

Poor Law Union minute book
Enniscorthy Union

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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Population in 1871—

Present Net Annual Value, £110,488 10s.

Area in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of Jan^r. 1881

Number of Innates 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 5 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	957	356													
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	67	3													
Sewtownbarry do		1													
Gulart do															
Total	1024	360													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			24	48	75	97	17	19	27	17	15	339	In Work-house Hospital 98	In separate Wards, in Wards with other Innates, 28	
Admitted during the Week, .			22	15	76	4	3		2	1		53	In Work-house Hospital 4	In separate Wards, in Wards with other Innates, -	
Born, .													TOTAL, 102	TOTAL, 28	
Total.			46	63	81	101	17	22	27	19	16	392			
Discharged during the Week, .			18	5	4	2		1				30			
Died, .					1	1						2			
Total Discharged and Dead, .			18	5	5	3		1				32			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, .			28	58	76	98	17	21	27	19	16	360			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the 22nd day of Jan^r. 1881 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, (under 10 Vic., c. 51, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases.	Persons
No. I.	289	669				
No. II.	131	308				
No. III.	124	228				
TOTAL	544	1205				

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

the 27th day of January 1881

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Mr. Gallagher

" J. J. J. J.

" Rynhart

Other Guardians:—

J. J. J. J.

J. J. J. J.

H. Rynhart

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1069 to No. 1122 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. 7231 to No. 7290 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report 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 against the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and 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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
D. M'DONALD	Enniscorthy				
	Total				
MATHEW DOYLE	Ballyhogue				
	Bree				
	The Leap				
	Total				
TIMOTHY NOLAN	Cranmore				
	Kilrush				
	St. Mary's				
	Newtownbarry				
	Tombrack				
	Total				
MATHEW GAHAN	Ballycarney				
	Ballymore				
	Ferns				
	Kilbora	26			
	Kilcormack	20			
	The Harrow	31			
	Tinnacross				
	Total		77		
JAMES SOMMERS	Castleboro'				
	Clonroche				
	Killan				
	Kiltealy				
	Total				
TIMOTHY NOLAN	Ballindaggin				
	Castledockrill				
	Killoughram				
	Marshallstown				
	Rossard				
	Total				
JAMES PARKER	Ballyvaldon				
	Boolaboy				
	Castle Ellis				
	Castle Talbot				
	Total				
JAMES MURPHY	Ballyhuskard				
	Edermine				
	Kilmallock				
	Total				
	TOTAL UNION, £		77		76 10 4

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 £ 3 : 6 : 0 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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 45 : 7 : 7

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 52 : 11 : 2

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:—

Meat	279 lbs	Lemons	1/2 doz.
Bread	2765 lbs	Candles	18 lbs
Oatmeal	1120 lbs	Soap	112 lbs
B. milk	107 gals	Tobacco	14 ozs
S. milk	1303 qts		
Tea	404 ozs		
Sugar	1344 ozs		
Whisky	cost of 12 pints		
Wine	£1.12.11 12 bottles		
Butter	60 lbs		
Eggs	10 doz.		

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 January 1881, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£ 49 : 10 : 6
In Kind,	10 : - : 6
Total,	£ 59 : 11 : 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:—

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer	By Order on Contractors	
			£ s. d.	Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
178	No. I.	M Keating	40 - -		
179	No. II.	J Murphy	14 - -		
180	No. III.	M Murphy	18 - -		
	TOTAL,		72 - -		

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 Cheque

£ s. d.

181	Q Keohler petty bank	3	6	-
182	Dr Furlong Z. H. Apes	3	-	-
183	J. N. Greene Glob Hardware, &c.	7	6	-
184	Mr Murphy Clothing	19	19	4

No. of
Cheque

£ s. d.

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

Mr. Murphy has delivered the Licken, and
Mr. John Murphy the Woolen Handkerchiefs
please have them inspected -

Ordered
"Licken Net", & Handkerchiefs, Equal to sample -

Mr. Stamp B.L. applies for the boy Wm. Dunne
the Board giving him clothes.

Ordered
"£1.5.0 Allowed for Clothing."

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

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

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

Agriculturist's Report.

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):

LGB^d } June Collection
 Jan 22nd } Rates
 1881

Stating that the Poor Rate &
 Seed Rate ought to be
 collected together by the
 collectors

Orders

"The attention of the collectors
 to be called to this immediately"

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L.B. d.
Jan 26.
1753

Clothing

Pointing out that the Bd.
made no order
last Board day
on the Master's statement
as to "insufficient supply"

Ordered

"The Master has obtained
orders this day to meet
the requirements"

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Out Door Relief

Special Order

Moved by W. J. Bennett
Seconded by " P. Stamp
and Ordered

"That the Bd. be telegraphed to,
for authority to issue Relief
under the "Relief of Distress"
(Ireland) Act 1880, "at once."

This was accordingly done,
the Clerk sending off a
telegram, at the moment,
asking for immediate powers

—#—

a letter was read from
J. O. Deveney Esq. J.P.
suggesting this course also.

No reply was received when the
Board broke up.

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Copy this - DIE

KILLEGNEY PARSONAGE,

ENNISCORTHY.

26th Jan 61

Dear Sir

Will you kindly convey to
the Board that it will be
necessary, I fear, for a few
days longer to continue to
rely on the poor of Enniscorthy
with the funds kindly
placed at my disposal by
Lord Carnarvon I have been
enabled to supply coals to
the poor people. but they
also require additional
orders for food from
your Board.

