2 No. II.	J. Garry	6			No. X.				
3 No. IV.	P. Garry	7			No. XI.				
9 No. V.	M. J. Kelly	4			No. XII.				
10 No. VI.	J. Garry	8			No. XIII.				
No. VII.					No. XIV.				
No. VIII.					No. XV.				
No. IX.					No. XVI.				
Total		£ 27			No. XVII.				
Carried forward					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	9

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	33
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	160

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c., Account	Unpaid Bills &c.		
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
4	J. Hearn Kent. of Wharfedale Leaspool			2--						
5	G. C. Potter Innwaacc.							9-		
6	S. Lanny Kent. of Leaspool.							2--		
7	E. H. Guise Reg. Fees. for 50 Insane.						1--		3109	
8	Charles Clark & Co. for 50 Praying Machines supplied.							70-		

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
Number of successful cases:—
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

That the Workhouse horse died on the night of the 10th instant.

Ordered: To advertise for a good, strong working horse, age not to exceed six years.

That he bought five young pigs at a cost of £6.

Ordered:—Approved.

That the matron returned off leave of absence on the 12th instant and resumed her duties.

That a young man named Patrick Syden chargeable to Cwenbrinn Division was brought into the Workhouse by his father and admitted on the order of the R.C.

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

Relieving Officer: that his father says he is an idiot and wandered frequently from home; that since his admission he is watching an opportunity of getting away.

Ordered: that the milk contractor and his work be served with notice to-day that the master is directed to purchase milk in the market at the expense of the Contractor.

That he permitted Nurse Regan to absent herself for two days during the week in consequence of the death of a relative.

That as the full quantity of milk required is not yet being daily supplied he is obliged to use bread in lieu of stir about for the healthy inmates.

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 12th October 1898 No. H.33117.

Stating that they had received the Minutes of the Board of Guardians on the 6th instant containing an entry of a report from the Medical Officer of the Workhouse as to the necessity for a nurse to take charge of midwifery cases during the night and requesting that the Guardians would consider this matter at their special meeting and furnish the Board with a return of the number of births in the Workhouse during the twelve months ended 30th September 1898.

(Return herewith)

Letter.

Letter from same dated 19th October 1898 No. H.4286. stating that the Guardians are bound to take steps to ascertain whether there are any persons in the Union who receive or retain infants for hire within the meaning of the Infant Life Protection Act 1897.

Ordered:—that the Guardians be kept informed the Local Government Board that there are no such cases in this Union.

Circular letter from same dated 13th October 1898 No. 193. H. 98. requesting to be forwarded in duplicate the usual Return of Officers re. for the ensuing year.

Ordered:—that the Guardians having considered the application of Nurse Burke for an increase of salary in connection with the recommendation of the Medical Officer of the Workhouse in his report on the 6th instant recommend an increase in her salary by £5. a year and a remuneration of 10/- for each case of midwifery in the Hospital.

Ordered:—that the clerk be directed to advertise

Ballymore Union - Relief Works 1898.

Clerk of Union's account -

Dr

April 21 st	To Cheque on Treasurer.	85	-
28 th	To " " "	60	
May 5 th	To " " "	25	
12 th	To " " "	40	
19	To " " "	70	
26	To " " "	70	
June 2 nd	To " " "	70	
9	To " " "	70	
16	To " " "	70	
23	To " " "	80	
30	To " " "	80	
July 7	To " " "	80	
14	To " " "	70	
21	To " " "	65	
28	To " " "	12	-
		<u>£947</u>	-

Cr

Week ended Apr 23	By payments as per receipts	411	19
" " 30	By " " "	48	11
" " May 7	By " " "	50	13 9
" " 14	By " " "	60	16
" " 21	By " " "	48	8 5
" " 28	By " " "	70	12 3
" " June 4	By " " "	76	17 6
" " 11	By " " "	64	9 9
" " 18	By " " "	86	1 5
" " 25	By " " "	88	3 8
" " July 2	By " " "	73	2 -
" " 9	By " " "	87	1 6
" " 16	By " " "	73	11 1
" " 23	By " " "	56	2 8
" " 30	By " " "	18	3 11
" " August 6	By Balance due by Paymaster.	2	10 6
		<u>£947</u>	-

Paymaster's account -

Dr

April 21 st	To Cheque on Treasurer.	85
28	To " " "	60
May 5	To " " "	25
12	To " " "	40
19	To " " "	70
26	To " " "	70
June 2	To " " "	70
9	To " " "	70
16	To " " "	70
25	To " " "	80
30	To " " "	80
July 7	To " " "	80
14	To " " "	70
21	To " " "	65
28	To " " "	12
August 6	To Balance	18 3 1/2
		<u>£947 18 3 1/2</u>

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April 23	By payments.	411	19
30	By " " "	48	11
May 7	By " " "	53	10 8
14	By " " "	57	14 -
21	By " " "	48	10 3
28	By " " "	70	12 3
June 4	By " " "	76	17 6
11	By " " "	64	9 9
18	By " " "	86	1 9
25	By " " "	88	5 10
July 2	By " " "	73	2 -
9	By " " "	87	7 6 1/2
16	By " " "	73	11 1
23	By " " "	56	2 8
30	By " " "	18	3 11
August 6 th	By " " "	2	10 -
		<u>£947 18 3 1/2</u>	

Ordered: - That the Board consider that Mr. Walsh, Paymaster and Supervisor of the late Dist. Works in the Mountain Division is entitled to the amount sanctioned for carriage of powder, and request that the Local Government

mnt. Board. will be pleased to sanction the amount claimed.

Proposed by Mr. John Sennings.
seconded by Mr. Thomas Conroy.
"That we the Ballinrobe Board of Guardians hereby condemn in the strongest manner the action of the Authorities in proclaiming the United Irish League Meeting announced to be held in Ballinrobe on Sunday the 16th October.

Amendment.

Proposed by Colonel Knox.
seconded by Mr. C. B. Henry.
"That the Board declines to consider the resolution handed in by Mr. Sennings until notice of motion is given."

The Board divided when five Guardians voted for and four against the amendment.

Notice of Motion.

I hereby give notice that on this day fortnight I will move that the Ball-

inrobe Board of Guardians hereby condemn in the strongest manner the action of the authorities in proclaiming the United Irish League Meeting announced to be held in Ballinrobe on Sunday 16th October.

(See also Minutes of the Board of 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 _____ 189

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

BALLINROBE UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 20th day of October 1898

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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 Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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 The Local Government Board dated 12th October 1898
No. 45311 ~~saying that~~

expressing their sanction to the remuneration of £3:3:0. a week proposed to be allowed to Dr Mahon for his services as temporary substitute for Dr. Sample Medical Officer of the Long Dispensary District under the circumstances stated in the Minutes of the 6th instant.

[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:—

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT—*In the Chair,*

Other Guardians:

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
	<i>Ballinrobe Dr McQuire</i>		<i>Recommending that a suitable railing be immediately constructed and erected on the Western Margin of the Ballinrobe Canal.</i>

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

BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Members:

Alfred Martin

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the *27th* day of *October* 189*8*

(Signed), *John Walsh*
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of October 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	579															
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse	65															
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds																
TOTAL,	644															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			15	11	37	31	7	5	21	6	7	140				
Admitted during the Week,			22	2	3	1		1	1			28				
TOTAL,			37	13	40	32	7	6	22	6	7	168				
Discharged during the Week,			18	2	2	1						23				
Died,												1				
Total Discharged and Dead			18	2	2	1						24				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			19	9	37	31	7	6	22	6	7	144				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of October 1895, 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.	60	84	3	7	63	91	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	45	62	26	41	71	103	No. X.						
No. III.	12	14	1	2	13	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	44	61	3	4	47	65	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	161	221	33	54	194	275	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 27th day of October 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Alfred McCartan J.P.

Other Guardians:—

J. C. Donnellon J. W. Cunningham
S. Kenny J.P. J. Hughes & Conroy

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(Signed), _____

The Workhouse Ledger was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2323 to No. 2324, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Ledger 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

Baid during the Week

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of ~~the~~ the Guardians

was (includes Relief works) £270 : 12 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe												
	Borriscarra												
	Coonard												
	Hollymount												
	Kilcommon												
	Newbrook												
	Rosslea												
PATRICK GRADY	Cong												
	Dalغان												
	Houndswood												
	Kilmaine												
	Neale												
	Shrule												
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballincharra												
	Ballyovey												
	Cappaghduff												
	Owenbrinn												
	Portroyal												
	TOTAL RATES												

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ . . . was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, - £ s. d. 17.19.1

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ s. d. 22.18.10

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - £ s. d. 2.9

Average Cost in Infirmary, - £ s. d. 3.10.4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - £ s. d. 8.1.

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

900 lbs. First Flour Bread	1 1/2 lbs. Pepper tobacco.
20 " Brown do Bacon	" Rice
180 " Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	1 " Port Wine
Cwt. Oatmeal	1 Quarts Whiskey
" Indian Meal	Bottles Brandy
792 Quarts Sweet Milk	30 " Porter
Cwts. Salt	Boxes Turf
11 lbs. Tea	lbs. Candles
50 " Sugar	49 lbs. Soap
120 Eggs	2 lbs. Starch
5 lbs. Butter	14 lbs. Washing Soda
	1 lb. Blue

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 22nd day of October 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - -	£ s. d. 11.19.6
In Kind, - - - - -	2.2.-
Total, - - - - -	£ 14.1.6

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 and value respectively:—

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
11	No. I. H. J. Gully 5.										
12	No. II. J. Garry 6										
13	No. III. P. Grady 7										
	No. IV.										
	No. V.										
	No. VI.										
	No. VII.										
	No. VIII.										
	No. IX.										
	Total										
	By 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.