I would be wanting
in fairness that I ask
you to convey to the
Board my appreciation

of the manner in which
the Relieving Officer who
visited Clonroche on Monday
discharged his duty:
evidently anxious to relieve
real distress, yet carefully
enquiring into each case
so as not to spend the
funds of the Board
unnecessarily.

J. Macbeth

J. Macbeth Esq.

Heath of Killarney

To be inserted in the minutes

The Board have applied for
special powers, which if
given will be happy to attend
to Mr. Macbeth's application
A.R.

clothing allowed

^s 10/ to Edw. Creane
leaving the house

Out Door Relief
Clonroche

A letter was read from W. Dowling
Clonroche, asking that the orders of the R.O.
for provisional relief in Clonroche
might be divided amongst several
shopkeepers and sent to one place
only

Ordered
" The R.O. undertakes to divide in future
with others "

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The following was received from

S. Macbert
Clonroche

(see other side)

Visitors Book

The following appeared on this

" This day visited the house in all its departments found all the inmates in the best of spirits, and well cared for, and the general management of the house reflects great credit on the Master Matron.

I would suggest that the accident ward be boarded & the tiles at present on the floor be used for some other purpose.
W. Rynheart

I agree to the above.
W. Rynheart

Ordered

" The ward to be boarded to the Master's satisfaction "

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. 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 ...

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

Oulart D. St.

The R.O. having stated that Dr. Ryan was ill and unable to attend to his duties it was Ordered

" That Dr. Borthistle be appointed to act as locum tenens for 2 weeks, from date of his being sent for by Dr. Ryan, at the rate of £3.0.0 & weeks

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:

Outart Dispensary District. (Contd.)

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

Mr. J. A. Redmond, Inishkeen,
having declined to act on
this.

Mr. J. A. Linnott of Balaboy
was elected to fill the
vacancy.

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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 18____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the

half-year ended _____ 18____.

_____ District,	-	-	-	-	£.
_____ District,	-	-	-	-	£.

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

Newtownbarry
Nuisance at National Schools
a letter, from Mr. Thoms, Solicitor,
as to changes suggested by the
G.O.M. in draft of agreement
to be made with the Trustees
of the Hall & are estate, was

adjourned

Ferns Water Works

The following was received from

D. Smith

Sir

In reply to a letter No. 37.784 dated 10th January 1881, referred by you to me, I beg to refer you to my former Reports on the subject of the Water supply of Ferns.

Although my first Report was made by order of the Local Government Boards Inspector, who found the pump, at the Police Barrack, dry as it still is, yet the bad feeling caused in the District by my Report, has cost me at least £70 in fees in the last two years. I therefore humbly request the Local Govt Board not to press me to report again on the subject.

Your obed^t. Servant

D. B. Smith

Med. Off. of Health.

To The Clerk
Emmiscothy Union

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

Humphrey Ryndhart
Ch.

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

day of *Feb.* 1881

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1871—

Present Net Annual Value, £110,488 10s. Area in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the *29* day of *Jan'y* 1881

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 3 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
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Oulart do.															
Total		1024													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			28	58	76	98	17	21	27	19	16	360	In Workhouse Hospital 108	In separate Wards, in Fever Hospital 28	
Admitted during the Week.			34	9	10	4	1	1	1	2	2	62	4	—	
Born.											2	2			
TOTAL			62	67	86	102	18	22	28	21	18	424	TOTAL 112	TOTAL 28	
Discharged during the Week.			34	12	9	2	2	2	1	3		65			
Died.					2	2						4			
Total Discharged and Dead.			34	12	13	4	2	2	1	3		69			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			28	55	75	98	16	20	27	18	18	355	No. Relieved during week 25	No. in Workhouse at date 6	No. at corresponding period last year, 385

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the *29* day of *Jan'y* 1881 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, (under 10 Vic., c. 51, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	284	643				
No. II.	133	328				
No. III.	137	284				
TOTAL	554	1255				

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the *3rd* day of *February* 1881

PRESENT: In the Chair— Messrs *B. Stamp*
G. Harpur
H. Ryndhart

Other Guardians:— *J. Summott*, *J. Sparrell*,
W. Murphy, *P. Ellis*,
H. H. Cookman &c

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1122 to No. 1185 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. 7290 to No. 7332 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report 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 - £ 99 . 0 . 0
 Paid during the week - £ 90 . 2 . 6
 And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was - £ 1719 . 9 . 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

29th January 1881-

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	Total
MATHEW DOYLE	Ballyhogue
	Bree
	The Leap
	Total
TIMOTHY NOLAN	Cranmore
	Kilrush	16	.	.	.
	St. Mary's	17	.	.	.
	Newtownbarry	22	.	.	.
	Tombrack	.	.	.	.
	Total	.	55	.	.
James Sommers J. Walsh	Ballycarney	.	.	.	.
	Ballymore	.	.	.	.
	Ferns	.	.	.	.
	Kilbora	.	.	.	.
	Kilcormack	.	.	.	.
	The Harrow	.	.	.	.
	Tinnacross	.	.	.	.
	Total	.	.	.	.
JAMES SOMMERS	Castleboro'	.	.	.	.
	Clonroche	.	.	.	.
	Killan	.	.	.	.
	Kiltealy	.	.	.	.
	Total	.	.	.	.
TIMOTHY NOLAN	Ballindaggin	15	.	.	.
	Castledockrill	.	.	.	.
	Killoughram	.	.	.	.
	Marshalstown	12	.	.	.
	Rossard	17	.	.	.
	Total	.	44	.	.
JAMES PARKER	Ballyvaldon	.	.	.	.
	Boolaboy	.	.	.	.
	Castle Ellis	.	.	.	.
	Castle Talbot	.	.	.	.
	Total	.	.	.	.
JAMES MURPHY	Ballyhuskard	.	.	.	.
	Edermine	.	.	.	.
	Kilmallock	.	.	.	.
	Total	.	.	.	.
	TOTAL UNION, £	.	99	.	7509123

Amount Collected £ 1040 . 3 . 5.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to £ 5 : 10 : 4 was produced and passed.