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 - - - - -

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c., Account				
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
 Number of successful cases:—
 The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

That Mr. Cunningham of the Commercial Hotel Ballinacree, applied for a school girl named Mary Faragher to get to service to her. The girl is strong and healthy and willing to go.
 Ordered:— Granted, and an out fit allowed at a cost not exceeding 30/- that he had to employ a horse and driver for the ambulance twice during the week for the removal of patients
 That Mr. R. C. Lynch visited and inspected the Workhouse on yesterday.
 That the Contractor supplied the amount of coal contracted for:

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 24th October 1898
No. 191. M. 99.

requesting that they may be furnished with returns (1) showing the receipts and expenditure of the Union during each of the half years ended 25th March 1898 and 29th September 1898, respectively under the several heads therein set forth, and (2) the number of persons who received relief during the year ended the latter date.

Letter from same dated 26th October 1898
No. 47915. transmitting for questions

to be signed by the clerk and the person who may be appointed as paid attendant in the Infirmary of the Workhouse

Letter from same dated 26th October 1898. No. 47915. requesting that Relieving Officers Garry and Tully may be called on for explanations in writing as to their failure to attend at the Workhouse ^{for the purpose of} their books ordered:— that Tully and Garry be requested to furnish explanations in ^{to be read} writing on next Board day.

Letter from same dated 26th October 1898 ^{of 11/10/98} stating that they have instructed their Inspector Mr. Lynch to hold an Inquiry ^{in writing} on oath regarding the administration of outdoor relief by Mr. John Garry, Relieving officer of the Union.

The following is a copy of the Auditor's remarks at foot of Balance Sheet in Union's Ledger for half year ended 25th March 1898:—

"I have examined the above account
and

and compared same with the books
and vouchers of the union and
found them to agree and to be
correct.

L. Wynne Auditor.
27. 10. 98.

Ordered:- That we hereby adopt the
resolution of the Board of Guardians
of the Tipperary union
passed at their meeting of the
11th inst. on the subject of the
unity of all sections of Irish
Nationalists.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 3rd day of November 1898

Signed, John Walsh
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 _____ 189

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,*

Other Guardians :—

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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District			Cong Dispensary District			Hollymount Dispensary District		

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 189 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189 _____

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 vacancy 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, 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, or the Nuisances, Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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 The Local Govt Board dated 22nd Oct 1898
No 192. H.M.S.

requesting that they may be furnished with a return showing the expenses of each Dispensary District in the Union during the year ended 29th September 1898.

Ordered:— That we hereby accept the Tender of Mr. Michael Madron of Cross for the repairs of a breach in the garden wall of the Dispensary Residence at Long advertised for as directed in minutes of the 29th ultimo for the sum of Three Pounds

[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:—

BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Members:

McCartan

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the 3rd day of November 1898

(Signed), *John Walsh*
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of October 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	579	137														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse	65	8														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	644	145														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	19	9	37	31	7	6	22	6	7	11	4	144	In Workhouse Hospital } 40	In separate Wards } -		
Admitted during the Week,	14	4	2	1	2	1	2	1	4	3	1	31	In Fever Hospital } 8	In Wards with other inmates } 4		
TOTAL	33	13	39	32	9	7	24	7	11	11	15	175	Total	48	Total	4
Discharged during the Week,	20	1	3	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	29	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Died,												1	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead	20	1	4	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	30	No. Relieved during Week } 12	-	-	12
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	13	12	35	32	7	5	23	7	11	11	11	145	No. in Workhouse at date } -	-	-	-
													No. at corresponding period last year, 145			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of October 1898, 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.	59	82	4	8	63	90	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	15	62	26	41	71	103	No. X.						
No. III.	13	14	1	2	14	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	42	60	3	3	46	63	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	160	219	34	54	194	273	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 3rd day of November 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Alexr. Martyn J.P.

Other Guardians:—

*J. W. Cunningham M. O'Brien, J. Garvey
J. C. Somellon, J. O'Boyle, James Jennings
John Jennings P. O'Boyle W. E. Rutledge J.P.
Michael Ferricks Thomas Barry*

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(Signed), _____

Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2351 to No. 2382 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 Clerk reported having lodged with the Treasurer of the union the sum of Four Pounds three Shillings and six pence, received for Hay and after grass 3: 1: - and old Pump Hollymount 1: 2: 6

£4: 3: 6

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

Baid during the Week £ 4 : 3 : 6
 And that the Balance on the Account ~~in favour~~ of against the Guardians was £ 96 : 14 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £ 363 : 3 : 7

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe													
	Borriscarra													
	Coonard													
	Hollymount													
	Kilcommon													
	Newbrook													
PATRICK GRADY	Rosslea													
	Cong													
	Dalgar													
	Houndswood													
	Kilmaine													
	Neale													
THOMAS HENAHAN	Shrule													
	Ballinchalla													
	Ballyovey													
	Cappaghduff													
	Owenbrinn													
	Portroyal													
	TOTAL RATES													

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, -

£ s. d.
142:11:2

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -

23:14:6

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -

2:9:7

Average Cost in Infirmary, -

3:10

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, -

5:8

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

910 lbs. First Flour Bread	2 lbs. Pepper
„ „ Brown do.	„ „ Rice
208 „ „ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	1 „ „ Port Wine
Cwt. Oatmeal	1/2 Quarts Whiskey
„ „ Indian Meal	Bottles Brandy
864 Quarts Sweet Milk	24 „ „ Porter
Cwts. Salt	Boxes Turf
1 1/2 lbs. Tobacco	18 lbs. Candles
50 „ „ Sugar	49 lbs. Soap
120 Eggs	2 lbs. Starch
5 lbs. Butter	14 lbs. Washing Soda
	1 lb. Blue

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 29th day of October 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - - £ 11 13: -
In Kind, - - - - - 2: 14: 6
Total, - - - - - £ 13 17: 6

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
14	No. I. M. J. Kelly H.				Bt. forward				
15	No. II. J. Garry G.				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.				
	Total				TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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 - - - - -

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c. Account	Repair
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
16.	Wm. Murray Idenny Coal	172 7 1						
17.	J. Fullinane tailor repair		1 16 -					
18.	W. O'Donnell. Conveying inmates to N. House						1 15 -	
21.	The Govt of Ireland for Comrs P. Works instalment of Draft. 4 Loan						17 10 -	
22.	J. Gwynne on ac. milk 5 -							

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
 Number of successful cases:—
 The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

That acco the quantity of milk supplied by the Contractor is very much in excess of that supplied in previous weeks. he is ^{well} short of the full supply.

That he confined in the cell for 9 hours an inmate named James Beggins who absolutely refused to work for him on the 30th ultimo; that Beggins had since taken his discharge Ordered:— Approved.

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 31st October 1898.
No. 47915.

Stating that application will shortly be made to the Irish Land Commission for payment of a sum of £7. to the Guardians in respect of abatements allowed by them to cash purchasers of Spraying Machines.

Circular Letter from same dated 2nd November 1898 d^o 28: M: 1898. Calling the attention of the Board of Guardians to section 49 (1) of the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1898 which requires that in determining the amount to be taken for the purposes of

of the Act as having been raised as Poor Rate off the agricultural land and off any other hereditaments respectively in the standard financial year, the Local Government Board shall take into account any exceptional circumstances which appear to them to have caused a variation from the average; that it appears that the amount of rate assessed for the standard financial year was in excess of the average assessment of three years ending with the standard year by £81, and requesting that in regard to this matter a special meeting of the Board of Guardians be convened for the consideration of this subject and that immediately after the meeting the Local Government Board be furnished with any observations the Guardians may offer which can assist the Board in determining their action under the section above referred to.
Ordered:— Consideration adjourned to the 8th December 1898. Notice to be given to each Guardian

Letter from Mr. John Lamy Receiver of Offices of which the following is a copy:—
Roundfort. Nov. 3rd 1898.

Gentlemen

In compliance with the order.

order made on last Board day with reference to my attendance. I beg leave to state that I had to attend at Ballywellan. Kilcommon Electoral Division to visit a provisional case. I was also tested as a witness to attend the Ballinrobe sessions for three days.

I am
Your obedient servant
John Garry. R.C.

Ordered:- That Mr. Tully Relieving officer has again absented himself from attending this Board and has failed to send his explanation for not attending for examination of his books.

Ejection notices served on Relieving officer Grady at the suit of Mrs. Margaret Higgins v. Patrick Flood and Thomas Higgins of Ballynally and Patrick and Thomas Samuella of Bunafolin town were laid before the Board.

Ordered:- That the notices be deposited with the union records.

Proceedings relative to the appointment of a wardswoman advertised for as directed in.

in minutes of the 20th ultimo.

There were four applicants for the office viz:- Kate Egan, Margaret Bulger, Mary Connolly, Julia Abnam.

Proposed by the Chairman
Seconded by Mr. J. O'Connell
That Margaret Bulger be appointed paid attendant for the Infirmary of the Workhouse.

Proposed by Mr. John Jennings.
Seconded by Mr.
That Kate Egan be appointed to the office.

The Board divided on the question when six Guardians voted for Kate Egan and five Guardians voted for Margaret Bulger. One Guardian declined to vote. Kate Egan was therefore declared ^{and appointed} at a salary at the rate of £10 a year and rations consisting of:- 10½ lbs. Bread. 3 lbs. meat. 4 lb. tea 1 lb. sugar. 7 pints milk weekly.

Ordered:- That the consideration of the application of the Poor Rate Collectors for increased remuneration for the collection of the current rate be adjourned until the collection is completed.

Pursuant.

Pursuant to notice.

Proposed by Mr. John Lennings
seconded by Mr. Michael Fenick.

"That we the Ballinrobe Board of Guardians hereby condemn in the strongest manner the action of the Authorities in Proclaiming the United Irish League Meeting announced to be held in Ballinrobe on Sunday 16th October".