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Sugar	1344 oz.		
Pepper	3½ lbs		
Whisky	cost of 13 pints		
Wine	£ 1-11-8 13 bottles		
Butter	63 lbs		
Eggs	11 doz		

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his Signature:—

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2. The Medical Officers' Books.

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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 29th day of Jan^r 1881

In Money,	51. 16. 6
In Kind,	9. 8. 0
Total,	£ 61. 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:—

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185	No. I.	M. Keating	35 . .		
186	No. II.	J. Murphy	15 . .		
187	No. III.	M. Murphy	15 . .		
	TOTAL,		65 . .		

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 Cheque			£	s.	d.
188	Q. Keeler	Petty Cash	5	10	4
189	J. Malcolm	Inspector under C.D.A.	17	-	-
190	R. Cosgrave	milk	10	4	2
191	M. Courtney	meat	38	14	-
192	B. Fitzpatrick	Sugar &c.	11	17	1
193	E. Goff	Tea &c.	13	13	1
194	D. Kennedy	Butter &c.	21	10	-
195	Lambert Bros	Wine	2	16	4
196	J. Malone	Coals	18	15	-
197	J. Mernagh	milk	6	12	4
198	J. Rossiter	Bread &c.	79	-	2
199	M. Ryan	milk	30	15	9
200	P. Ryan	Do	10	2	5
201	W. Wood	Reg ⁿ Vacc ⁿ fees	9	1	-
202	W. Kelly	Exam ⁿ Lunatic	2	-	-

No. of
Cheque

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

M^{rs} Murphy has delivered the Linen. Sicken, and Woollen yarn, and the Repts of Mr. Surlong the Blankets, Bay Calico, Twilled Calico, Flannel, and Long cloth, please have them inspected

Ordered
"All the Goods Equal to sample"

M^r D. Murphy has also delivered the Linsey Woolsey please have it inspected

Ordered
"Equal to Sample"

Agriculturist's Report.

Asking the Board for an old Table with
Drawer, to hold some writing materials &c.

Ordered
"Allowed"



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):

LGB^d
27th Jan^r
1881
2396
81

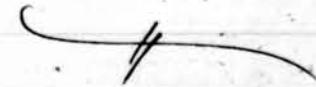
Special Order
C. O. Relief

and Telegram

authorizing Special Relief
"from 1st Dec to 12th Feb^r inclusive"

also
2457
LGB^d

Referring to above
telegram being sent
"abonce" on receipt
of that from the LGB^d



Killan D^y St.

LFB^d
Jan 28th
1282

Enclosing extract from
M. O. St
of the District,
sent by him
to the Registrar General
as to
the unsanitary state
of part of his district

Ordered

" Referred to the M. O. St
to specify the part
of his district referred to "

✓

Oulart D^y St.

LFB^d
2457
Nov 2nd

" Locum tenens -
D^y Northistle

Enclosing list of queries to be
filled up as to — &c

Ordered

" D^y Northistle - locum tenens
in this case is a Dispensary
Medical officer of the Forey
Union, and lives close
to Oulart District "

✓

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. 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 ...

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions were given for Payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given :

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 18____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the

half-year ended _____ 18____.

_____ District,	-	-	-	-	£.
_____ District,	-	-	-	-	£.

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

Ferus Water Works

LFB^d
8th 2nd
2457

Saying the M. O. ought to report - irrespective of Considerations mentioned by him, in his letter on Minutes of last week

Ordered " Referred to the
M. O. "

✓

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided		No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date
Workhouse	957	845	
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	67	1	
Newtownbarry do.	-	-	
Oulart do.	-	-	
Total	1024	846	

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

George Murphy Chairman

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 10th

day of Feb'y. 1881

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

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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	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	957	845													
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	67	1													
Newtownbarry do.	-	-													
Oulart do.	-	-													
Total	1024	846													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			28	55	75	98	16	20	27	18	18	355	In Work-house Hospital 109	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates, 128	
Admitted during the Week.			33	7	72	-	1	1	1	1	-	86			
Born.			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1			
TOTAL			51	62	77	98	17	21	28	19	19	392			
Discharged during the Week.			28	7	73	1	3	1	2	-	-	45			
Died.			-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1			
Total Discharged and Dead.			28	7	4	-	1	3	1	2	-	46			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			23	55	73	98	16	18	27	17	19	346			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the 5th day of Feb'y 1881 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	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.	262	538				
No. II.	132	316				
No. III.	135	274				
TOTAL	529	1128				

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 10th day of February 1881

PRESENT: In the Chair—

W. J. Murphy
J. D. Denny Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians:—

L. Dundas J.P.
Messrs. Lunnott - Rynhart -
Breen - Kenny - Tobin -
Slavin - Whelan - Stamp -

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1185 to No. 1222 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. 7332 to No. 7350 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report was read to the following effect:—

Had received draft for £345-17-9 from Local Government Board, being amount of Parliamentary grant for Medical and Educational purposes for 1/2 year ending 29 September 1880

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 of the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and 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	Amount Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
D. M'DONALD	Enniscorthy	60											
	Total				60						1212	16	
MATHEW DOYLE	Ballyhogue												
	Bree	58											
	The Leap	22											
	Total				80						648	13	6
TIMOTHY NOLAN	Cranmore	19											
	Kilrush	11											
	St. Mary's	8											
	Newtownbarry	63											
	Tombrack	19											
	Total				120						871	9	7
MATHEW GAHAN	Ballycarney	59											
	Ballymore												
	Ferns												
	Kilbora												
	Kilcormack												
	The Harrow												
	Tinnacross	38											
	Total				97						922	5	11
JAMES SOMMERS	Castleboro'												
	Clonroche	19											
	Killan	63											
	Kiltealy												
	Total				82						805	-	4
TIMOTHY NOLAN	Ballindaggin												
	Castledockrill	10											
	Killoughram	15											
	Marshallstown												
	Rossard												
	Total				25						712	15	7
JAMES PARKER	Ballyvaldon												
	Boolaboy	16											
	Castle Ellis	62											
	Castle Talbot	53											
	Total				131						701	11	3
JAMES MURPHY	Ballyhuskard	24											
	Edermine	86											
	Kilmallock												
	Total				110						922	13	8
	TOTAL UNION, £				705						6797	570	

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 £ 6 : 8 : 3 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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 65 : 6 : 10

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 53 : 8 : 10

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:—

Meat	329 lbs	Candles	24 lbs
Bread	2882 lbs	Soap	112 lbs
B. milk	107 Gals	Tobacco	140 lbs
S. milk	1356 qts	Lemons	2 doz.
Tea	404 ozs		
Sugar	1120 ozs		
Whiskey	cost of 12 pints		
Wine	£1-14-0 12 bottles		
Flour	224 lbs		
Butter	64 lbs		
Eggs	10 doz.		

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 February 1881, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	...	...	...	...	...	£ 52 : 16 : 0
In Kind,	...	...	...	...	...	3 : 11 : 6
Total,	...	...	...	...	...	£ 56 : 7 : 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:—

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
263	No. I.	M Keating	22 -		
264	No. II.	J Murphy	14 -		
265	No. III.	M Murphy	12 -		
	TOTAL,		48 -		

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 Cheque		£	s.	d.
206	Q Keokler pettybark	6	8	3
207	M Furlong piezo re	139	18	6
208	John Murphy linsey to	17	18	-
209	M. P. Murphy linen	29	13	8
210	J Roseiter leather	13	3	9
211	P Atkin { Fever Hospital }	11	2	3
212	W. Cooney { accounts }	5	14	-

No. of
Cheque

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

I regret to state that during the late storm both plates and Tiles were blown off several parts of the Roof of the Workhouse, including Dining Hall, Kitchen, Laundry, &c. &c. and the Dashing off the Walls—also off front wall of the Fever Hospital. The Contractor is engaged repairing the Roofs.

The Board will please appoint a^o to inspect the flooring of the Accident wards.

Ordered " The C^o found the work satisfactorily done, suggest that the tiles taken off the floor be laid down in the Aals between the 2 Accident wards.

The Master to get this done "

—4—

Agriculturist's Report.

Required seed oats, so as to
be ready to sow, soon as the
weather permits

Ordered " The master to procure
seed oats "

—/—

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):

Out Relief Special Orders

Lev^d
Bel^d
44 m/- 81
Mis.

} Stating the special order
" will expire on the 12th
& asking the Govt if it be
necessary to have it
renewed to

Ordered " no necessity at present
to have it renewed "

—/—

Out Relief

Lev B^d.
Feb. 9
3410

Wife Mary Murphy
Marshallstown

Enclosing letter from Edw. Doyle
Marley - and asking for
particulars

Ordered

" This case came before the P^o on Jan 7th 4th
when it was referred to the R. O
who gave provisional relief from
that date until Feb 3rd when it
was discontinued, as it was
discovered that her husband
was alive and able-bodied,
but had deserted her.
She was however offered
the house."

✓

Newtownbarry Fever Hospital

Lev B^d.
9 Feb.
1228/
81

① Asking to be informed
of any further proceedings
taken for repairs to -

② whether the Deputies
under the C. V. A. in the
Districts of Messrs. Keatinge
& M. Murphy have,
since complied with the law

Ordered

① Referred to
Q. C.

② The severe weather
has prevented
operations

✓

Cabbage

Letter
read
from
Mr.
Cullen
24/10

Praying that as the plot
of cabbage for which
she had tendered, was
so much damaged by
the frost, the Bd. would
make some allowance
on account of it

Ordered

"The Board consent to accept
35/- in full payment"

4

Children at Nurse

Martin Murphy R.O. reported
a visit to W. Dunbar at Kerns

He was "healthy & clean"
"wanted shoes however"

Ordered

"5/- allowed for shoes"

4

Clothing allowed

^s
6/- for boots to Mary Murphy
leaving the house

—

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. 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 ...

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions were given for Payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.] An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 18____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the

half-year ended	18 ____	£
District, _____	- - - -	£
District, _____	- - - -	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Kellan Dispensary District, Mr. Walsh - M.O. 24

in reply to the letter of the 28th Jan^r. No 1282 - and the order of the Bd on said letter. Reported

"That no cases of either Fever or Scarletina" had come under his notice since. The parts of the District where the Sanitary defects came under his observation were the Townland of Galamore - and Bolabeg. The parties in both places have improved matters"

Ordered "Read"

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.)