The Board divided on the question when nine Guardians voted for and three Guardians against: the resolution was declared carried by a majority of six votes.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY,
the 10th day of November 1898

Signed, John Walsh
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 9th day of November 1898

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Alexander Montagu Esq

Other Guardians:—

J. W. Cunningham M. O'Brien, J. Garvey, J. Hughes

J. O'Connell, W. E. Rutledge Esq, P. O'Boyle

James Jennings, M. Feenick, P. O'Boyle, J. Conway

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 Ballinrobe No. 1
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 29th Sept 1898,
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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District	Cong Dispensary District	Hollymount Dispensary District
19.	St Edw ^s M ^r Linnac Vac ⁿ Fees	416 -		
20.	B. McDermott Kent. Vac ⁿ St ⁿ	10 -		

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1855.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

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 vacancy 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, 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, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):—

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 189

No _____ stating that

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

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

Ballinroche n^o 2

95 defaulters

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

That the Medical Officer do forward the usual post. Card notices directing that parents of the children to comply with the law.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 10th day of November 1898

(Signed) John Walsh
Clerk of the Union.

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 3rd day of November 1898

PRESENT—In the Chair, Alexander Martyn JP.

Other Guardians:

J. W. Cunningham Mc. Brian J. Garvey

J. W. Donnellon W. E. Rutledge W. P. Keogh

J. Hughes James Lammings John Lammings

Michael Feenick Thomas Conroy

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
<u>Ballinrobe</u>	<u>Mr. A. K. Blake</u>		<u>Recommending the lime washing of a number of houses in his district.</u>

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

BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Members:

Alen Martyn

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the *10th* day of *November* 1898

(Signed), *John Nabs*
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of October 1898

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						Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls						Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	579	235														
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Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			13	12	35	32	7	5	23	7	11	14	2			
Admitted during the Week,			14		2	2							18			
TOTAL			27	12	37	34	7	5	23	7	11	16	3			
Discharged during the Week,			12	1	3				1	1	1	1	19			
Died,					1											
Total Discharged and Dead			12	1	3				1	1	1	1	20			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			15	11	34	34	7	4	22	6	10	14	2			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of November 1898, 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.	53	77	4	8	57	85	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	58	79	11	22	69	101	No. X.						
No. III.	13	14	1	2	14	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	43	60	3	3	46	63	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	167	220	19	35	186	255	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 10th day of November 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Alexander Martyn J.P.*

Other Guardians:—
Mr. O'Brien, J. Dooley, W. Cunningham
Mr. Ferris, J. O'Connell

Mr. R. C. Lynch & G. Inspector was present.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(Signed), _____ Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from Nos. 2382 to 2394 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from Nos. 7053 to 7057 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:—

That on Monday the 31st ultimo, he handed Relieving Officer Lully 62 books, containing 806. vouchers for recipients of out-door relief, in his district, to be handed by him, to the persons named:— that on the 4th instant, 29. of these books, were handed to his (the Clerk's) assistant, by an old man, named Henry Mellott, that on Saturday the 5th instant, Mr. Lully asked him for the books, which he (the Clerk) refused, and now awaited the Guardians' directions.

Ordered:— That Relieving Officer Lully be requested to send in his explanation to this charge, and that we direct the Clerk to hand Mr. Lully the voucher books.

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 £ 195 : 18 : 1
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of against the Guardians was £ 559 : 1 : 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 during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe												
	Borrisearra												
	Coonard												
	Hollymount												
	Kilcommon												
	Newbrook												
	Roslea												
PATRICK GRADY	Cong												
	Dalgan												
	Houndswood												
	Kilmaine												
	Neale												
	Shrule												
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla												
	Ballyovey												
	Cappaghduff												
	Owenbrinn												
	Portroyal												
	TOTAL RATES												

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, - £ s. d. 18 : 3 : 7

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 23 : 1 : 3

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - : 2 : 9½

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 3 : 10½

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 5 : 7½

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:—

900. lbs. First Flour Bread	1½ lbs. Pepper tobacco
„ „ Brown do.	„ „ Rice
200. „ „ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	2 „ „ Port Wine
6 Cwt. Oatmeal	1 Quarts Whiskey
„ „ Indian Meal	87 Gallons Petroleum
848 Quarts Sweet Milk	18 „ „ Porter
Cwts. Salt	Boxes Turf
26 lbs. Tea Bacon	18 lbs. Candles
50 „ „ Sugar	49 lbs. Soap
100 Eggs	3 lbs. Starch
5 lbs. Butter	14 lbs. Washing Soda
	1 lb. Blue

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of November 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - -	£ s. d. 11 : 0 : 0
In Kind, - - - - -	2 : 1 : 0
Total, - - - - -	£ 13 : 1 : 0

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
23	No. I. M. J. Tully H				Bt. forward				
24	No. II. J. Garrahy G				No. X.				
	No. III.				No. XI.				
25	No. IV. P. Grady 7				No. XII.				
	No. V.				No. XIII.				
	No. VI.				No. XIV.				
	No. VII.				No. XV.				
	No. VIII.				No. XVI.				
	No. IX.				No. XVII.				
	Total Car. forward	£ 17			TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.
Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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 - - - - -

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account			Clothing Account			Maintenance in Asylums Account			Establishment Account			Workhouse Burial Account			Election, Law, &c., Account		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
26	E. Donnellon Bread	25	16	6															
27	P. Conno tea &c.	3	19	2															
28	J. Donnellon Bacon	2	3	9															
29	P. Baynor milk	5	12	11															
30	J. Donnellon Utensils							8	9	6									
31	J. O'Connell Sawd.							2	7	6									

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
 Number of successful cases: *Medical Officer*
 The Report of the ~~Committee~~ *Medical Officer* was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

Stating in reply, to the letter of the Local Government Board, respecting the appointment of Kate Egan, as paid attendant to the Infirmary of the Workhouse, that her duties are, cleaning and washing of floors, and rooms, laundry work, attending to fires, and other rough work, and that she appears to be fitted for such duties.
 That he requires the assistance of another Doctor to administer an anaesthetic in an operation required in the case of a patient in the Workhouse Infirmary named Cook.
 Ordered:— Allowed.

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

That during the week he admitted some lodgers, whom he considered destitute though they had no tickets for admission. That they stated they could not see the Relieving Officer and were directed to him. (the master)
 That the milk is not being delivered early enough in the morning; that up to 9.30 on Sunday last only 44 gallons were supplied; that if this is repeated he must again use bread and tea in lieu of shraout for the healthy.
 Ordered:— That if after this week the ~~Relieving~~ *Contractor* fails to supply the full quantity of milk required he (the Contractor) and his sureties be proceeded

Ordered:— That the Relieving Officer in his explanation

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

Proceeded against.

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 3rd November 1898
No. 47915

Stating that they are not prepared to recoup any portion, of any sum, paid for conveying powder &c. to the relief works, which were in operation in the Union, but that the Board will raise no objection to the Guardians paying from the rates, the sum claimed by the Paymaster if the Guardians are of opinion that Mr. Walsh is entitled to be paid the amount of his account.

Letter from same dated 7th November 1898, No. 47915, referring to an entry in Minutes of the Board of Guardians on the 20th, ultimo, respecting the proposal to increase the salary
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of Bridget J. Burke, nurse in the Infirmary of the Workhouse, and stating that they feel it necessary to adhere to the general practise, adopted by them since the passing into law of the Local Government Act, of deferring the question of approving of any proposals to increase the salaries, of existing officers, until such proposals, are made by the new bodies, so soon to be entrusted with the control of the expenditure of the rates.

Letter from same dated 8th November 1898, No. 50236, requesting that the Guardians would obtain a report from the Medical Officer as to the nature of the duties to be discharged by Kate Egan who has been appointed as paid attendant, in the Infirmary of the Workhouse, and of her fitness for the office.
(see Medical Officer's Report)

Letter from same dated 8th November 1898, No. 50241, requesting that they may be informed what steps the Guardians, propose to take with respect to the failure of the contractor to supply the full quantity of milk to the Workhouse, contracted for, by him.
(see order. orr Master's Report)

Letter from same dated 8th November 1898, No. 50,241, requesting that Relieving Officer Tully be called upon to explain in writing, before the termination of the Guardians' meeting
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on the 10th instant, his failure to attend for the examination of his books on the 3rd instant and also his failure to furnish the explanation called for in the Board's letter of the 26th ultimo.

Circular Letter from same dated 8th November, 1898 N^o. 215 M, 1898, forwarding copy of a Memorandum which they have prepared for the guidance of Boards of Guardians, and their Officers with a view to preventing as far as possible complications, and difficulties, in the Union accounts, at the close of the current half year when the provisions of the Local Government (Ireland) Act, come into operation as regards Boards of Guardians, and Rural Districts.

The following explanations from Relieving Officer Jully were read.

Ballinrobe 3rd November 1898.

Gentlemen

In compliance with the request of the Local Government Board, as to my failure to attend at the Board-room on the Mondays mentioned, I beg to explain, that at the request of Mr S. Conroy, P.D.G. I visited two urgent provisional cases in the Neale Division on those dates. This I stated in the Board-room at the following meeting, Mr Conroy being present, and corroborating me. The Guardians on that day accepted my verbal explanation
as

as satisfactory.

I am, Gentlemen

Your obedient servant

Martin J. Jully, R.O.

Ballinrobe 10th November 1898,

Gentlemen

On this day-week the 3rd instant I had prepared, the accompanying explanation as directed. I was downstairs when I was handed a certificate from Dr Mc Guire, requiring me to attend forthwith, a provisional case at Kilkeeran about 1½ miles from town. I immediately attended it, expecting to be back before the Board rose, but was unable to do so. The woman (Mrs Sheridan) was very weak and I had to go to town to get the necessary nourishment for her. I beg to submit the Doctor's certificate.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant

Martin J. Jully, R.O.

An estimate of medicines &c, required by the Medical Officer of the Workhouse, was laid before the Board, and directions were given that the estimate be forwarded the contractors, directing them to supply the medicines therein specified.

Ordered:— That the Board request the Treasurer
to

to advance an overdraft up to £1000.