18 Quart Dispensary

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

Read Letter from SLB 2/2457 dated 26th 9 1881
 stating that

they sanctioned payment of £30.0
 a week for 2 weeks to D. Branshille
 as locum tenens -

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
 _____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
 _____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
 _____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
 _____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
 _____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY, 37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

Newtownbary
Insurance at National Schools

The draft agreement between the Trustees of the Hall and Estate and the Guardians, along with the letter of the Solicitor to the Trustees, was laid before the Board, and duly signed by the Chairman, 2 other Guardians, and the Clerk.

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The Bill of Mr Ryan & Co for survey &c of the projected works £5.5.0 was ordered to be paid

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Ferns Water Works

The following was read from

Dr. Smith.

M.O. 24. of Ferns @ Y. D.

Ferns
8th February 1881

Sir.

In reply to the letter of the Local Govt Board directing me to again send in a report as to the water supply of Ferns, I have the honor to submit the following facts viz.

- (1st) The Town of Ferns is officially returned as having 568. inhabitants.
- (2nd) The sources of water supply are a stream running about 200 yds in perpendicular below the top of the Town and about 200 yards from the lower end of the town, and near those two places of public access to the stream, in each place, a well.
- (3rd) I have measured the distances roughly, between these two points on the stream, where they are open to the public and estimate the distance to be 933 yards, so that some of the Labouring Classes must carry water for all purposes, by hand, a distance of Quarter of a mile.
- (4th) The Pump at the Police Barracks has been without water for some months and on the last three days I have personally examined it and that after pumping for a considerable time I could get no water from it, although the weather has been very wet and the Springs have opened after the late snow and frost.

(forward.)

In conclusion I must state as I have done in former reports that the supply of water to this Village is insufficient, and in hot weather, as Cattle are constantly standing in the stream from which the Chief supply is drawn, it must necessarily be impure.

I am Sir
Yours Obedt. Servt.
C. B. Smith
Medl. Officer
Ferns Dispensary
& Sanitary Officer

Ordered. "Read"

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

Humphrey Ryndhart
Ch.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 17th day of February 1881

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1871—

Present Net Annual Value, £110,488 10s. Area in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of February 1881

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.	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			
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Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	67	1															
St. John's Barracks do	-	-															
St. Mary's do	-	-															
Total	1024	352															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return. }			23	55	73	98	16	18	27	17	19	346	In Work-house Hospital } 111	In separate Wards, in Workhouse with other inmates, } 28			
Admitted during the Week. . .			31	8	11	3	.	2	.	1	1	57	Hospital } 2	} -			
Discharged during the Week. . .													TOTAL, 113	TOTAL, 28			
Dead,																	
Total Discharged and Dead. . .			52	63	84	101	16	20	27	18	20	403					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE. }			26	9	6	2	1	1	1	4	.	50					
						1	.	.	.	.	.	1			
			26	9	6	3	1	1	1	4	.	51					
			28	54	78	98	15	19	26	14	20	352					
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
													Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
													No. Relieved during week;	32	7	3	42
													No. in Work-house at date;	10	2	1	13
													No. at corresponding period last year, 384				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the 12th day of February 1881 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 51, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	253	579				
No. II.	126	285				
No. III.	128	230				
TOTAL	507	1094				

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

the 17th day of February 1881

PRESENT: In the Chair— Messrs J. O'Farrell. M. Glavin

G. Murphy

Other Guardians :—

Messrs J. O'Farrell. M. Glavin

B. King . J. Haughton

J. Flynn . J. Gallagher

H. Gordonson.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1222 to No. 1279 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. 7350 to No. 7355 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report was read to the following effect:—

Ink Seed Supply

"Begg'd to apply for remuneration under the act, for services rendered"

Ordered

The Clerk having applied for some remuneration under the Seed Supply Act, & not having received any heretofore; that the sum of £40. 0. 0 from the balance on hands to credit of said account be given to him for his services, and the remaining nett balance £4. 10. 7 to Mr. P. Murphy, as the guardians are of opinion the latter was not sufficiently recompensed at the time.

This to include all future work necessary under the act "

—

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 *against* the Guardians was -

£ 431. 0. 3
 £ 174. 13. 1
 £ 1046. 8. 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before 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	Amount Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
D. M'DONALD	Enniscorthy												
	Total										1212	16	
MATHEW DOYLE	Ballyhogue	60											
	Bree	19											
	The Leap												
	Total				79						569	14	5
TIMOTHY NOLAN	Cranmore												
	Kilrush												
	St. Mary's												
	Newtownbarry												
	Tombrack												
	Total										871	9	7
John Walsh	Ballycarney												
	Ballymore												
	Ferns												
	Kilbora												
	Kilcormack												
	The Harrow												
	Tinnacross												
	Total										922	5	11
JAMES SOMMERS	Castleboro'												
	Clonroche												
	Killan												
	Kiltealy												
	Total										805		4
TIMOTHY NOLAN	Ballindaggin												
	Castledockrill												
	Killoughram												
	Marshallstown												
	Rossard												
	Total										712	15	7
JAMES PARKER	Ballyvaldon												
	Boolaboy												
	Castle Ellis												
	Castle Talbot												
	Total										701	11	3
JAMES MURPHY	Ballyhuskard												
	Edermine												
	Kilmallock												
	Total										922	13	8
	TOTAL UNION, £				79						6718	6	9

NOTE.—The amounts are inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to £ 4 : 1 : 8 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 48 : 11 : 10

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 53 : 4 : 8

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:—

Meat	328 lbs	Candles	-	24 lbs
Bread	2890 lbs	Lemons	-	5 doz.
Indian meal	224 lbs	Tobacco	-	13 ozs
Butter-milk	143 Gals	Satt	-	224 lbs
Sweet-milk	1369 qts			
Tea	380 ozs			
Sugar	1120 ozs			
Whisky	cost of stimulants for week	13 pints		
Wine	£1. 13. 5	15 bottles		
Butter	64 lbs			
Eggs	14 doz			

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 February 1881 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	...	...	...	...	...	51. 8. 6
In Kind,	...	...	...	...	...	3. - -
Total,	...	...	...	...	...	£ 54. 8. 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:—

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
				Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
213	No. I.	M. Keating	24 "		
214	No. II.	J. Murphy	14 "		
215	No. III.	M. Murphy	12 "		
	TOTAL,		50 "		

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 Cheque		£	s.	d.
216	Daniel Keating pettybark	4	1	8
217	E. K. Ryan & Coe National School Insurance H.P.S.Y.	5	5	
218	P. Ryan Hardware	11	17	
219	Mr. Plummer Luie	8	5	
220	Captain Chichester Rent	51	17	11
221	Daniel McDonald Poor Rate	5	15	

No. of
Cheque

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

I will require about three days Masonry to repair the floor of the Halls adjoining the male and female day rooms.

Ordered
"Allowed"



Agriculturist's Report.

I was employed during the past week collecting manure & making a fence. Require one small metal wheel for the grubber + 4 ozs. of cabbage seed.

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):

C. Q. Act

Left B^d
22/10/81
Misc.

Assessing 115. 3. 0 1/2
on the Union, its
proportion of
expensed to general
Cattle Disease Funds

4

Nurse Children

J Murphy R.O. reported
Ellen & Thos. Murphy as
"healthy"
"clear" and
"attending school"
tc. tc

—//—

317 21 1000 21
70 000

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. 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 ...

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions were given for Payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 18 _____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the

half-year ended _____ 18 _____.

District,	-	-	-	-	£
District,	-	-	-	-	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Qulart Dispensary District, Mr. Ryan, Hon Secy.

Reported Meeting held Feb 15. 1881
to Consider repairs on QY. House
caused by late storm
Messrs. Colfer - Gullin - Keating
present.

Ordered " That a mason be
employed to repair
roof of QY. Ho "

a supply of Coal is required
for QY Ho

Ordered " approved of "

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

Ferns Water Works

*Left B. d.
Feb 16th
3868*

*Requesting the Govt
will give "attention"
"early" to the matter*

Ordered "Read"

1881 in relation to the
STATE of the Workhouse

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

Humphrey Ryndhart
Chairman

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

day of February 1881

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1871—

Present Net Annual Value, £110,488 10s. Area in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of February 1881

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 5 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	957	339													
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	67	2													
Newtownbarry do.....	-	1													
Dulart do.....	-	-													
Total.....	1024	342													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return. }			28	54	78	98	15	19	26	14	20	252	In Work-house Hospital } 104	In separate Wards, } 128	
Admitted during the Week, . .			28	14	6	1	1	2	5	4	1	62	In Fever Hospital } 3	In Wards with other inmates, } -	
Born,			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	TOTAL, 107	TOTAL, 28	
TOTAL			56	68	84	99	16	21	31	18	21	414			
Discharged during the Week, . .			33	17	5	1	3	1	4	2	6	66			
Died,			-	-	2	2	1	-	-	-	1	6			
Total Discharged and Dead, . .			33	17	7	3	4	1	4	3	7	72			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, }			23	51	77	96	16	17	30	14	18	342			
RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19 th day of February 1881															
authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.															
Relief Districts	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse								
			Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons							
No. I.	243	472													
No. II.	124	283													
No. III.	128	227													
TOTAL	495	982													
No. at corresponding period last year,													390		

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 24th day of February 1881

PRESENT: In the Chair—

W. J. Murphy
" *Ryndhart*

Other Guardians:— *Miss J. Linnott*

J. O'Brien - *Slavin*

Jordan - *J. Murphy*

O'Farrell - *King*

Whelan - *Ryan* - *Rehov*

Leary - *R. Murphy*

J. Q. Davenport Esq. J.P.

Captain Hamilton P.L.S. was in attendance

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1279 to No. 1340 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. 7355 to No. 7362 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report 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 - £ 154 . 0 . 0

Paid during the week - £ 374 . 7 . 5

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was - £ 1266 . 16 . 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
D. M'DONALD	Enniscorthy												
	Total										1212	16	
MATHEW DOYLE	Ballyhogue												
	Bree												
	The Leap												
	Total										569	14	5
TIMOTHY NOLAN	Cranmore												
	Kilrush												
	St. Mary's												
	Newtownbarry												
	Tombrack												
	Total										871	9	7
James Sommers John Walsh	Ballycarney												
	Ballymore												
	Ferns												
	Kilbora												
	Kilcormack												
	The Harrow												
	Tinnacross												
	Total										922	57	1
JAMES SOMMERS	Castleboro'												
	Clonroche												
	Killan												
	Kiltealy												
	Total										805		4
TIMOTHY NOLAN	Ballindaggin												
	Castledockrill												
	Killoughram												
	Marshallstown												
	Rossard												
	Total										712	15	7
JAMES PARKER	Ballyvaldon	97											
	Boolaboy	25											
	Castle Ellis												
	Castle Talbot	32											
	Total				154						545	7	10
JAMES MURPHY	Ballyhuskard												
	Edermine												
	Kilmallock												
	Total										922	13	8
	TOTAL UNION, £				154						656	23	4