Ordered:— That in all cases of relief provisionally, given by the Relieving Officers, the amount of payments made and charged, be supported by the receipts of those, from whom they were purchased, and pinned to the Relieving Officers books.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY,
the 17th day of November 1898

Signed,

J. W. Ash

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 10th day of November 1898

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair, Alon. Martyn J.P.

Other Guardians:—

W. Brown. John Dooley.

J. W. Cunningham W. Feenck

John C. Donnellon.

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 1899

No _____ stating that

Read Minutes of Proceedings of the Committee of Management of the Long Dispensary District dated 2nd November 1898 from which it appeared that Dr. Sample applied for and was granted leave of absence and that Dr. Hegarty of Clonbur was appointed to discharge the duties of Medical Officer of the Long Dispensary District at a remuneration of £3:3:0 a week. (Copy of Medical Certificate enclosed)
Ordered:— Approved.

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 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:—

BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Members:

Alfred Hartger

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the *17th* day of *November* 189*8*

(Signed), *John Walsh*
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of November 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	579	137												
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse	65	7												
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	644	144												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			15	11	34	34	7	4	22	6	10	14		
Admitted during the Week,			12	1	2			1	1					
TOTAL	27	12	36	34	7	5	23	6	10	16	10	14		
Discharged during the Week,			16	1	1			2						
Died,														
Total Discharged and Dead			16	1	1			2						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			11	11	35	33	7	5	24	6	10	13		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of November 1898, 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.	59	83	4	8	63	91	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	58	79			58	79	No. X.						
No. III.	13	14	1	2	14	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	43	60	3	3	46	63	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	173	236	8	13	181	249	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 17th day of November 1898.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

Alex. Martyn J.P.
 S. Kenny J.P. Patrick Boyle
 J. W. Cunningham W. S. Rutledge J.P.
 Michael Feenick John Ryan.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(Signed), _____

Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2400 to No. 2410 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 ———— £ 65 : 18 : 7
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of ~~the~~ the Guardians was ———— £ 125 : — : 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 Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe												
	Borriscarra												
	Coonard												
	Hollymount												
	Kilcommon												
	Newbrook												
	Rosslea												
PATRICK GRADY	Cong												
	Dalgan												
	Houndswood												
	Kilmaine												
	Neale												
	Shrule												
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla												
	Ballyovey												
	Cappaghduff												
	Owenbrinn												
	Portroyal												
	TOTAL RATES												

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ s. d. 22:18:10

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ s. d. 25:16:10

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ s. d. 3:1½

Average Cost in Infirmary, £ s. d. 4:13½

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, £ s. d. 8:11

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

892. lbs. First Flour Bread	1½ lbs. Pepper tobacco
176 „ „ Brown do.	„ „ Rice
150 „ „ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	2 „ „ Port Wine
Cwt. Oatmeal	½ Quarts Whiskey
6 „ „ Indian Meal	Bottles Brandy
784 Quarts Sweet Milk	12 „ „ Porter
24 Cwts. Salt	Boxes Turf
50 lbs. Tea	18 lbs. Candles
50 „ „ Sugar	lbs. Soap
80 Eggs	3 lbs. Starch
4 lbs. Butter	14 lbs. Washing Soda

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of NOVEMBER 1848 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, £ s. d.	14:2:-
In Kind, £ s. d.	:16:-
Total, £ s. d.	14:18:-

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
32 No. I.	M. J. Kelly	4			Bt. forward				
33 No. II.	J. Gurney	6			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.				
Total		£ 10			TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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 _____

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account		Clothing Account		Maintenance in Asylums Account		Establishment Account		Workhouse Burial Account		Election, Law, &c., Account							
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
34	The Master of the Workhouse for payments made	96.								8	11	10							
35	Dr. E. M. Guise assist- ing in an operation												22	-					
36	The B. of Ireland for Cart's P. Works mat. amount of hour																		
37	Dr. E. M. Guise																		

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The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
 Number of successful cases:—
 The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

- Submitting an estimate of clothing material required as under:—
- 20 Blankets.
 - 40 yards Frieze.
 - 200 yards Flannel.
 - 350 yards sheeting
 - 400 yards Shirting
 - 350 ~ Ambergal
 - 280 ~ Bengal Super
 - 60 ~ Corduroy
 - 160 ~ Drugget
 - 100 ~ Check
 - 40 ~ White Holland
 - 100 ~ Linn
 - 200 ~ Shantung Calico
 - 40 women's kerchiefs
 - 50 lbs worsted
 - 34 lbs white & black thread
 - 4 Shawls
 - 12 Men's caps
 - 70 ~ shoes
 - 12 ~ slippers
 - 15 Women's boots
 - 12 ~ slippers
 - 18 Boys' boots
 - 18 Girls' ~
 - 20 dozen Buttons

That.

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

That a contract might now be entered in to for a supply of potatoes to 1st May next as the potatoes grown on the Workhouse farm are now used.

Ordered:— That the clothing material, and a supply of potatoes to 1st May next be advertised for.

That Mrs Knox of Creagh send a large quantity of Apples, sweets and toys, and also a 1/2 dozen screens for the Hospital.

That the milk received during the week registered 9.3.

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 10th November 1898 No 50241.

Stating that as they do not wish to delay the consideration the consideration of the question of determining the basis of the Agricultural Grant they must request that the Guardians will be so good as to hold a special meeting not later than the 24th instant.

Ordered accordingly.

Letter from same dated 13th November 1898. No 50032 stating that they received

they received the half yearly report of their Inspector Mr Lynch on the Union the Workhouse of which he recently ^{visited} and the Board request that the ^{agreed} recommendations of the Inspector will be taken into consideration by the Guardians.

Ordered:— That the consideration of the letter of the Local Government Board No 50032 be adjourned to this day week, two members of the Visiting Committee, in the meantime, to report on the several matters referred to.

Letter from Miss Bridget J. Burke Head Nurse of the Infirmary of the Workhouse dated 17th November 1898 requesting leave of absence for three days and stating that the matron would discharge the duties gratuitously.

Ordered:— Granted.

Read Returning Officer Tully's explanation as directed by the Guardians at their meeting on the 10th instant and the Guardians' observations thereon (Copy forwarded the R. G. Board)

Ordered

Ordered:- That placards be posted throughout the district stating that the Guardians are desirous of purchasing a good strong working horse at a price not exceeding £15.

Proposed by Mr. Feenik
 Seconded by Mr. Ryan and
 Resolved:- That the clerk be directed to forward copies of the Resolution of this Board adopted at their meeting on the 3rd inst. ant. to the Chief Secretary for Ireland to all Boards of Guardians in Ireland and to the County Members of Parliament.

An eviction notice served on Reliving Officer Tully at the suit of Matthew Moran v. William and James Farnough of Ballinrobe was laid before the Board.

Ordered:- That the clerk deposit same with the Union records.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 24th day of November 1898

Signed John Walsh
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 17th day of November 1898 (SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair, Alexander Martijn JP

Other Guardians:—

J. Kanny JP Patrick Boyle

J. W. Cunningham M. E. Rutledge JP

H. Fenwick J. Ryan

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:—

That the Estimate be forwarded the Contractor directing them to supply the Medicines therein specified.

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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District	Cong Dispensary District	Hollymount Dispensary District
27	J. A. B. Turner Rent of Dish. & Plomb. &c.		3 15 -	

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 189

BALINROBE 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 vacancy 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, 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, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):—

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 1899

No. _____ stating that

At a special meeting of the Committee of Management of the Long Dispensary held at Long Dispensary on Tuesday 14th November 1898. It was resolved:— That as Dr. Simple was still unwell that Dr. E. McGuire be appointed to discharge the duties of Medical Officer of the District for one week at the usual remuneration of £3.3.0.

Ordered: Approved.

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 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:—

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 17th day of November 1898

PRESENT—In the Chair, Alex^r. Martyn J.P.

Other Guardians:

J. Kenny J.P.

P. Boyle.

J. W. Cunningham.

W. E. Russell J.P.

W. Feenick.

J. Ryan

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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(Signed) J. M. Walsh
Clerk of the Union.

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

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

No. of Cheques	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 following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, or others, were read, and directions given thereon as follows :—

[The page contains a large area of horizontal ruling lines for recording directions.]

BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Members:

Ally Martin

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the *24th* day of *November* 189*8*

(Signed), *J. M. Walsh*
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

525.187

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of November 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	579	139														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse	65	4														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds																
TOTAL,	644	143														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			11	11	35	33	7	5	21	6	10	139	In Workhouse Hospital } 36	In separate Wards } -		
Admitted during the Week,			9		3	1	1					15	In Fever Hospital } 4	In Wards with other inmates, } 2		
TOTAL,			20	11	38	34	8	6	21	6	10	154	Total, 40	Total, 2		
Discharged during the Week,			12		4	1						17				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead			12		4	1						17	No. Relieved during Week } 9		9	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			8	11	34	34	7	6	21	6	10	137	No. in Workhouse at date } -			
																No. at corresponding period last year, 149.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of November 1898, 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.	53	77	4	8	57	85	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	61	83			61	83	No. X.						
No. III.	12	14	1	2	13	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	43	60	3	3	46	63	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	169	234	8	13	177	247	TOTAL,						

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

the 24th day of November 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Alexander Martin J.P.