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

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to £ 6 : 8 : 2 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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 46 : 18 : 5

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 52 : 14 : "

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:—

Meat	239 lbs	Candles	24 lbs
Bread	2884 lbs	Soap	112 lbs
B. milk	123 gals	Tobacco	13 ozs
S. milk	1379 qts		
Sea	368 ozs		
Sugar	1344 ozs		
Whiskey	13 pints		
Wine	13 bottles		
Eggs	16 doz.		
Lemons	5 doz.		
Butter	64 lbs		

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 February 1881, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	...	...	...	...	...	£ 49 : 10 : 6
In Kind,	...	...	...	...	...	2 : 0 : 6
Total,	...	...	...	...	...	£ 51 : 11 : 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:—

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer	By Order on Contractors		Value		
			£ s. d.	Article and Quantity		£	s.	d.
222	No. I.	M. Keating	25 -					
223	No. II.	J. Murphy	13 -					
224	No. III.	M. Murphy	12 -					
	TOTAL,		50 -					

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 Cheque			£	s.	d.
225	② Hostler	petty cash	6	8	2
226	Geo Maguire	for Donohoe	4	5	6
227	Wm. Caske	medicines	63	-	7

No. of
Cheque

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

Sold 3 pigs last fair day
for £ 13.3.6 + bought 2
for 4.5.6

Mr. John Murphy has delivered
the Rugs - please have them
inspected

Ordered "Equal to Sample"

It is necessary to have a screen
placed at the fire place, in the
Infirmary ward, now
occupied by the Female Idiots,
in order to prevent them
from the danger of taking fire
Ordered
"To be placed in proper position"

Agriculturist's Report.

Required 4 spades + a small
bar of wood to repair a harrow,
one metal wheel for the grubber
+ 4 lbs of Cabbage seeds.

Ordered "Allowed"

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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):

Seed Supply

The following was handed in
by Mr. Ryan

" I will on this day two weeks move, that the resolution passed on the 17th inst. allowing £40.0.0 to the Clerk of the Union and £4.10.7 to Mr. P. Murphy for services rendered under the Seeds Loan Ireland Act be rescinded, as there is a resolution bearing date May 15. 1879, which allows no additional salary be given to any officer without notice being given to each member of the Board "

Signed
H. P. Ryan

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was...	...	...	...	...
Ditto disallowed ...	...	...	...	...
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ...	...	...	...	...

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

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions were given for Payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given :

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.] An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 18 _____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the

half-year ended _____	18 _____	.
_____ District,	- - - -	£
_____ District,	- - - -	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians, half yearly, viz., on the 10th June and 31st December.]

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

_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,
_____ Dispensary District, containing _____ names,

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

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY,
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

Sevens Water Works

*LFB^d
4536
91*

*Calling attention to
former letter & requesting
the Bd. to take the
subject again into
consideration*

and

(to/

Ferns Water Works (Cont'd)

SPB^d
477P
Feb 23rd
1881

Enclosing petition
from Ratepayers
of Ballycarnes
against being
included in the
area of taxation.

Ordered " To be referred to
the Ferns Dispensary Co.
with an instruction to
ascertain if a more
economical scheme
could not be adopted
than the one previously
contemplated "

" The Memorial received
to be sent on to Co.
and its opinion asked
as to the area of
taxation. "

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1781 in 1871

STATE of the Workhouse

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

Thomas Darpur
Chairman

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

day of *March* 1881

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1871—

Present Net Annual Value, £110,488 10s. Area in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the *26th* day of *Feb^y*, 1881

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 5 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.....	957	346													
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	67	2													
Newtownbarry do.....	-	-													
Galart do.....	-	-													
Total.....	1024	349													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			23	51	77	96	16	17	30	14	18	342	In Workhouse Hospital 199	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates, 28	
Admitted during the Week.			41	12	5	1	2		4	2		67	3		
Born.												1			
TOTAL			64	63	82	97	16	19	30	18	21	410	102	28	
Discharged during the Week.			34	10	8	1	1		2	2	1	60			
Died.						1						1			
Total Discharged and Dead.			34	10	8	2	1	1	2	2	1	61			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			30	53	74	95	15	18	28	16	20	349			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *26th* day of *Feb^y*, 1881 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	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.	242	473				
No. II.	125	268				
No. III.	127	223				
TOTAL	494	964				

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the *3rd* day of *March* 1881