Other Guardians:—

Colonel Blake & B. J. Hughes

J. Dowley, J. Ryan, J. P. Egan

Mark O'Brien, J. W. Cunningham

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(Signed), _____

Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Ledger was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2417 to No. 2431, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Ledger 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 ———— £ 217 : 8 : 11

Paid during the Week ———— £ 29 : 18 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of against the Guardians was ———— £ 442 : 10 : —

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe	64	10	8				493	7	7			
	Borriscarra							65	1	7			
	Coonard	1	5	-				127	-	1			
	Hollymount	69	1	9				312	1	-			
	Kilcommon	23	8	5				206	6	-			
	Newbrook							121	-	11			
	Rosslea							46	12	10			
					158	5	10				1371	10	-
PATRICK GRADY	Cong	30	12	-				92	8	7			
	Dalغان	4	1	9				132	6	7			
	Houndswood	4	2	7				106	1	11			
	Kilmaine	3	14	11				209	15	10			
	Neale	11	11	10				142	15	8			
	Shrule							82	11	5			
					54	3	1				766	-	-
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla							59	10	5			
	Ballyovey							46	16	9			
	Cappaghduff							66	19	1			
	Owenbrinn							89	17	11			
	Portroyal							87	8	8			
					212	8	11				350	12	10
	TOTAL RATES										2488	2	10

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, - £ s. d. 21:14:1

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 23:17:11

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - : 2 10 3/4

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4:0 3/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 5:0 1/2

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

140. lbs. First Flour Bread	20 lbs. Pepper Bacon
„ „ Brown do.	„ „ Rice
160. „ „ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	3 „ „ Port Wine
6 Cwt. Oatmeal	1/2 Quarts Whiskey
„ „ Indian Meal	Bottles Brandy
840. Quarts Sweet Milk	12 „ „ Porter
Cwts. Salt	Boxes Turf
1 1/2 lbs. Tea	18 lbs. Candles
50 „ „ Sugar	lbs. Soap
80 Eggs	2 lbs. Starch
5 lbs. Butter	14 lbs. Washing Soda

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 19th day of November 1848 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - -	£ s. d. 12:3:-
In Kind, - - - - -	1:3:6
Total, - - - - -	£ 13:6:6

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 and value respectively:—

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
38	No. I. M. J. July 5				Bt. forward				
39	No. II. J. Garry 11				No. X.				
	No. III.				No. XI.				
40	No. IV. P. Brady 6				No. XII.				
	No. V.				No. XIII.				
	No. VI.				No. XIV.				
	No. VII.				No. XV.				
	No. VIII.				No. XVI.				
	No. IX.				No. XVII.				
	Total	£ 15			TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.
Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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	9
Ditto disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	6

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	8
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	168

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

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c., Account				
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
111	J. Hallman. Tailor Repairs		119-								
112	J. Clary. for 6 Wooden tubs.				119-						

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
Number of successful cases:—
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 15th November 1898
No. 205 M. 98

requesting that they may be furnished with returns showing (i) The number admitted in sickness and health, and the births and deaths during the year ended 29th September last. (ii) The number of sick persons treated in the Workhouse hospitals during the same year. (iii) The number of cases of vaccination during the year ended on the latter date.

Circular Letter from same dated 19th November 1898. No 225 M. 1898. requesting that

that the opinion of the Board of Guardians be furnished them relative to the remuneration to which their officers are entitled in respect of the additional services rendered by them in carrying into effect the Registration (Ireland) Act 1898. Ordered:— That the clerks furnish the Guardians with the necessary information by next Board day.

Letter from same dated 19th November 1898 No 50236. stating that they approve of the appointment of Kate Egan as Wardsmaid in the Infirmary of the Workhouse on the terms specified namely a salary of £10 a year and rations

Letter from same dated 23rd November 1898 No 52701. stating that they await Relieving Officer Tullis's explanation relative to the statement made by the master of the Workhouse as to the admission of tramps who were unable to obtain tickets from the Relieving Officer and that they request that at the same time, the Relieving Officer should explain the cause of the delay in complying with

with the Guardians' directions to furnish a statement in reference to this matter.

In reply to the foregoing believing officer. J. C. J. handed in the following explanation:-

"Gentlemen

I beg to state that it was an oversight on my part, owing to the length of the explanation furnished last Board day, not to have replied to the charge contained in the Master's report relative to the admission of lodgers without tickets during the preceding weeks. The Master and I compared his Admission Book with the tickets issued by me for that week with the result that on the 14th instant the only day in question 4 lodgers were admitted by the Master on tickets issued by me; three were not, and one of these Henry Herd of Cappaduff from R. Q. Hanahan's district. The other two arrived in town very late and when they called at my house I was not in, under the circumstances they were directed to the Master of the Workhouse and were admitted by him. The other lodgers in the Workhouse

house ^{part} were admitted on tickets issued by, as were all others on the previous and following days of that particular week".

I am Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant
Master J. C. J. J. C. J.

Dallmore 21st November 1898.

Letter from the Agent of the Bank of Ireland Dallmore dated 18th November 1898. stating that the Board would allow the Union Account to be overdrawn to the extent of £1000 until February next pending the collection of the rates.

Resolved: That in reply to the letter of the Local Government Board of the 2nd instant in which they ask to be furnished with the observations of the Guardians may offer as to why the amount of rate for the standard financial year exceeded by £81. the average assessment of the three years ending with the standard year, the Guardians wish to point out that at the close of the year 1893 there was a credit balance of £1152:11:10. and the Guardians considered that this balance could be best utilised in the interests of the ratepayers by causing it to be drawn on for.

for the reduction of the rates. Such was accordingly done, and therefore it is manifest that it would be most unjust to take the average of the three years mentioned as the standard on which the amount should be taken for the purposes of the Act. The Guardians however go further than this and beg to draw attention to the fact that the absolute expenditure for the last three years exceeded the receipts by £1013:16:8 an average of £337:16:8 a year, as the following will show.

Rates raised during that period	£9595:10:4
Parliamentary Grants and other receipts	3610:5:14
Total	£13205:15:8
the expenditure during the same period	£14220:12:4
leaving a deficit of	£1013:16:8

which was met by drawing on the balance above mentioned. The Guardians consider that in justice to the ratepayers of this Union this sum of £1013:16:8 should be added to the amount assessed for the previous three years. If this be done it will give an assessment of £4524:13:8 as the sum absolutely required to carry the Union through each year. The Guardians would therefore respectfully submit that the Agricultural Grant should be based on the absolute and necessary expenditure which they have now shown. The Guardians have always been most careful in keeping down all expenditure in the past; and now only ask for a just proportion of the grant, and

they

they trust the Local Government Board will recognize the honesty and fairness of their claim.

(See also Minutes of the Board of 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 _____ 189

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 _____ 189

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—*In the Chair,*

Other Guardians:—

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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District	Cong Dispensary District	Hollymount Dispensary District

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 189

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 vacancy 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 B 1 and B 2,) in pursuance of Article 29 of the 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, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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 The Local Govt Board dated 15th November 1898

No 502112

requesting that they may be informed whether the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Ballinrobe No 2 Dispensary District referred to in Minutes of the 3rd instant have since complied with the law.

Ordered:— Referred to the Medical Officer of the District

Letter from same dated 19th November 1898 No 51602 forwarding to be laid before the Board of Guardians a copy of a letter which they had received from Mr. Mark O'Brien, Poor Law

Guardian relative to the recent appointment of a temporary medical officer for the Cong Dispensary District and the Board request that they may be furnished with the Guardians' observations on the subject.

Ordered:— that the Committee of the Cong Dispensary District was obliged to meet hurriedly owing to the sudden unexpected illness of Dr. Sample; that taking into consideration the fact that

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 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:—

that Dr. McGuire was discharging the duties of the Medical Officer of the Workhouse in addition to his own District the Committee had no choice but to appoint Dr. Hegarty

At a meeting of the Committee of Management of the Cong Dispensary District on Tuesday the 22nd instant It was Resolved:— that Dr. McGuire discharge the duties of Dr. Sample during the latter's illness.

Ordered:— Approved.

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 24th day of November 1898

PRESENT—In the Chair, Alexander Martyn J.P.

Other Guardians:

Colonel Blake Esq. J. Hughes.

John Dooley. John Ryan.

Mark O'Brien John P. Egan.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Ballinrobe	Dr. McGuire		Recommending that a grating be made at Abbey Street and the Channel properly repaired.
Long	Dr. McGuire		Recommending that a cesspool in the yard of Michael Craddock of Shrule be drained into the Main Sewer.

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

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Members:

W. W. W. W.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the 1st day of Decr, 1898

(Signed), *John Walsh*
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of November 1898

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	579																
Temporary Buildings																	
Additional Workhouse	65																
Permanent Fever Hospital																	
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL	644																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			8	11	34	34	7	6	21	6	10	137	In Workhouse Hospital	42	In separate Wards	-	
Admitted during the Week,			18	5	5						2	30	In Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other inmates,	2	
TOTAL			26	16	39	34	7	6	21	8	10	167	Total	46	Total	2	
Discharged during the Week,			16	3	2						2	23	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died,					1							1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			16	3	3						2	24	No. Relieved during Week	16	3	2	21
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			10	13	36	34	7	6	21	6	10	142	No. in Workhouse at date	-	-	-	-
																	No. at corresponding period last year, 152

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of November 1898, 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.	59	83	4	8	63	91	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	61	83			61	83	No. X.						
No. III.	12	14	1	2	13	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	42	59	3	3	45	62	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	174	239	8	13	182	252	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 1st day of December 1898.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

S. Kenny subsequently *J. Rob. Donnellan*

Other Guardians:—

Thomas Gaway *M. O'Brien*

J. W. Cunningham *Colonel Knocall*

Patrick O'Boyle *J. W. Walsh*

J. Horsey
R. C. Lynch Esq. R.G. Inspector was present.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(Signed), _____

Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 24246 to No. 24247, 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 Treasurer reported having received the sum of Thirteen Pounds, one Shilling and six Pence, being one half the amount paid by the Guardians during the quarter ended 29th September last under the Contagious Diseases Animals Act 1894

£13:1:6

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

£ 37:15:6

Paid during the Week

£ 24: 2: 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of against the Guardians was

£428:16:10.

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
JOHN MELLETT	Ballinrobe							493	7	7					
	Borriscarra							65	1	7					
	Coonard							127		1					
	Hollymount							312		1					
	Kilcommon							206		6					
	Newbrook							124		11					
	Roslea							46	12	10					
											1371	10			
PATRICK GRADY	Cong							92	8	7					
	Dalغان							132	6	7					
	Houndswood							106	1	11					
	Kilmaine							209	15	10					
	Neale							142	15	8					
	Shrule							82	11	5					
											716				
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla				9	7	7	59	10	5					
	Ballyovey				9	9	9	37	7						
	Cappaghduff				5	2	8	61	6	5					
	Owenbrinn							89	17	11					
	Portroyal				10	1	7	77	7	1					
											24	14			
													325	18	10
													246	3	10
	TOTAL RATES							24	14						

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, -

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:—

980 lbs. First Flour Bread	1 1/4 lbs. Pepper Tobacco
300 „ „ Brown do.	„ „ Rice
160 „ „ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	2 „ „ Port Wine
Cwt. Oatmeal	2 Quarts Whiskey
„ „ Indian Meal	6 Bottles Brandy & Soda Water
8110 Quarts Sweet Milk	9 „ „ Porter
Cwts. Salt	Boxes Turf
lbs. Tea	18 lbs. Candles
50 „ „ Sugar	98 lbs. Soap
80 „ „ Eggs	lbs. Starch
5 lbs. Butter	11 1/4 lbs. Washing Soda
	2160 Blue

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 NOVEMBER, 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	s.	d.
In Kind,			
		12	11 : 6
			: 14 -
Total,	£	13	5 : 6

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
43	No. I. M. J. Tully				Bt. forward				
44	No. II. Tho. Stann				No. X.				
	No. III. In acting				No. XI.				
	No. IV. R. Offices				No. XII.				
	No. V.				No. XIII.				
	No. VI.				No. XIV.				
	No. VII.				No. XV.				
	No. VIII.				No. XVI.				
	No. IX.				No. XVII.				
	Total		£ 10.		TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c. Account	Unpaid Bills	Requ. m/c
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
45	J. Kitchell furniture etc.							1935	
46	M. G. Kelly, Books &c.							1782	
47	A. R. Blake leg. Fees								23-
48	M. Sample D. D.								1176
49	Mr. Clerk of the Hon. Genl. under P. Veterans								
50	J. Mellitt D. D. of Justice							52167	
51	P. Brady D. D.							22114	
52	J. Hancock D. D.							19118	
53	E. Donnellon bread.	191911						10154	
54	W. Horan meat	4119-							
55	P. Gaynor milk	17210							
56	J. May, Butter & Eggs	4119							
57	W. J. Feeucke Rabmal	2166							
58	P. Morner tea &c.	41911							
59	W. H. Allen tobacco	471							
60	P. Fair Sugar	210-							
61	J. Fitzpatrick Porter	3198							
62	J. Donnellon Bacon	3189							
63	M. Concanon Master. Milk supplied for Contractor	27-							
64	M. Cassidy fins.			3126					
65	M. J. Kelly R. Q. Coffins &c.							1-	
66	J. Garry R. Q. Coffins notices &c.							110-	

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
 Number of successful cases:—
 The Report of the ^{Health} Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

That a girl named Henchan a patient in the Workhouse Infirmary is suffering from short sightedness and requires a proper pair of glasses.
 Ordered:— That a pair of glasses be procured her.

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

That Miss Burke, the Infirmary Nurse, returned off three days' leave of absence and resumed her duties.
 That the required quantity of milk is now being supplied.
 That the daily average degrees of Cream registered during the week was 9.6.

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

Order n^o. 54397-98. dated 30th November 1898. removing John Garry from the office of Relieving Officer of the Ballinrobe Union.

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

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 25th November 1898 No. 51,194.

forwarding therewith a cheque for £7. in recouplement of the abatements allowed by the Guardians to cash purchasers of Spraying machines.

Letter from same dated 30th November 1898. n^o. 54396. adverting to Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians on the 10th instant respecting certain complaints preferred against Relieving Officer Tully and also to the report of their Inspector Mr. Lynch, in which he states that

Mr.

Mr. Tully had failed to account in a satisfactory manner to the Guardians for a sum of 2/6 charged by him in his relief account for certain Articles alleged to have been supplied as Provisional Relief to a woman named Sheridan: that the Board request that they may be furnished without delay with receipts from the shopkeepers mentioned by the Relieving Officer, for the Articles in question which he states he purchased for this woman and duly paid for.

Ordered:— That the receipts referred to in the foregoing letter be produced by Relieving Officer Tully on this day Week.

Letter from same dated 30th November 1898 n^o. 54397 enclosing an Order under Seal removing from the position of Relieving Officer of the Ballinrobe Union. Mr. John Garry and directing that the Clerk should ascertain as soon as possible the amount of Mr. Garry's defalcations with a view of taking proceedings against him and his sureties for the sums due to the Union or the persons on our door relief lists.

Ordered:- That Mr. Thomas Staunton be appointed temporary Relieving Officer of the Hollymount Relief District at a remuneration of 2d. a week until a permanent appointment is made to the office.

Ordered:- That as Relieving Officer Larry has failed to hand over the Voucher Books to persons on out door relief we direct the Clerk to issue Voucher Books to the temporary Relieving Officer to hand the persons on the relief lists.

The temporary Relieving Officer Mr. Thomas Staunton was directed to visit all the cases in the Hollymount Relief District and ascertain the amount (if any) due to them to and including the 26th ultimo.

Ordered:- That Relieving Officer Larry hand over to Mr. Walsh, Clerk of the Union, the balance now appearing in his books against him before any salary is paid him and also all documents and papers in his possession.

ordered

Ordered:- That the consideration of the Circular Letter of the Local Government Board relative to the remuneration of the Clerk and Poor rate Collectors under the Regulation (Ireland) Act 1898, be adjourned to this day week.

Notice of Motion.

I hereby give notice that I will on this day fortnight move that the Hollymount Relief District be divided into two Relief Districts, one to comprise the Electoral Divisions of Hollymount, Murriscarra, Newbrook and Rosslee and the other to comprise the Electoral Divisions of Coonard, Dalgan, Kilcommon and Kilmaine.

Patrick O'Boyle

The Clerk laid an Invoice of the Medicines forwarded by the Contractor for the Workhouse Hospitals before the Board, and reported that he had forwarded a copy of the Invoice to the Medical Officer of the Workhouse retaining a copy for the use of the Guardians.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 8th day of December 1898

Signed, John Walsh
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 10th day of December 1898

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair, J. Pitt Donnellon.

Other Guardians:—

D. Garvey M. O'Brien, S. Kanny J.P.

J. W. Cunningham, Colonel Knox & P. O'Boyle

J. W. Walsh J.P. J. Heveran.

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 Ballinrobe (No. 2) Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 17th section 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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District	Cong Dispensary District	Hollymount Dispensary District
66	D. Collins. Vac ^{ty} fees r. acting thro offr. for Cong.	2 14 -	6 6 -	
67	R. R. Ballou acting substitute for D. J. Kemp. Ce.		6 6 -	

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

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 vacancy 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 is 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 B 1 and B 2,) in pursuance of Article 29 of the 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, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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 The Local Govt. Board dated ²⁵ 30th November 1898.
No. 52702.
No. 51672. ^{relating to}

expressing their sanction to the remuneration of £3:3:0 a week to Dr. Gill Guise for his services as temporary substitute for Dr. Sample, Medical Officer of Long Dispensary District under the circumstances stated in minutes of the 17th instant.

Letter from same dated 30th November 1898. No. 51672. Expressing their sanction to the remuneration of £3:3:0^{proposed} to be allowed to Dr. Magarty for his services as temporary substitute for Dr. Sample, Medical Officer of the Long Dispensary District under the circumstances stated in the Minutes of the 10th instant.

[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:—

BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Members:

Alex. Murray

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the 8th day of December 1898

(Signed), *John Walsh*
Executive Sanitary Officer.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408. 525/18/-

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of December 1898

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			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	579													
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds	65													
TOTAL,	644	152												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			10	13	36	34	7	6	21	6	10	14		
Admitted during the Week,			17	3	1		2					23		
TOTAL,	27	16	37	34	9	6	21	6	10	16	16			
Discharged during the Week,			10	2								12		
Died,					2							2		
Total Discharged and Dead	10	2	2									14		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	17	14	35	34	9	6	21	6	10	15	2			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of December 1898, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	49	73	4	8	53	81	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	58	80			58	80	No. X.						
No. III.	12	14	1	2	13	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	42	59	2	3	45	62	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	161	226	8	13	169	239	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 8th day of December 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Alone. Martyn J.P.

Other Guardians:—

J. W. Cunningham, J. Dick Donnellon
W. E. Rutledge J.P. M. Fenick

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(Signed), _____

Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2462 to No. 2481 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 Clerk reported having lodged with the Treasurer of the Union the sum of Seven Pounds received in respect of abatements allowed to Cash purchasers of Spraying Machines.

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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 £188 : - 1
 Paid during the Week £161 : 11 3
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of against the Guardians was £401 : 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 during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
JOHN MELLET	Ballinrobe	2	19	3				490	8	4			
	Borriscarra	13	16	-				51	5	7			
	Coonard							127		1			
	Hollymount	55	4	9				256	16	3			
	Kilcommon	1	17	3				207	4	9			
	Newbrook							121	-	11			
	Rosslea							46	12	10			
					73	17	3				129	12	9
PATRICK GRADY	Cong	2	8	6				90	-	1			
	Dalgan	11		3				124	6	4			
	Houndswood	2		11				104		1			
	Kilmaine	16	7	1				193	8	9			
	Neale							142	15	8			
	Shrule	1	19	5				80	12	-			
					33	16	2				732	3	10
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla	7	19	9				51	10	8			
	Ballyovey	3	1	6				34	5	6			
	Cappaghduff	22	7	11				39	8	6			
	Owenbrinn	18	17	11				71					
	Portroyal	20	19	7				56	7	6			
					73	6	8				252	12	2
	TOTAL RATES				181	-	1				2282	8	9

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ 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:—

Table listing various items and quantities such as 920 lbs. First Flour Bread, 2 lbs. Pepper, 24 lbs. Bacon, etc.