PRESENT: In the Chair—

W. Darpur
W. Rynheart

Other Guardians:—

Mess^{rs} Kenny
Breen - Stamp
Ryan - Linnott
O'Connor - Murphy
Flynn - Cullin
O'Farrell - G. Murphy
W. Murphy - Tobin

day of *March* 1881

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1340 to No. 1408 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. 7362 to No. 7367 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report 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 of the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Amount Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
D. McDONALD	Enniscorthy	580											
	Total												
MATHEW DOYLE	Ballyhogue												
	Bree												
	The Leap												
	Total												
TIMOTHY NOLAN	Cranmore	13											
	Kilrush	18											
	St. Mary's												
	Newtownbarry	48											
	Tombrack	14											
	Total												
J. Walsh	Ballycarney												
	Ballymore												
	Ferns	72											
	Kilbora												
	Kilcormack	17											
	The Harrow	25											
	Tinnacross	84											
	Total												
JAMES SOMMERS	Castleboro'	24											
	Clonroche	37											
	Killan	54											
	Kiltealy												
	Total												
TIMOTHY NOLAN	Ballindaggin	47											
	Castledockrill	49											
	Killoughram	26											
	Marshallstown	51											
	Rossard	14											
	Total												
JAMES PARKER	Ballyvaldon												
	Booleboy												
	Castle Ellis												
	Castle Talbot												
	Total												
JAMES MURPHY	Ballyhuskard												
	Edermine												
	Kilmallock	80											
	Total												
	TOTAL UNION, £												

NOTE.—A small sum of money is entered in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to £ 7 : 16 : 5 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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 46 : 9 : 4

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 52 : 9 : 4

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 :—

meat	322 lbs	Eggs	25 doz
Bread	2815 lbs	Candles	24 lbs
Indian meal	224 lbs	Soap	112 lbs
Oatmeal	1120 lbs	Lemons	2 doz
B. milk	146 Gals	Starch	7 lbs
S. milk	1316 qts	Blue	2 lbs
Tea	352 ozs	H. Soda	7 lbs
Sugar	1536 ozs	Tobacco	12 ozs
Whiskey	14 pints		
Wine	12 bottles		
Butter	63 lbs		

Cost of stimulants for week £ 1-18-6

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 26th day of Sept 1881

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

In Money, ...	£ 48. 15. 6
In Kind, ...	2. 12. 6
Total, ...	£ 51. 8. 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 :—

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer	By Order on Contractors	
			£ s. d.	Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
228	No. I.	M. Keating	25 . .		
229	No. II.	J. Murphy	14 . .		
230	No. III.	M. Murphy	12 . .		
	TOTAL		51 . .		

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 Cheque		£	s.	d.
231	Q. Keohler petty cash	7	16	5
232	Q. Furlong Fever Hospital acct.	3	.	.
233	Robt. Bosgrave milk	8	3	4
234	Matthew Courtney meat	36	9	6
235	P. Fitzpatrick groceries	7	19	9
236	Edward Goff do	12	6	11
237	Joseph Kennedy do	17	1	9
238	Lambert Bros. do	2	19	7
239	Pat. Malone coal	18	15	.
240	Thos. Mernaght milk	7	6	7
241	Tobias Rossiter bread	62	.	3
242	Mich. Ryan milk	23	6	3
243	Pat. Ryan do	8	8	8

No. of
Cheque

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

Captain Hamilton visited the House at 11 O'clock on Thursday 24th ult and Inspected the Infirmary and Inform wards 4s. 4s. 4s. He visited a second time at 3 O'clock and remained until 5 1/2 O'clock -

I beg to state that I lodged with Treasurer the Sum of £ 25. 17. 6. viz - £ 13. 3. 6 received for 3 pigs sold and £ 12. 14. 0 for farm produce -

As the Contract for Bread. Oatmeal. Indian meal and Flour. will expire on the 25th inst it will be necessary to Advertise for same -

Senders to be considered on the 16th inst
Ordered
"To be Advertised for!"

I had a warrant issued against Johanna Neill (for deserting her child) as directed by the Board, she was arrested and brought before the Magistrates on Monday last who enquired particularly into her case and let her off with a severe reprimand she taking the child out of the Workhouse

Agriculturist's Report.

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):

Pneumonia

Case reported at farm
property of
Mr. Mark Codd

— # —

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. 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 ...

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

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

Humphrey Ryahart
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 10th day of March 1881

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

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STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of March 1881

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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	957	353													
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	67	2													
Newtownbarry do															
Oulart do															
Total	1024	356													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			30	53	74	95	15	18	28	16	20	349	In Workhouse Hospital 106	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates, 28	
Admitted during the Week.			27	11	4	3	4	1	3	2	3	58	In Workhouse Hospital 8	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates, -	
Born.											2	2	TOTAL, 109	TOTAL, 28	
TOTAL			57	64	78	98	19	19	31	18	25	409	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
Discharged during the Week.			27	9	2	1	2	1	2	1	5	50			
Died.			1	1	1							3			
Total Discharged and Dead.			28	10	3	1	2	1	2	1	5	53			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			29	54	75	97	17	18	29	17	20	356	No. at corresponding period last year, 397		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the 5th day of March 1881 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
No. I.	244	476				
No. II.	125	268				
No. III.	126	216				
TOTAL	495	960				

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 10th day of March 1881

PRESENT: In the Chair—

W. Ryngaert
" *G.W. Casey D.V.C.*

Other Guardians:— Messrs. R^t Hon Lord Curzon
Col. Alcock J.B. J.D. Devereux J.B. G.C. Roberts J.B.
L. Dundas J.B. J. Moffatt J.B. W. Bookman J.B.
Haughton W.M. Gibbon J.B. W. Murphy
J. Murphy. O'Doyle. J. Farrell. O'Leary
B. Murphy. B. Tobin. J. Flynn. R. King.
R. Jordan. J. Harpur. W. Glavin. M. Ryan
H. Goodisson. F. Whelan. O'Keefe. J. Corcoran
J. Kimmott. O'Connell. O'Gallagher. P. O'Riordan
O'Whelan. J. Breen. J. Haughton.

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.