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 3rd day of DECEMBER 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

Summary table for Out-door Relief expenditure: In Money £ 11 : 10 : - In Kind 14 - Total £ 17 : 4 -

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

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

Table with columns for Relief District, Name of Relieving Officer, By Cheque on Treasurer, and By Order on Contractors. Includes entries for M. J. Kelly, J. Slanlon, J. Hinchon, and P. Grady.

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance in Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c., Account				
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
13	J. Hammond, Carpenter making coffins.					115-					

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
 Number of successful cases:—
 The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

That the deficiency in the supply of milk during the week ranged from 2 to 5 gallons daily. that he rejected some milk twice during the week as being adulterated. altho the sample which he retained showed on one occasion 9 degrees of cream
 That the daily average degrees of cream of cream registered. 9.14.
 That the other provisions and necessaries received were of good quality.
 That Miss Knox of Cranmore. had sent four armchairs for the infirm wards
 That Mrs Knox of Lercagh visited and gave a dozen pictures. and distributed

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

a quantity of tea, sugar, and tobacco to the inmates.

Ordered:— That the attention of the milk contractor be called to the master's report.

Sealed Order from the Local Government Board dated 1st November 1898.

Declaring that the boundaries of the administrative County of Mayo shall be those mentioned in Schedule A. to the Order.

That the several divisions in the said

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated

No. _____

County of Mayo for the election of County Councillors shall be the several County Electoral divisions defined in the Schedule B. to the Order, and the Order shall be in force and take effect at such times as may be necessary for the purposes of the first election of County Councillors, and on and after the first day of April 1899 for all other purposes.

Letter from The Local Government Board dated 17th December 1898 No. 55373, requesting

ing that they be informed whether of Mr. Garry's defalcations—^{the amount} or whether it has been ascertained, and whether it has been paid by him; that the Guardians might if so advised by their Solicitor defer settling the accounts between them and Mr. Garry until the amount in question has been paid to their account. That the Board assent to Mr. Garry's being removed by the Guardians from the position of Sanitary sub-officer. Ordered:— That the Guardians hereby remove R. C. Garry from the position of Sanitary Sub-officer.

Read Report of the Clerks of the Union as follows:—
Gentlemen.

I beg to report to you that on Friday 11th instant Mr. Garry re Relieving Officer called here, and demanded of me his Salary and 2nd ~~amounting to~~ £1.10.0 due him for Coffees, Posting Notices &c amounting in all to £9:8:5. I informed him there was a balance of £9:10:0 appearing in his books against him. He then handed 1/17 to pay the difference between the balance due by him and the Salary &c. due.

due to him. He demanded a receipt which I refused.

I am Gentlemen
Your obedient servant
Malok
Clerk of Union

Ordered:- Approved.

Read Report from Mr. Thomas Fauntun acting Relieving Officer of the Hollymount Relief District as follows:-

Gentleman
I beg to report to you that I visited ^{visited} all the cases in the Hollymount Relief District on the 3rd 5th and 6th instant, three cases (two in Kilmannon and one in Dalgan Electoral Division) were not at home when I called. All the cases I visited told me that sums amounting to £12:17:0 were due ^{to} up to and including the 26th ultimo:-

Nusascurra Electoral Division	£0:3:0
Coxand	" " 10:0
Dalgan	" " 6:7:6
Hollymount	" " 8:0
Kilmannie	" " 14:0
Kilmannon	" " 2:18:0
Stewbrack	" " 1:14:6
Roslee	" " 2:0
	£12:17:-

Ordered:- adjourned for a week

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The following explanation was submitted by Mr. J. Gully, Relieving Officer Ballinrobe District:-

Gentleman Ballinrobe 8th Decr 1898
I beg to submit in compliance in compliance with the directions of the Local Government Board receipts for goods supplied in the provisional case of Margaret Sheridan of Kilkerran relieved by me on the 3rd instant November last.

I am Gentlemen
Your obedient servant
Martin J. Gully R.O.

In connection with the above explanation the Clerk informed the Board of Guardians that Relieving Officer Gully in his application and Report Book submitted an entry of a payment in provisional relief to a woman named Margaret Sheridan of Kilkerran of a sum of 2/6 on Thursday 3rd November last. This sum of 2/6 was initialed by the Chairman on Thursday the 10th November: Mr. Lynch Local Government Inspector was present and asked Mr. Gully to produce the receipts of the Shopkeepers from whom he purchased the goods supplied to Margaret Sheridan; Mr. Gully being unable to do so stated he purchased the goods from the following; a

memo

memo. of which was taken down in writing by the Vice Chairman as follows:-

Mr. Moran	1 1/2 lbs. beef	1: 1/2
Miss Dymellon	Bread	8.
Mrs. Gaway	Wine	9
Milk	local	6
		<hr/>
		3: 0 1/2

The clerk further stated that Mr. Tully changed only 2/- to Margaret Stendean for the week in question and changed the 2/- in his Application and Report to 3/-

On hearing the above explanation by the clerk Mr. Tully added the following to his statement:-

"I may add that I gave the Order on Mr. Moran's Virtualer Ballinroole, but the recipient's daughter went to Mr. Jannings. As regards the milk supplied I stated it was not paid for when the Vice Chairman took the memorandum. I gave the items from memory which accounts for the discrepancy"

Edward J. Tully
R.O.

Letter from the Matron of the Workhouse dated 8th December 1898. requesting leave of absence for five days and stating that the Schoolmistress would discharge her

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duties gratuitously
Ordered:- leave granted.

Letter from Miss Regan Hospital nurse dated 8th December 1898. requesting that the Guardians would supply a screen for her room.
Ordered:- granted.

The several Tenders for the supply of Clothing Material advertised for as directed in Minutes of 17th ultimo having been opened and considered. It was Resolved:- that the following be accepted.

Michael Ryan	Bengal Linen	@ 4 3/4 per yard
do do	Shirting Calico	@ 4 1/2 " "
do do	Flannel	@ 9d " "
do do	Sheet	@ 5d " "
do do	Linen	@ 5d " "
do do	Black Thread	@ 2 1/2 per lb
Thomasweeney	Shirting Calico	@ 3d per yd
P. J. Ollabone	Sheeting	@ 8 1/4 " "
William Funnane	Shirting Calico	@ 1 1/2 each
Thomas Fahy	corduroy	@ 2 1/2 per yd
do do	Wrege	@ 1 1/2 " "
do do	White Thread	@ 4 per lb
do do	Blankets	@ 1/9 " "
Peter Bartley	Woman's kerchiefs	@ 1/8 each
Hugh Curley	White Holland	@ 5d per yard
do do	Worsted	@ 1/9 per lb

Hugh Curley:	Druggist	@ 7 1/2 per cent.
Do. Do.	Shawls	@ 4/6 each
Michael Feeick	Woman's Slippers	@ 4/4 per pair.
Do. Do.	Man's Do	@ 4/6 --
Do. Do.	Woman's Boots	@ 7/6 --
Do. Do.	Man's Shoes	@ 8/6 --
Do. Do.	Boys' boots	@ 7/3 --
Do. Do.	Girls' Do.	@ 6/9 --

Mark Corcoran Potatoes @ 1/11 per cent.

Ordered:- That the consideration of the Officers' remuneration under the Registration (Ireland) Act 1898 be adjourned.

A Ejection notice served on Relieving Officer Hanehan at the suit of R. E. Lynch v. Michael Quinn, Thomas Quinn and Michael McQuig. was laid before the Board and directions were given to deposit same with the Union Records

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 15th day of December 1898

Signed *J. Minnals*
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 8th day of December 1898

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair, *Alexander Martyn J.P.*

Other Guardians:—
*J. W. Cunningham; J. C. D. Donnellon
W. E. Kettleidge J.P. M. Feeick*

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 Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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):—

Board Letter from Mr A. A. Blake dated 5th December, 18

No _____ stating that

stating that of the 95 defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act. returned by him, and referred to in Minutes of the 3rd of November last only six have since been vaccinated. that owing to the bad weather it is difficult and perhaps dangerous to bring weak children a distance.

[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:—

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 8th day of December 1898

PRESENT—In the Chair, Alexander Martyn J.P.

Other Guardians:

J. W. Cunningham, J. C. B. Donnellon, W. Chapple J.P. W. Fenick.

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

Table with 4 columns: District, Name of Officer, General Subject, Particulars. The table is currently empty.

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

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 15th day of December 1898

(Signed) J. W. Fenick Clerk of the Union.

BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Members:

Miss Martin

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the *15th* day of *December* 189*8*

(Signed), *John Walsh*

Executive Sanitary Officer.

[Special]

BALLINROBE UNION.

Population in 1891—28,130.

Present Net Annual Value, £60,408.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of December 1898

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse	579	147																
Temporary Buildings																		
Additional Workhouse																		
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds	65	-																
TOTAL		147																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			17	14	35	34	9	6	21	6	10	15		In Workhouse Hospital } 45	In separate Wards } -			
Admitted during the Week,			14	3	3	4	1		2	1		28		In Fever Hospital } -	In Wards with other inmates, } 2			
TOTAL			31	17	38	38	10	6	23	7	10	180		Total, 45		2		
Discharged during the Week,			18	5	3	2	1		1	1		33		NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died,														Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead			18	5	3	2	1		1	1		33		No. Relieved during Week	10	4	2	16
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			13	12	35	31	9	5	21	6	10	147		No. in Workhouse at date	-	-	-	-
														No. at corresponding period last year, 149				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of December 1898, 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.	58	82	4	8	62	90	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	47	69	1	5	48	74	No. X.						
No. III.	12	14	1	2	13	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	42	59	3	3	45	62	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	159	224	9	18	168	242	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 15th day of December 1898

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Alexander Martyn J.P.

Other Guardians:—

M. O'Brien. J. Hughes P. O'Boyle

Colonel Blake C.B. Colonel Knox D.L.

W. Skittleop. J.P. Egan J. O'Connell

John Jennings

Mr. Lynch, L.G. Board Inspector, was present.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(Signed), _____

Executive Sanitary Officer.

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of December 1898

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			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	579	447												
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds	65	-												
TOTAL,	644	447												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			17	14	35	34	9	6	21	6	10	15		
Admitted during the Week,			14	3	3	4	1		2	1		28		
TOTAL,			31	17	38	38	10	6	23	7	10	180		
Discharged during the Week,			18	5	3	2	1		1	1		33		
Died,														
Total Discharged and Dead			18	5	3	2	1		1	1		33		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			13	12	35	36	9	5	21	6	10	147		

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Alexander Martin J.P.

Other Guardians:—

M. O'Brien, J. Hughes, P. O'Boyle

Colonel Blake Esq., Colonel Knox Esq.

W. Skittle Esq., J.P. Egan J. De V. Donnell Esq.

John Jennings

Mr. Lynch, L.G. Board Inspector, was present.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(Signed), _____

Executive Sanitary Officer.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2485 to No. 2511, 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 £ 22 - - 8
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of against the Guardians was £ 113 6 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £ 492 : 13 10

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total			Remaining			Total		
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JOHN MELETT	Ballinrobe												
	Borriscarra												
	Coonard												
	Hollymount												
	Kilcommon												
	Newbrook												
	Rosslea												
PATRICK GRADY	Cong												
	Dalغان												
	Houndswood												
	Kilmaine												
	Neale												
	Shrule												
THOMAS HENAHAN	Ballinchalla												
	Ballyovey												
	Cappaghduff												
	Owenbrinn												
	Portroyal												
	TOTAL RATES												

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, - £ s. d. 17. 2. 5

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 24. 12. - Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 2. 9. 4

Average Cost in Infirmary, : 3. 11

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, : 10. 7. 4

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

980 lbs. First Flour Bread	lbs. Pepper
„ „ Brown do.	1 1/2 „ Rice tobacco,
260 „ „ Meat	Bottles Marsala Wine
Stones Potatoes	2 „ „ Port Wine
Cwt. Oatmeal	Quarts Whiskey
„ „ Indian Meal	Bottles Brandy
856 Quarts Sweet Milk	15 „ „ Porter
Cwts. Salt	Boxes Turf
50 lbs. Tea	18 lbs. Candles
100 „ „ Sugar	49 lbs. Soap
80 Eggs	3 lbs. Starch
1 1/2 lbs. Butter	1 1/2 lbs. Washing Soda

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 10th day of December 1898 whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£ s. d. 14. 4. 6
In Kind,	14 -
Total,	£ 12. 4. 6

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bl. forward				
75 No. II.	J. Stanlon	5.			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. forward					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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 - - - - -

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.)

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:—

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Invoice Account	Clothing Account	Maintenance In Asylums Account	Establishment Account	Workhouse Burial Account	Election, Law, &c. Account	Steed
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
76	The Sec ^y Long's District Board. Abatement in 40 Spraying Machines.							5 12 -
77	Patk Leonard for Horse purchased.				11 10 -			
78	J. Mulloy making and erecting pump shaft.				2 - -			
79	J. Sheehan (Smith) repairs &c.				11 96			
80	Wm Gill nails.					199		
81	Wm O'Donnell for paying sick persons to Hospital.							11 12 -

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).—
 Number of successful cases:—
 The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

That he lodged with the Treasurer £22:0:8 of the union the sum of £22:0:8 received for the maintenance of pay patients in Hospital.

That the milk delivery during the week was satisfactory except on one day, on which the contractor supplied tea sugar and butter for 4 gallons of milk deficient.

The daily average degrees of Cream Registered. 9.1 for the week.

That the children were out for recreation during the week.

That he would require three dozen knives and forks.

Ordered:— Granted.

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 the Local Government Board for Ireland, dated 14th December 1898
No. 56975.

intimating that they have had before them the explanation furnished by Relieving Officer Julliy regarding the receipts for provisions stated to have been recently supplied by him by way of provisional relief to a woman named Margaret Sheridan; and that in view of the unsatisfactory explanation of the Relieving Officer in this case they have instructed their Inspector Mr. Lynch to hold an inquiry on oath into the circumstances of the case

Letter

Letter from Mr. Martin J. Julliy of which the following is a copy:—

Ballinrobe,

15th December 1898.

Gentlemen,

I beg to tender my resignation of the office of Relieving Officer and Sanitary sub. Officer of the Ballinrobe Relief District.

I am

Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant
Martin J. Julliy

Mr. Chairman and
Guardians

Ballinrobe Union.

Ordered:— Accepted.

Ordered:— That Mr. Thomas Stanton be appointed temporary Relieving Officer for one week, of the Ballinrobe Relief District, in room of R. O. Julliy resigned, at a remuneration of £1.

Letter from Dr. R. B. O'Mahon Medical Officer of the Workhouse dated 15th December 1898, applying for three days leave of absence and stating that he had arranged with Dr. M'Guire to perform the duties

during

during his absence.
Ordered: - Granted.

Report from Mr. Thomas Gauntton temporary relieving officer for the Hollymount Relief District stating that he visited and paid the three cases referred to in his last report for weeks ended the 3rd and 10th instant and that ^{he} performed that there was one ^{case} then up to and including Saturday the 26th ultimo out door relief amounting to 19/6.

Ordered: - That Mr. Garry ex Relieving Officer be applied to for the amount reported to the temporary Relieving Officer as being ^{due} to persons on out door relief.

Ordered: - That in consequence of the illness of Mr. J. Grady Relieving officer of the Long Relief District we hereby appoint his son Mr. John Grady to discharge the duties at a remuneration at the rate of £1 a week (copy of Medical Certificate herewith)

Pursuant to Notice.

Proposed by Mr. P. O'Boyle.
Seconded by Colonel Blake. and
Resolved: - That the Hollymount Relief District, consisting at present of the Electoral Divisions of Burreiscarra, Leonard Dalgan, Hollymount, Kilcommon, Kilmarie, Newbrook, Roslee, be divided into two Relief Districts, one to be called the Hollymount Relief District and the other the Kilmarie Relief District: the former to comprise the Electoral Divisions of Burreiscarra, Hollymount, Newbrook, Roslee, and the latter the Electoral Divisions of Leonard Dalgan, Kilmarie, Kilcommon and that a Relieving Officer and Sanitary Sub. Officer be appointed for each District at a salary of £20 a year as Relieving Officer and £5 a year as Sanitary Sub. Officer.

The clerk of the Union submitted a draft of the advertisement which was approved, and directions were given him to advertise in the local newspapers that the Board of Guardians would at their meeting to be held on Thursday the 5th January 1899, proceed to the appointment of two Relieving officers at a salary of £25 a year each.

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The clerk of the union submitted a statement showing as directed in circular letter of the Local Government Board dated 19th November 1898 - the ^{number of} names included in the Local Government Supplement for each Electoral Division of the Union as follows:-

J. Mellatt	Ballinrobe	154	
	Bunscarra	33	
	Conard	20	
	Hollymount	25	
	Kilcommon	47	
	Stawbrook	59	
	Roslee	<u>10</u>	311-8
J. Brady	Long	44	
	Ailgan	51	
	Houndwood	44	
	Kilmanic	43	
	Keale	64	
	Shrule	<u>56</u>	302
J. Hanahan	Ballinchalla	32	
	Ballyovay	28	
	Cappaghduff	49	
	Quintrimin	30	
	Portroyal	<u>34</u>	17.3
			<u>823</u>

Amount received in respect of duties under

Parliamentary Registration for 1897

The clerk of the Union	£ 50:14:7
Collector J. Mellatt	17:11:2
do. J. Brady	15:17:6
do. J. Hanahan	1:2:10
	<u>£ 84:44:5</u>

Ordered:- That the Guardian's fee 12/- per Hundred names to be paid to the Collectors and 15/- per Hundred to the Clerk.

Notice of motion.

I hereby give notice that on this day fortnight I or some Guardian for me will move that the Portroyal Electoral Division be added to the Cappaghduff Relief District of the Ballinrobe Union.

J. O'Neil Donnellon
15th December 1898

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

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Signed, *[Signature]*
Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

BALLINROBE UNION.

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(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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- II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, *Alexander Hartigan*

Other Guardians:—

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Colonel Blake C.B. Colonel Knox D.Z. W. Egan

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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:—

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Signed, *John Walsh*
Clerk of the 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):

No. of Draft	Names of Officers and Contractors, and Description of Articles supplied	Ballinrobe Dispensary District			Cong Dispensary District			Hollymount Dispensary District		

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 31 and 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 189

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 vacancy 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 39 of the 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, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):—

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 189

No _____ stating that

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 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:—

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of Decr 1898

(Signed) Sh Mahon
Clerk of the Union.

BALLINROBE UNION.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 15th day of December 1898

PRESENT—In the Chair, Alon' Martyn JP.

Other Guardians:

M. O'Brien, T. Hughes P. Boyle.

Colonel Knox M. Colonel Blake M. JP. Egan
W. Rutledge JP. J. O'Connell J. Jernigan

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 Officers' Report Book.

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

No. of Cheques	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 following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, or others, were read, and directions given thereon as follows :—

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Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY the 22nd day of Dec^r 1898

(Signed) John Wash
Executive Sanitary Officer.

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BALLINROBE UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

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

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PRESENT: In the Chair,

Alno Martign JP

Other Members:

M. O'Brien J. Hughes P. O'Boyle

Colonel Blake CB. Colonel Knox D. J. P. Egan

W. E. Ruddle JP. J. O'Connell J. J. O'Connell

Patrick A. Doyle

Next Meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the *27th* day of *December* 1898

(Signed), *John Walsh*

Executive Sanitary Officer.